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Try and find a quiet place such as the school chapel and, after watching the video, capture your thoughts on the following questions:

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Can you think of a student that you find very hard to love? What do you feel
are the specific challenges that make this hard for you? What buttons do
they seem to push?

Q# 2
How may God be present in this situation with a difficult student? Despite the challenges is there an invitation to something as well?



"You will never be happy if your happiness depends on getting solely what you want. Change the focus. Get a new center. Will what God wills, and your joy no one shall take from you."

Fulton Sheen

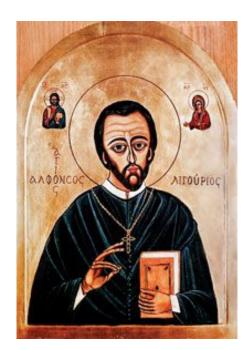
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Can you think back to your own experience as a student>? Was there a particular teacher who was able to 'will' your good? What did they do that impacted you?

Action Steps

This week ask for the grace to be particularly loving to a student you have always found hard to love. Remember, it does not mean you have to 'feel' like loving them. It simply means that you desire that good happens to them through their interaction with you. What can you do or say to show Christ's love to them in a concrete way?



"True charity consists in doing good to those who do us evil, and in thus winning them over."

St. Alphonsus Liguori