



## **SERMON NOTES**

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Scripture: John 3:16; Romans 8:31-39 (NAS)

“The God of Love Who Sent His Son”

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### **John 3:16**

16 "For God so loved the world, that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him shall not perish, but have eternal life.

### **Romans 8:31-39**

- 31 What then shall we say to these things? If God is for us, who is against us?  
32 He who did not spare His own Son, but delivered Him over for us all, how will He not also with Him freely give us all things?  
33 Who will bring a charge against God's elect? God is the one who justifies;  
34 who is the one who condemns? Christ Jesus is He who died, yes, rather who was raised, who is at the right hand of God, who also intercedes for us.  
35 Who will separate us from the love of Christ? Will tribulation, or distress, or persecution, or famine, or nakedness, or peril, or sword?  
36 Just as it is written, "FOR YOUR SAKE WE ARE BEING PUT TO DEATH ALL DAY LONG; WE WERE CONSIDERED AS SHEEP TO BE SLAUGHTERED."  
37 But in all these things we overwhelmingly conquer through Him who loved us.  
38 For I am convinced that neither death, nor life, nor angels, nor principalities, nor things present, nor things to come, nor powers,  
39 nor height, nor depth, nor any other created thing, will be able to separate us from the love of God, which is in Christ Jesus our Lord.

## **I. COMMUNICABLE ATTRIBUTES OF GOD**

- A. The God Of Peace Giving Us His Peace *Philippians 4:6,7*
- B. Incommunicable Attributes Of God—Belonging To God Alone
  - 1. Omniscience – all knowing
  - 2. Omnipresence – always present
  - 3. Omnipotence – all powerful

## **II. LOVE OF GOD**

- A. He Sent His Son *John 3:16*

- 1. Narrative of incarnation in Matthew and Luke
- 2. Declared in John 1:14, 3:16

- B. God Is Love *I John 4:8*

## **III. QUESTIONS THAT POINT US TO GOD'S LOVE** *Romans 8*

- A. What Shall We Say To These Things? *Romans 8:28-30*
- B. Who Is Against Us? *Genesis 22:2, 11-13*
- C. Who Will Bring A Charge? *Philippians 2:8-11; Romans 8:17*
- D. Who Is The One Who Condemns?
- E. Who Will Separate Us From The Love Of Christ?

## **IV. GOD'S LOVE IN US**

- A. Pray For This Love
- B. Directed Toward God And Man *Matthew 22:37-39*
- C. Evidenced In Keeping His Commandments *John 14:15*
- D. Love Made Visible In Us *I Corinthians 13:4-8*