

Messages From Mark! #6

The Magic Word! . . . LOVE . . .



Text: Mark 12:28-34

I. Introduction

- If you want to know which religion is true and genuine, then watch and see which one reveals God's love for this world!

II. We Serve A God Of Absolute Love

- Some things God says about Love in His Word . . . God is love!
- **John 3:16**
- **Romans 5:8**
- **2 Corinthians 13:11**
- **Ephesians 2:4-5**
- **Ephesians 5:2**
- **1 John 3:11**
- **1 John 4:7-8**
- To love another person is to see the face of God...from Les Miserables
- Christian life is built on loving these around us and serving others
- "Unhealthy people *want* love, but healthy people *give* it!"
- God IS Love! **1 John 4:8**

III. Who Are We To Love?

- *We begin with those who are closest to us!*
- Love can conquer life's challenges and hardships

IV. Love Never Stops At Home

- *What about those people who are difficult to love?*
- The true test of Christian love is how you treat those whom you deem to be undeserving of your love

V. Conclusion

- Christ-like live...do you have it?

- “Love God” and “Love your neighbor” are the two greatest commandments!
- Will you accept God’s love for you?