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Love Is the Greatest! Not just any kind of love, but the love that is the truest form expressed by our LORD and Savior JESUS CHRIST. HE said: **This is my commandment, That ye love one another, as I have loved you. Greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends.** (John 15:12-13) Not only did HE explain what LOVE was, and show us what LOVE is, but then HE commanded us to do the same! That's a tall order and can only be achieved through a Born-Again experience of receiving JESUS as LORD! Listen to the words of JESUS to Nicodemus on the subject. **Jesus answered and said unto him, Verily, verily, I say unto thee, Except a man be born again, he cannot see the kingdom of God. Nicodemus saith unto him, How can a man be born when he is old? Can he enter the second time into his mother's womb, and be born? Jesus answered, Verily, verily, I say unto thee, Except a man be**

born of water and of the Spirit, he cannot enter into the kingdom of God. That which is born of the flesh is flesh; and that which is born of the Spirit is spirit. Marvel not that I said unto thee, Ye must be born again. (John 3:3-7)

You see the kind of LOVE JESUS spoke of above in John 15 is a fruit of the Spirit. **But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, longsuffering, gentleness, goodness, faith, Meekness, temperance: against such there is no law.** (Galatians 5:22-23)

It isn't a matter of you and me trying our best to Love others, because that path will always lead to failure. The path to success is this, **But seek ye first the kingdom of God, and his righteousness; and all these things shall be added unto you.** (Matthew 6:33)

The Kingdom Of GOD is: GOD The FATHER through GOD The SPIRIT revealing GOD The SON to the world in a vessel called The CHURCH! This is why JESUS before HE ascended into Heaven commanded the believers to wait

for the Baptism Of The HOLY GHOST. **And, being assembled together with them, commanded them that they should not depart from Jerusalem, but wait for the promise of the Father, which, saith he, ye have heard of me. For John truly baptized with water; but ye shall be baptized with the Holy Ghost not many days hence.** (Acts 1:4-5)

Continuing from there we read: **When they therefore were come together, they asked of him, saying, Lord, wilt thou at this time restore again the kingdom to Israel? And he said unto them, It is not for you to know the times or the seasons, which the Father hath put in his own power. But ye shall receive power, after that the Holy Ghost is come upon you: and ye shall be witnesses unto me both in Jerusalem, and in all Judaea, and in Samaria, and unto the uttermost part of the earth.** (Acts 1:6-8)

It is interesting to note here they were asking JESUS what would

happen next? HIS reply in simple terms was, “Don’t worry about that, the FATHER has it all covered. You will receive POWER after the HOLY GHOST (THE SPIRIT) fills you and you will be MY witnesses.” The Power to LOVE the way JESUS LOVED comes from THE HOLY SPIRIT! **But the fruit of the Spirit is love. (Gal 5:22)** Love is patient and kind. Love is not jealous or boastful or proud or rude. It does not demand its own way. It is not irritable, and it keeps no record of being wronged. It does not rejoice about injustice but rejoices whenever the truth wins out. Love never gives up, never loses faith, is always hopeful, and endures through every circumstance. **(1 Corinthians 13:4-7 NLT)**

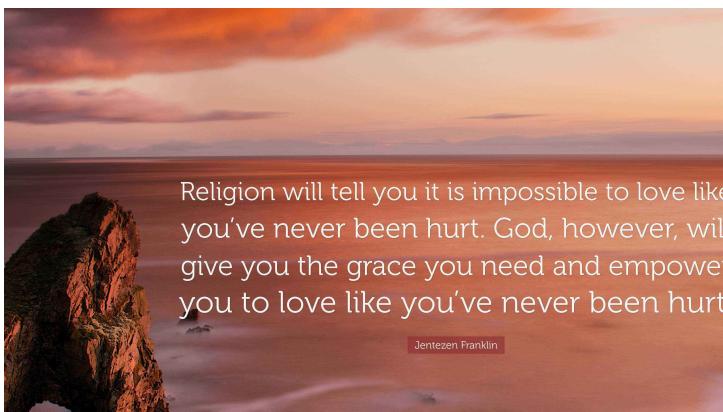
This kind of LOVE only comes from THE FATHER.

**We love HIM, because HE first loved us.**

**(1 John 4:19)** When asked what the greatest commandment was JESUS replied, **Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy mind. This is the first and great commandment. And the second is like unto it, Thou shalt love thy neighbour as thyself. On these two commandments hang all the law and the prophets.**

**(Matthew 22:37-40)** It's impossible to Love our neighbour the way GOD wants us to without first loving HIM. By putting HIM first and seeking HIS RIGHTEOUSNESS we are endued with Power from on High. Power to LOVE. **Three things will last forever—faith, hope, and love—and the greatest of these is LOVE. (1 Corinthians 13:13 NLT)** Thank you for supporting KJIR Radio. GOD BLESS YOU.

*Michael Wortman*



And so we know and rely on the love God has for us. God is love. Whoever lives in love lives in God, and God in them.

**1 John 4:16**

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What is love?

No words can define it,  
It's something so great  
Only God could design it...

Wonder of wonders,  
Beyond man's conception,  
And only in God

Can love find true perfection,  
For love is enduring  
And patient and kind,

It judges all things

With the heart not the mind,  
And love can transform  
The most commonplace  
Into beauty and splendor  
And sweetness and grace...

For love is unselfish,  
Giving more than it takes,  
And no matter what happens

Love never forsakes,  
It's faithful and trusting  
And always believing,  
Guileless and honest  
And never deceiving...

Yes, love is beyond  
What man is immortal  
And God's gift is divine!

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