

## Love the Lord Your God

Choose four volunteers to illustrate the greatest commandment in Mark 12:30. Tell your volunteers that you are going use their arms to put them in a position and they are to freeze in whatever position you put them. Take the first person's right hand and put it over their heart. Take one of the second person's hands and open it. Then pull it out in front of him with his palm facing up. Then give him "five" (for a laugh). Then put his other hand in the same position. Take the either of the third person's hands, close it for a fist and put the index finger up. Put it under his nose (like he's going to pick it), then chuckle and move it to point to his head. Take the fourth volunteer's arms and put them up like a muscleman flexing his muscles.

*Spiritual Application:* Stand behind the first person and say, "Love the Lord your God with all your heart..." Move behind the second person. "With all your soul." Move behind the third person. "With all your mind" Move behind the fourth person. "And all your strength." Have your students say it with you, doing the motions for each.