



CHRISTMAS A TIME OF LOVE
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John 3:16

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CHRISTMAS IS STILL A TIME OF LOVE.

God wants us to experience His HOPE – PEACE – HIS LOVE!!!

Why Love? Let me give you three reasons why Love....

I. Because Christmas was _____ by Love....

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“SO” = Greek =

II. God give us _____ of Love.

- Jesus was and is LOVE.... 1 John 4:16

¹⁶ And so we know and rely on the love God has for us. God is love. Whoever lives in love lives in God, and God in them.

- How did Jesus express his Love while He was on earth?

The gift of love was expressed in:

- Empathy. In Matt. 9. When he saw Matthew sitting at the tax table...
- Kindness. In John 4. The Samaritan woman
- Compassion. In Matt. 9. He saw the crowds, he was move to compassion..
- Forgiveness. In John 8. When they brought the adulteress woman

I am not asking you if others have acted in love towards you!...

1 Peter 4:8

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Χριστός (chrīstós)

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