“THIS IS US!”

THE CHARACTER OF LOVE! (PART #11)

1 Corinthians 13:1-7 (v. 7)

Love BELIEVETH ALL

SPACES

The PURPOSE of this Teaching is to give us an EXAMPLE of the Kind of AGAPE LOVE with which we should LOVE ONE ANOTHER.

THE SERMONIC PRINCIPLES that are to be embraced and applied by us are:

1) that WE would Know WHAT Agape’ Love Truly is.
2) that WE would Know HOW Agape’ Love Acts/Behaves/Conducts itself.
3) that WE would Know and Live Agape’ Love in Action/Behavior/and Conduct.
4) that WE would Love others as the LORD Jesus Christ has loved us!
5) that our Lives will Honor HIM
   Spotlight HIM and
   Point Others to HIM
   So that HE will be Pleased to call us HIS children.
6) The Positive Behaviors of Love are Actions that we DO engage in…
   a) Love suffereth long so
      We are patient with people
   b) Love is Kind and cares for others so
      We are Kind/courteous/helpful and
      show favor toward one another
      We are generous and work for the
      well-being of others
   c) Love rejoices in the Truth meaning
      - Love is elated/thrilled/and overjoyed
      with “THE TRUTH”
- We owe One Another “THE TRUTH”
- “THE TRUTH” is NOT a precept or principle but a Person
- “THE TRUTH” rejoices when it is rooted and grounded in the person of the LORD Jesus Christ
- Jesus is the Truth of God
- Jesus is the Incarnation of Fidelity and Faithfulness
- Jesus is the Revelation of Reality and Genuineness
- Jesus is the Ultimate Pattern of Moral Excellence and Goodness

d) Love Beareth ALL THINGS...

The Best Translation:

- Love protects / shields / guards / covers / conceals the Beloved from exposure.
- Love like the LORD Jesus Christ who stood up with US and stood up for US at Calvary Covering US and Covering the Sins of All who TRUST in HIM. Jesus Paid / Covered It ALL!

e) LOVE BELIEVETH ALL THINGS......

The Best Translation:

- Love: Strains forward with all its might to Believe and Continues to Believe the very Best in the individual and in the situation!
- Love sees the good, bad, and ugly in every person and every situation But Agape' Love moves Beyond the problems, challenges and Conflicts to seek and see the Highest Potential in the Individual and the Best Outcome in the Situation
- Agape' Love applies Galations 6:1

Brethren, if a man be overtaken in a fault, ye which are spiritual, restore such an one in the spirit of meekness; considering thyself, lest thou also be tempted.

WTPT? HTPP!

LIVE LIKE IT!

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