

1 John Lesson 75 Outline
“Exhibiting Perfect Love” 1 John 4:7-12
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John is presenting a study of perfect love for us here.

The first reason why we should love, is that love is the _____ of God.

God doesn’t force His presence on those who don’t love Him. He provides it for those who do.

When you think about God’s love, you can think about it in a general _____ sense; a sort of unconditional, indiscriminate, unlimited love of God which is extended over the world.

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This love is manifested by _____.

Another way God manifests His love on a temporal level is _____.

God also extends His Gospel message to the ends of the earth.

Another kind of love with which God loves His own is a perfect love.

The love that God has for humanity He shows them while they are here. The love that He has for us shows us while we’re here and when we enter into eternity and forever.

A second reason we are to love is because this love was _____.

If God was so disposed to manifest His love in Christ, should we not manifest the love that He's given us to others in the same spirit of sacrifice?

God's free spontaneous love in sacrificing His Son is the model of love for us.

To propitiate God means to placate God, to satisfy, to appease His holy, just requirement for sin.

So, God makes the extreme sacrifice, sending His Son in our place. And in that you've seen an example of what love is.

This love is about _____. This is so missing in Christianity in our day.

We are also to love because love is our _____.

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