

# Love

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Part of Fruition

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## TODAY: LOVE

Galatians 5:22 But the Holy Spirit produces this kind of fruit in our lives: love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness,<sup>23</sup> gentleness, and self-control. There is no law against these things!

- YOU CAN'T LEARN THE FRUIT, YOU GROW IT

1 Corinthians 13:1 If I could speak all the languages of earth and of angels, but didn't love others, I would only be a noisy gong or a clanging cymbal.<sup>2</sup> If I had the gift of prophecy, and if I understood all of God's secret plans and possessed all knowledge, and if I had such faith that I could move mountains, but didn't love others, I would be nothing.<sup>3</sup> If I gave everything I have to the poor and even sacrificed my body, I could boast about it; but if I didn't love others, I would have gained nothing.

a) Philia - Warm, affectionate love between friends or people with shared values.

b) Storgē - Natural love between family members, parents, children, siblings

c) Eros -Physical, romantic, or passionate love between a husband and wife.

d) Agapē - The highest form of love — sacrificial, unconditional, and selfless.

1 John 4:7 Dear friends, let us continue to love one another, for love comes from God. Anyone who loves is a child of God and knows God.<sup>8</sup> But anyone who does not love does not know God, for God is love.

## **1. LOVE FLOWS FROM GOD**

Psalms 42: 1 As the deer longs for streams of water, so I long for you, O God.

## **2. GOD'S LOVE GOES FIRST**

Romans 5:8 But God put his love on the line for us by offering his Son in sacrificial death while we were of no use whatever to him.

## **3. LOVE IS ACTION**

1 Corinthians 13:4 Love is patient and kind. Love is not jealous or boastful or proud. 5 or rude. It does not demand its own way. It is not irritable, and it keeps no record of being wronged.6 It does not rejoice about injustice but rejoices whenever the truth wins out.7 Love never gives up, never loses faith, is always hopeful, and endures through every circumstance.

Romans 5: 5 And this hope will not lead to disappointment. For we know how dearly God loves us, because he has given us the Holy Spirit to fill our hearts with his love.

## **4. LET GOD POUR HIS LOVE IN YOUR HEART**

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