



Love Illuminated – Pt. 3
The Expression of Love

New Horizon Church

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1 John 4:11-12 (NLT), “¹¹ Dear friends, since God loved us that much, we surely ought to love each other. ¹² No one has ever seen God. But if we love each other, God lives in us, and his love is brought to full expression in us.”

1. Love is _____ and _____.

1 Corinthians 13:4-7 (NLT), “⁴ Love is patient and kind. Love is not jealous or boastful or proud ⁵ or rude. It does not demand its own way. It is not irritable, and it keeps no record of being wronged. ⁶ It does not rejoice about injustice but rejoices whenever the truth wins out. ⁷ Love never gives up, never loses faith, is always hopeful, and endures through every circumstance.”

Ephesians 4:2 (NLT), “Always be humble and gentle. Be patient with each other, making allowance for each other’s faults because of your love.”

2. Love celebrates _____ and _____.

John 13:35 (NIV), “By this everyone will know that you are my disciples, if you love one another.”

1 Corinthians 13:6 (NLT), “It does not rejoice about injustice but rejoices whenever the truth wins out.”

1 John 3:18 (NIV), “Dear children, let us not love with words or speech but with actions and in truth.”

Ephesians 4:15, “speak the truth in love.”

3. Love is _____ and _____.

1 Corinthians 13:7a (NLT), “Love never gives up, never loses faith...”

1 Peter 4:8-10 (NIV), “Above all, love each other deeply, because love covers over a multitude of sins.”

Colossians 3:12-14 teaches us (NLT), “¹² Since God chose you to be the holy people he loves, you must clothe yourselves with tenderhearted mercy, kindness, humility, gentleness, and patience. ¹³ Make allowance for each other’s faults and forgive anyone who offends you. Remember, the Lord forgave you, so you must forgive others. ¹⁴ Above all, clothe yourselves with love, which binds us all together in perfect harmony.”

4. Love is _____ and _____.

1 Corinthians 13:7b (NLT), “Love is always hopeful and endures through every circumstance.”

Romans 12:10 (NIV) “Be devoted to one another in love. Honor one another above yourselves.”

Romans 12:9 (NLT), “Don’t just pretend to love others. Really love them.”
