

Sunday AM Sermon – April 13, 2025

The Most Excellent Way

1 Corinthians 12:31-13:3, 13:13-14:1



In a world of consumers, all manufacturers claim to make the best product. In the world of relationships, Jesus said there is something better than faith, hope, and spiritual gifts: It's the way of love. That's the road we examine today.



1. Mark the number of times you hear these words:

Love –
Agape –
One another –

2. Why did the Corinthian church need an infusion of true love?
3. What made agape something new?
4. What did Paul say about love in 1 Corinthians 13?
5. How is agape different from romantic love?
6. Who provides a good example of giving up romantic love for agape?
7. How does agape complicate our lives?
8. First, agape is about being _____
9. How does fear mess up agape?
10. Second, agape is about _____
11. How did Jesus learn obedience?
12. Third, agape is about _____
13. Even with crucifixion looming over Him, what did Jesus do?
14. Fourth, agape is about _____
15. How is love connected to suffering?
16. How did Coach Carter's players practice love?



Faith Talk, Faith Walk

Spend time with family or friends (maybe over a meal or during a family devotional) discussing the following related to the sermon

Faith Talk: What do you think makes love so powerful? Explain.

Faith Walk: Practice the reality of agape, not the many counterfeits which are labeled love.

If you are here and have been touched or convicted by something said or done today we would love to study the Bible with you and introduce you more fully to our Savior, Jesus Christ. Just call the church office at 795-4377 and we will set something up. God bless you!

Next Sunday AM Sermon – Hope: A Coming Resurrection (Acts 23:1-8)