

Romance vs. Love

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ROMANCE is seeking perfection.

LOVE is **forgiving faults.**

ROMANCE is eager, striving always to appear attractive to each other

LOVE is **two people who find beauty in each other no matter how they look.**

ROMANCE is dancing in moonlight, gazing deep into desired eyes across a candlelit table.

LOVE is saying, **“You’re tired, honey. I’ll get up this time,”** and **stumbling through the dark to warm a bottle or comfort a frightened child.**

ROMANCE is flying.

LOVE is **a safe landing.**

ROMANCE is flattering attentions.

LOVE is **genuine thoughtfulness.**

ROMANCE is tingling excitement.

LOVE is **tenderness, constancy, being cherished.**

ROMANCE is suspense, anticipation, surprise

LOVE is **dependability.**

ROMANCE is delicious.

LOVE **nourishes.**