

# God is Love

(Selected Scriptures)



## I. THE MOTIVE OF HIS LOVE

## II. THE MANIFESTATION OF HIS LOVE (Text: I John 4:9-10)

- 1) God's Sacrificial Love Was Costly (V. 9a)
- 2) God's Sacrificial Love Was Gracious (V. 9b)
- 3) God's Sacrificial Love Was Undeserved (V. 10a)
- 4) God's Sacrificial Love Was Desperately Needed (V. 10b)
- 5) God's Sacrificial Love Was Righteous (V. 10b)

## III. THE MEASURE OF HIS LOVE

(God's Love is incomprehensible - by finite minds)

- 1) God's Love For Us Is Intimate
- 2) God's Love For Us Is Infinite
  - a) His love is great (Ephesians 2:3)
  - b) His love is boundless (Ephesians 3:17-19)

## IV. THE DURATION OF HIS LOVE

(God's Love is Eternal)

- 1) Nothing Can Change His Love For Us (Ja. 1:17-18)  
(Nothing can diminish/alter His love for us)
- 2) Nothing Can End His Love Toward Us (Jer. 31:3; II Thes. 2:16)  
(Nothing can stop His love for us)
- 3) Nothing Can Separate His Love From Us (Rom. 8:31-39)  
(Nothing can come between us and God's love)

. . . Nothing can separate us from His love:

- a. Trials cannot! (v. 35a) ("tribulation...distress...persecution)
- b. Tragedy cannot! (v. 35b) (famine...nakedness)
- c. Opposition cannot (v. 35b - 37) (peril...sword)
- d. Death cannot (v. 36 - 38) ("Sword...death")
- e. Spirit powers cannot! (v. 38b) ("Angels...principalities...powers)
- f. Time cannot! (v. 38c) ("things present...things to come")
- g. Distance cannot (v. 39a) ("Height nor depth")
- h. The whole universe cannot! (v. 39b) ("any other creature" [thing in creation])