



## God's Unselfish Love

It's impossible to understand the one new man, Jew and Greek/Gentile, unless we understand the male and female. God gives us a type in order to understand the real. Just as the male and female were designed by God to be attracted and to love one another, there ought to also be a similar love attraction in the Jew-Gentile relationship as one completes the other.

For months now, the Lord has been giving me a deeper revelation on what divine love is. He's been showing me how each one of us can call love a different thing, but in reality, there is only one kind of love and it's God's love. God is Love.

The Greeks say that there are 4 loves. Storge/family love, fileo/friendship love, eros/erotic love and agape/divine love. I believe this is not totally accurate. I see in God that there is only one love, divine love, and it is the standard, the substance and the power of all expressions of love. In other words, I can love my friend with the same love as I love my husband or my neighbor or my child. The only difference is that we channel it differently, but it's the same power, the same passion, the same divine standard. We have learned to measure and compartmentalize love, to divide it into categories and to measure it out because our own "love" is self motivated and self focused, instead of God motivated.

*The love of God is shed abroad (Gk: gushes out, runs greedily (out), spills out, pours out) in our hearts by the Holy Spirit. Romans 5:5*

God's love gushes out. Contrariwise, we often withhold love's full measure.

God's divine love is unselfish (Gk: seeks not her own; I Cor 13:5). He calls us to pour out His powerful love on those around us.

*Love one another as I have loved you. John 13:34; John 15:12*

His love is enough for our husband, our wife, our friend, our neighbor, our dog, or even a stranger. There's enough love in the storehouse of God, but we have learned to measure and withhold the fulness of God's love. We say, "I love my husband this way, with this or that expression. I love my friend this way. I love my dog that way." No, my friend! GOD is LOVE! His love is a powerful endless ocean and as it mightily flows, we can direct it to each relationship in an appropriate way with an appropriate expression, but it's the same love with the same standard, power and substance. You can't love a friend or neighbor less than you love your mother because God is love. It may be expressed differently, but it's all God's love.

God's love is unselfish. We are called to become as unselfish as God in loving each other. We need to receive the revelation on how much God desires us to fully love one another as He has loved us. This has the power to release us into divine union with Him and with one another.

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