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HOW DO WE LOVE ?

I love you, **BUT** is selfish love, you know, I love you **IF**, a stipulation.

Luke 6:32* For if ye love them which love you, what thank have ye?
for sinners also love those that love them.

This is the most used scenario of I love you in the world today, you know, if you'll go to bed with me, I'll love you more. Or, if you love me, you'll buy me such-n-such, you don't love me or you'd say yes.

I don't think I have to go on, you get the picture. I love you **BUT**, is to the hearer one of the biggest letdowns in a relationship. It actually translates, your OK but I, Me, Self, thinks it would be better if you seen it MY way and these are the same people that will call others self righteous. They will bask in Don't rock the boat, Political correctness and please as many unbelievers as they can. These are all actions that are spawned from the pits of Hell and those that do not have a personal relationship with Jesus, will swallow it, hook, line and sinker. Mind you, there are some skeptics that don't know what they believe, will refute these actions without any reason except that it's wrong. It's too bad, we don't have more professing Christians that think the same way against these things that are spawned in Hell. Just REMEMBER, Christianity is NOT a religion, but rather a way of life. You live Christianity, If people can't see your stand for Christ, (and I don't mean your preaching and condemning) and your love that oozes out of your heart and soul.

Matthew 5:16* Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works, and glorify your Father which is in heaven.

Many people will say, "I can't love them, their too opinionated" or "they hurt my feelings," when in all actuality they were or are convicted by their own conscience.

You see, you tell the things God the Holy Spirit tells you too, or the things that are right. If you worry about what man will say or do, you will never say or do the things that are right for fear of man.

2Timothy 1:7* For God hath not given us the spirit of fear; but of power, and of love, and of a sound mind.

And people wonder why there are no signs and wonders today?

God confirms HIS word with signs and wonders **FOLLOWING**.
Mark 16:20* **And they went forth, and preached every where, the Lord working with them, and confirming the word with signs following.**

But I love You - is real love, this is love unconditionally.

John 13:34* **A new commandment I give unto you, That ye love one another; as I have loved you, that ye also love one another.**

They spit on Jesus, pulled out his beard, falsely accused him, wouldn't believe him and even killed him. And all he did outside of miracles, was tell what the Father told him.

John 14:10* **Believest thou not that I am in the Father, and the Father in me? the words that I speak unto you I speak not of myself: but the Father that dwelleth in me, he doeth the works.**

You see, we can have the same Holy Spirit that Jesus had in him, all it takes is believing Jesus and not man. Worldly Man is of his father the devil and will lead you down the highway to Hell, whereas obedience to the word of God will lead you and all that will listen, down the narrow path to eternity with God.

Matthew 7:13* **Enter ye in at the strait gate: for wide is the gate, and broad is the way, that leadeth to destruction, and many there be which go in thereat:**

14* **Because strait is the gate, and narrow is the way, which leadeth unto life, and few there be that find it.**

When you sincerely ask the Lord for the same love he has for others to flow through you, out to others, you will be overwhelmed by the sensation or feeling that overshadows you when sharing with other people. It is not a sensuous type of love, but a holy type, especially when it comes to other disciples of Christ.

I trust this will give you a better understanding.

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