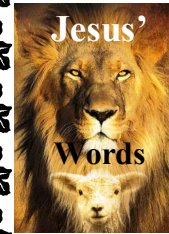




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(Thursday: Eve of the Cross)

Core Christianity III: Love and Change



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We now come to the eve of the cross. There is extensive teaching of our Lord Jesus recorded for this day. In regard to Jesus love for his own we need to make 3 responses. Today the third of these responses:

1. Let's savour Jesus' love and worship,
2. Let's be confident in Jesus love and find rest to our souls,
3. Let's be impacted by Jesus love and change,

◆ _____ for God, 2 Corinthians 5:14-15, 9-11, 17,
Ephesians 3:17-19 ... that you, being rooted and grounded in love, 18 may be able to comprehend with all the saints what is the width and length and depth and height—19 to know the love of Christ which passes knowledge; that you may be filled with all the fullness of God.
Galatians 5:19-21 Now the works of the flesh are evident, which are: adultery, fornication, uncleanness, lewdness, 20 idolatry, sorcery, hatred, contentions, jealousies, outbursts of wrath, selfish ambitions, dissensions, heresies, 21 envy, murders, drunkenness, revelries, and the like; of which I tell you beforehand, just as I also told you in time past, that those who practice such things will not inherit the kingdom of God.
Galatians 5:22-23 But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, longsuffering, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, 23 gentleness, self-control. Against such there is no law.
Galatians 5:24-26 And those who are Christ's have crucified the flesh with its passions and desires. 25 If we live in the Spirit, let us also walk in the Spirit. 26 Let us not become

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conceited, provoking one another, envying one another.



♦ others, 1 John 4:19, 11-12, 2:9-10, 15-17, 3:11-15, 16-18, 23, 4:7-12, 20-21

Mark 12:29-30 ... "The first of all the commandments is: 'Hear, O Israel, the Lord our God, the Lord is one. 30 And you shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your mind, and with all your strength.' This is the first commandment.

Mark 12:31 And the second, like it, is this: 'You shall love your neighbor as yourself.' There is no other commandment greater than these."

Romans 5:5 ... the love of God has been poured out in our hearts by the Holy Spirit who was given to us.

John 13:1 Now before the Feast of the Passover, when Jesus knew that His hour had come that He should depart from this world to the Father, having loved His own who were in the world, He loved them to the end.

Romans 13:8 ... love one another, for he who loves another has fulfilled the law.

1 Peter 1:22 ... love one another fervently with a pure heart,

Hebrews 10:24 And let us consider one another in order to stir up love and good works,

Mark 9:50 ... have peace with one another."

Romans 12:16 Be of the same mind toward one another.

Romans 15:7 ... receive one another,

Romans 15:14 ... admonish one another.

Romans 16:16 Greet one another

1 Corinthians 11:33 ... wait for one another.

1 Corinthians 12:25 ... care for one another.

Galatians 5:13 ... through love serve one another.

Ephesians 4:2 ... bearing with one another in love,

1 Corinthians 6:7 ... go to law against one another.

1 Corinthians 7:5 .. deprive one another ..

Galatians 5:15 ... bite and devour one another, ...



John 15:12 This is My commandment, that you love one another as I have loved you.

The Thursday Before the Crucifixion (Evening)

(Luke 22) {14} When the hour (Matthew 26:20 evening) had come, He sat down, and the twelve apostles with Him.

(John 13) "Now before the feast of the Passover, when Jesus knew that His hour had come that He should depart from this world to the Father, having loved His own who were in the world, He loved them to the end. {2} And supper [being ended] [or 'beginning/ or during supper'] the devil having already put it into the heart of Judas Iscariot, Simon's son, to betray Him, {3} Jesus, knowing that the Father had given all things into His hands, and that He had come from God and was going to God, {4} rose from supper and laid aside His garments, took a towel and girded Himself.

[(Luke 22) {24} Now there was also a dispute among them, as to which of them should be considered the greatest]

(John 13) {5} After that, He poured water into a basin and began to wash the disciples' feet, and to wipe them with the towel with which He was girded. {6} Then He came to Simon Peter. And Peter said to Him, "Lord, are You washing my feet?" {7} Jesus answered and said to him, "What I am doing you do not understand now, but you will know after this." {8} Peter said to Him, "You shall never wash my feet!" Jesus answered him, "If I do not wash you, you have no part with Me." {9} Simon Peter said to Him, "Lord, not my feet only, but also my hands and my head!" {10} Jesus said to him, "He who is bathed needs only to wash his feet, but is completely clean; and you are clean, but not all of you." {11} For He knew who would betray Him; therefore He said, "You are not all clean." {12} So when He had washed their feet, taken His garments, and sat down again, He said to them, "Do you know what I have done to you? {13} "You call me Teacher and Lord, and you say well, for so I am. {14} "If I then, your Lord and Teacher, have washed your feet, you also ought to wash one another's feet. {15} "For I have given you an example, that you should do as I have done to you.