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## When Not to Love Best

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**Ron:** Believe it or not, sometimes it's best **not** to love best.

**Announcer:** For FamilyLife Blended®, here's Ron Deal.

**Ron:** The *Five Love Languages* taught us how to best love family and friends by knowing their primary love language and then speaking it clearly. Now, here's a bit of added wisdom from Dr. Gary Chapman and my book *Building Love Together in Blended Families*: Just because a stepparent knows a child's primary language doesn't mean it will be well received. It might actually feel overwhelming or intrusive to the child.

No matter their love language, it's best to begin with Acts of Service, Gifts, and Words of Affirmation, then Quality Time and Physical Touch. Progress from the least intrusive language to the most intimate and watch love come alive. For FamilyLife Blended I'm Ron Deal.

**Announcer:** To find out more visit [familylifeblended.com](http://familylifeblended.com).

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