

Probably the Best Idea in the World

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A liberating and fresh look at Jesus' familiar, yet greatest instruction.

At the heart of everything there is one very good idea – the true currency of our society, the key to all human flourishing and happiness. That idea is very simple. It is love, actually. Love God. Love one another. Your neighbour. Your enemy.

Simple – but far from easy. As the statistics and prolific stories of broken friendships, toxic workplaces, divided churches, dysfunctional families and lonely people testify. And yet it is a commandment. The greatest. Not an optional extra, not just a good idea, but the most important one, the one from which all the others flow.

So how can we begin to follow this command? With brilliant storytelling and deep theological insight, Mark Greene explores a simple but liberating framework to help us make decisions that enhance rather than damage our relationships – whether it's about replacing a dishwasher or managing a team. He challenges us to put relationships deliberately back at the center of our calling and discipleship.

Full of humour, contemporary examples and research, *Probably The Best Idea in the World* shows how Jesus' emphasis on thinking relationally is not only a liberating basis for our personal lives, but a dynamic foundation for our workplaces, our society, and our global community.

'How we love is the most important thing to God, and love is fundamentally about relationship.'

Author

Mark Greene grew up Jewish and joyous, and celebrated becoming a Christian in his early twenties. He worked in advertising in London and New York, loved it, and is still prepared to admit it. He is Director of the London Institute for Contemporary Christianity, and Vice-Principal of the London School of Theology. He speaks, tells stories, and writes, mainly on the joys, trials and surprises of living the whole of life as a follower of Jesus in today's world.

Readership

- General Christian Market
- Christians exploring how to live out Jesus' commands in every area of life
- Those seeking ways to have a relational focus in their faith
- LICC community and those who enjoy Mark Greene's work

Key Selling Points

- Fresh and exciting insight into a foundational teaching of the Christian faith
- Inspiration to live out God's plan for the world through loving, quality relationships
- Compelling and relatable stories and examples from a brilliant storyteller
- Practical guidance on doing relationship well, both with God and others
- New, fully revised edition

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