



- Do you know what the ultimate purpose is of your life? It is to bring glory and praise to \_\_\_\_\_.
- *"That the name of our Lord Jesus Christ may be glorified in you, and ye in him, according to the grace of our God and the Lord Jesus Christ."*  
**2 Thessalonians 1:12**
- *"Whether therefore ye eat, or drink, or whatsoever ye do, do all to the glory of God."* **1 Corinthians 10:31**
- *"But we all, with open face beholding as in a glass the glory of the Lord, are changed into the same image from glory to glory, even as by the Spirit of the Lord."*  
**2 Corinthians 3:18**
- In this prayer, Paul reveals to us clearly how our lives can bring glory to God.

**By possessing an abounding \_\_\_\_\_ vs. 9**

- Every Christian possesses the love of Christ because Christ's Spirit lives within him or her. So, every Christian has the **capacity** to love. But, love is a \_\_\_\_\_.

- *“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*
- Paul’s prayer was that their love would abound yet more and more. So, no matter how much you love, your love can \_\_\_\_\_. 1 Thessalonians 4:9-10
- According to verse 9, our love should be rooted in two things:

**The first is \_\_\_\_\_.**

- The only source of true divine knowledge is God’s Word.
- So you cannot have true, biblical love apart from God’s \_\_\_\_\_.

**The second is sound \_\_\_\_\_.**

- The word “judgment” simply means “discernment.”
- True love is not \_\_\_\_\_ at all, but sees clearly through the lens of God’s Word.

**Do you possess an abounding love for God and people?**

**Do you possess a discerning love that is rooted in God’s truth?**