

# 1 CORINTHIANS

*Seeing Life through the Mind of Christ*

Love: The Better Way

1 Corinthians 13

# Focus Verse

- Verse 13
- “Now these three remain: faith, hope, and love—but the greatest of these is love.”

# A Clanging Gong

- Verses 1 through 3
- Anything that you desire
- Anything that you could do
- Ecclesiastes 2:11
- Revelation 2
- Abandoned, without love?

# Love is...

- Verses 4 through 7
- Familiar verses
- Two of what love is
- Eight of what love is not
- Four characteristics of love
- Replace the names

# The Greatest of These

- Verses 8 through 13
- Partial versus the full
- Temporary verses the eternal
- Fully known
- Three remain
- The greatest is love





## Next steps

1. Think about this past week. Can you say that your life and choices were characterized by love?
2. What are three areas in which Paul lists about love can you try to work on this coming week?
3. Pray for Bethany Church. Pray that we would be a church body characterized by the love of God.