

# Christian Love

## Series: Summer Gains

*If you really keep the royal law found in Scripture, "Love your neighbor as yourself," you are doing right. James 2:8 (NIV)*

### The Strength Behind Christian Love

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### 3 Ways To Love People The Way God Loves People

#### 1. \_\_\_\_\_ The Way God Sees People

*So God created human beings in His own image. In the image of God He created them; male and female He created them. Genesis 1:27 (NLT)*

*For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life. John 3:16 (NIV)*

*We are asking God that you may see things, as it were, from his point of view by being given spiritual insight and understanding. Colossians 1:9 (Phillips)*

#### 2. \_\_\_\_\_ The Way God Values People

*What are you doing? You are making some people more important than others, and with evil thoughts you are deciding that one person is better. James 2:4 (NCV)*

*So you must show mercy to others, or God will not show mercy to you when he judges you. But the person who shows mercy can stand without fear at the judgment. James 2:13 (NCV)*

*God blesses those who are merciful, for they will be shown mercy. Matthew 5:7 (NLT)*

#### 3. \_\_\_\_\_ The Way God Cares For People

*The greatest among you must be a servant. Matthew 23:12 (NLT)*

#### The Motto

- "Make forgiveness common. Encourage others often. And look for ways to help."

*Make allowance for each other's faults, and forgive anyone who offends you. Remember, the Lord forgave you, so you must forgive others. Colossians 3:13 (NLT)*

*So encourage each other and build each other up, just as you are already doing. 1 Thessalonians 5:11 (NLT)*

*Share each other's burdens, and in this way obey the law of Christ. Galatians 6:2 (NLT)*