

Space accommodates all perfections and imperfections. Likewise, the basis of loving kindness, compassion, equanimity, and joy arises when you can rest within an attitude that accommodates others as they are. Your cultivation of kindness is without demands and expectations; it is especially without strategies or plans for applying that loving kindness and compassion.

Khandro Rinpoche

Just as a mother would protect with her life her own child, her only child,  
So one should cultivate a boundless mind toward all beings  
and friendliness toward the entire world.

Buddha Shakyamuni taught this Metta Sutta

Let the flower of compassion bloom  
In the soil of kindness.  
Tend it with the pure water of equanimity  
In the cool shade of joy.

Longchenpa - *Kindly Bent to Ease Us*