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THE CHRISTIAN'S LOVE

Chapter 3

Summary: Love flows from God through the Christian to others.

I. Love's author (1-9): (A) we have God's love [Roman 5:5] (1-3); (B) we have God's command [John 14:21] (4-9).

II. Love's command (10-15): (A) we are to love our neighbor (10-12); (B) we are not to hate our neighbor [Matthew 5:43-44] (13-15).

III. Love's example (16-24): (A) we are to love in service (16-17); (B) we are to love in truth (18-24).

Lesson: *The clearest picture of love is seen in the face of Jesus.*