

# THIS LOVE

**Hear O Israel; The LORD our God, the LORD is one!  
You shall love the LORD you God with all our heart, with all your soul,  
and with all your strength.  
And these words which I command you today shall be in your heart.  
Deuteronomy 6:4-6**

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This love REQUIRES UNITY.

1. Trinity in unity John 17:1-5
  2. Our triune persons (body, soul, spirit) brought to unity with the Trinity  
John 17:6-19
  3. Our brotherly love: the unity between myself, the Lord, and all of you.  
John 17:20-26
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This love REVEALS GLORY

**John 13:34-35 A new commandment I give to you, that you  
love one another; as I have loved you, that you also love one  
another. By this all will know that you are My disciples, if you  
have love for one another.**

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This love DOES GREATER THINGS

**John 14:12-14 Most assuredly, I say to you, he who believes in Me, the works that I do he will do also; and greater works than these he will do, because I go to My Father.**

**And whatever you ask in My name, that I will do, that the Father may be glorified in the Son.**

**If you ask anything in My name, I will do it.**

**John 15:7-8 If you abide in Me, and My words abide in you, you will ask what you desire, and it shall be done for you. Y this My Father is glorified, that you bear much fruit; so you will be My disciples.**

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This love IDENTIFIES BY INDWELLING

**John 16:13-15 However when He, the Spirit of truth, has come, He will guide you into all truth, for He will not speak on His own authority, but whatever He hears He will speak, and He will tell you things to come. He will glorify Me, for He will take of what is Mine and declare it to you. All things that the Father has are Mine. Therefore, I said that He will take of Mine and declare it to you.**

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This love POSITIONS YOU IN BATTLE

**John 15:9-10 As the Father loved Me, I also have loved you; abide in My love. If you keep My commandments, you will abide in My love, just as I have kept My Fathers commandments and abide in His love.**

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This love FULFILLS JOY

**John 15:11-16 These things I have spoken to you, that My joy may remain in you, and that your joy may be full. This is My commandment, that you love one another as I have loved you. Greater love has no one than this, than to lay down one's life for his friends. You are My friends if you do whatever I command you. No longer do I call you servants, for a servant**

**does not know what his master is doing; but I have called you friends., for all things that I heard from My Father I have made known to you. You did not choose Me, but I chose you and appointed you that you should to and bear fruit, and that your fruit should remain, that whatever you ask the Father in My name He may give you. These things I command you, that you love one another.**