

Receiving and Radiating the Love of God

1 John 4:7 - 5:5

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- Believing in God and receiving God's love is the first turning point and pillar for the Christian life.
- God is not just the epitome of love, He is love.
- Before you ever had any notion of loving God, He loved you.

Romans 6:23

- God's love is always attached to and assured by the truth concerning Jesus Christ.
- Living in fear ceases when you can see Jesus within your own thoughts, words, and actions.

Discussion Questions

- a. What would you say is the first turning point in your life that brought you to faith?
- b. Outside of sending Jesus, what in your opinion is the most loving thing God has ever done for His creation?
- c. What is the greatest example of God's love that you've seen in another person or in a loving act someone else did?
- d. Have you ever seen an unloving act throw mud on the reputation of God, Jesus, or the church?