

The Action of Love Matthew 1:18-25 Pastor Bryan Walmer December 18, 2022

## Love is not primarily a feeling. Love is primarily an action.

Joseph reveals to us that God's love is:

## 1) Merciful

Mercy means not giving someone what they deserve.

Joseph had the right to treat Mary a certain way but did not.

God has shown us mercy in not giving us what we deserve.

## 2) Sacrificial

Love costs us something.

It cost Jesus more than we will ever know to love us.

Following Jesus will cost us something. Are we willing to sacrifice whatever that may be?



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