

The Perfect Love Of God

John 3:16-17

John 3:16 is perhaps the most well-known (and well-loved) verse in the Bible. It is certainly one of the most important verses in Scripture; for it contains the great message of the Gospel.

- The greatest giver (God)
- The greatest debtor (man)
- The greatest gift (Jesus Christ)
- The greatest destiny (Eternal life)
- The greatest love (the perfect love of God)
- The love of a good mother is the best representation on earth of this love.

1. Love requires _____ to love this way

- Jesus left his glorious kingdom
 - Jesus became one of us, live like and with us, and die for us to pay our debt
 - Good mothers have this type of commitment
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2. Love selflessly _____ for the love ones

- Jesus selflessly sacrificed when he voluntary accept our responsibility
 - Jesus selflessly sacrificed when he voluntary die at the cross for you and me
 - Good mothers selflessly sacrifice for their children.
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3. Love offers _____ and not judgment

- Jesus always welcome his people no matter what (Peter do love me? Feed my sheep!)
 - Jesus always speaks with kind words
 - Good mothers always welcome their children
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Application: How good do you represent this love?

“As the Father loved Me, I also have loved you; abide in My love. If you keep My commandments, you will abide in My love, just as I have kept My Father’s commandments and abide in His love. These things I have spoken to you, that My joy may remain in you, and that your joy may be full. This is My commandment, that you love one another as I have loved you. Greater love has no one than this, than to lay down one’s life for his friends.”

- John 15:9-13