

Message: Love and the Church- Love Is

Scripture: 1 Corinthians 13:1-4

WHY IS LOVE SO IMPORTANT

THREE REASONS

1. It is the most excellent way to evidence that you are spiritually mature.

And now I will show to you the most excellent way. 1 Corinthians 12:31

2. Anything minus love equals nothing.

I'll produce nothing.

If I speak with tongues of men and of angels, but have not love, I am only a resounding gong or a clanging cymbal. 1 Corinthians 13:1

I am nothing.

If I have the gift of prophecy and can fathom all mysteries and all knowledge and if I have a faith that can move mountains but do not have love, I am nothing.

1 Corinthians 13:2

I profit nothing.

If I give all I possess to the poor and give my body to hardship that I may boast, but do not have love, I gain nothing. 1 Corinthians 13:3

3. Because love lasts.

WHAT IS LOVE?

1. Love is patient.

Love is patient... 1 Corinthians 13:4

2. Love is kind.

Love is kind... 1 Corinthians 13:4