

# **“The Power Of Love”**

Lesson Text: **John 13:34-35.**

## **I. The Power Of Love: On Ourselves.**

- **1 Corinthians 13:4-7.**
- We Become A Better, Not Bitter Person- **Colossians 3:12-13.**
  - Hatred Is Ugly, Hurtful, & Repels Others- **Titus 3:3.**
  - Love Builds Trust, Opens Doors, Seeks To Help, & Helps & Believes The Best In Others....
- We Become More Like Our Father- **Matthew 5:44-48.**

## **II. The Power Of Love: For Others.**

- Our Love Can Change Lives- **Romans 12:17-21.**
- It Can Stop Anger And Hurtful Words- **Proverbs 15:1; I Peter 2:15.**
- This Is Why **James 1:19-20** Is So Important!

## **III. The Power Of Love: Draws Us To God.**

- What Jesus Did At The Cross! **John 12:32-33; 2 Corinthians 5:14.**
- God Gave His Son In His Love For Us! **John 3:14-17.**
- Love Draws Men To Jesus’ Church- **John 13:34-35.**

## **IV. The Power Of Love: Binds Us Together.**

- God’s Love For Us Brings Us Together- **1 Peter 1:18-23.**
- **Romans 12:9-16.**
  - Love of The Brethren Motivates Us:
    - To Pray For One Another- **Vs. 12; Acts 12:1-5.**
    - To Share What We Have- **Vs. 13; Acts 4:32-37.**
    - A Blessing To Others- **Vs. 14; 1 Peter 3:9.**
    - Sympathetic- **Vs. 15; Hebrews 13:3.**
    - Unified- **Vs. 16; Colossians 3:14.**

## **V. The Power Of God: Abides In Us.**

- We Are Commanded To Keep This Love- **1 John 3:24.**
- As We Express God’s Love For Us To Others- **1 John 4:12.**
- We Are To Abide In Love- **1 John 4:16.**
- Love Is Reciprocated To God By Keeping His Word- **John 14:23-24.**

**Conclusion: Psalm 32:10-11 (NASB).**