

The Manifestation Of The Love Of God

I. Introduction:

- A. What Jesus suffered through was an act of love (**Romans 5:6-10**).
 - 1. His death was for the salvation of the lost (**Colossians 1:12-23**).
 - 2. His resurrection was to give us hope (**I Peter 1:3-12**).
- B. This lesson is an important reminder as to why live unto Him (**II Corinthians 5:14-17**).
 - 1. Think about your conversion (**Romans 6:3-14**)
 - 2. Think about our lives in Him (**Galatian 2:20**).
 - 3. How do we perceive [know] the love of Christ (**I John 3:16**)?

II. Body: In This Was Manifested The Love Of God Toward Us (**I John 4:7-10**).

- A. The death of Christ (**Matthew 26:47-27:56**).
 - 1. The Good shepherd gave His life for the sheep (**John 10:1-18**).
 - 2. He did so for a purpose (**Titus 2:11-14**).
- B. The burial of Christ (**Matthew 27:57-66**).
 - 1. His grave, like much in the process of His DBR, had significance in prophesy (**Isaiah 53:9**).
 - 2. Because of Him, the grave is not our end (**I Thessalonians 4:13-18**).
- C. The resurrection of Christ (**Matthew 28:1-20**).
 - 1. Consider what the resurrection means to us (**I Corinthians 15:1-28**).
 - 2. In the resurrection we find not only hope, but motivation (**Philippians 3:1-21** and **Colossians 3:1-4**).

III. Conclusion: **I John 4:14-18**