



JESUS: TEACH US HOW TO
LOVE

JOHN 15:9-14
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Part 1

- To love and be loved is life's greatest _____.
- Love is from God. He is the originator.
 - *“He that loveth not knoweth not God; for God is love.” 1 John 4:8*
- Christ came to this earth and was a living demonstration of divine love.
 - *“In this was manifested the love of God toward us, because that God sent his only begotten Son into the world, that we might live through him.” 1 John 4:9*
- Since Christ has fully demonstrated His love to us, and His Spirit now lives in us, we can love _____ as Christ has loved us. We can love in a divine way!
 - *“And hope maketh not ashamed; because the love of God is shed abroad in our hearts by the Holy Ghost which is given unto us.” Romans 5:5*
 - *“And walk in love, as Christ also hath loved us ... ”*
Ephesians 5:2a
- Every believer can love as Christ loves. How can we love in such a divine way?

First, love needs daily _____.

- Jesus expresses this concept when He says, “...continue ye in my love.” vs. 9
 - “Continue” means “to stay in a given place, state, or relation.”
- The issue was that they might no longer continue to _____ and bask in His love, and in turn, manifest it to others. vs. 12
- Christ basked in the Father’s love. Then, Christ was able to _____ that love with His disciples. vs. 10
- As you grow in Christ’s love and abide in it, you will have a greater capacity to truly love others. Ephesians 3:17-19
 - There is no way that Christ’s love can be shared _____ you until you understand Christ’s love **for** you.

Do you understand His love for you in a _____ way than you did at this time last year?

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