

# The stages of Love First lectio



## LENS

You are reading the lesson through the lens of love.

*Read the text aloud.*

- *Where is love in this text?*
- *What kind of love is it?*
- *Who is being loved or loving?*

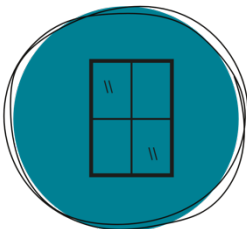


## MIRROR

You are seeing yourself through the mirror of love.

*Read the text again, this time looking for yourself in the lesson.*

- *Does it remind me of the kind of love I've experienced in my life? If so, when was it and with whom?*
- *Have I missed having this kind of love in my life?*



## WINDOW

You are seeing the world through the window of love.

*Read the passage a final time.*

- *How does the love found in this passage help you see love in the world around you – or where it is needed?*
- *Who or what do you see that you couldn't see before?*
- *How does the passage's message of love compel you to be more loving to others?*