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"The Perfect Love of God" Pt.3.

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"Helping people experience the hope found in a life-changing relationship with Jesus".

Have you ever found yourself looking for perfect love at any point in your life?

1 John 4:8 ....because God is love.

## Psalm 139

<sup>1</sup> You have searched me, Lord, and you know me. <sup>2</sup> You know when I sit and when I rise; you perceive my thoughts from afar. <sup>3</sup> You discern my going out and my lying down; you are familiar with all my ways. <sup>4</sup> Before a word is on my tongue you, Lord, know it completely. <sup>5</sup> You hem me in behind and before, and you lay your hand upon me. <sup>6</sup> Such knowledge is too wonderful for me, too lofty for me to attain.

<sup>7</sup> Where can I go from your Spirit? Where can I flee from your presence? <sup>8</sup> If I go up to the heavens, you are there; if I make my bed in the depths, you are there. <sup>9</sup> If I rise on the wings of the dawn, if I settle on the far side of the sea, <sup>10</sup> even there your hand will guide me, your right hand will hold me fast. <sup>11</sup> If I say, "Surely the darkness will hide me and the light become night around me," <sup>12</sup> even the darkness will not be dark to you; the night will shine like the day, for darkness is as light to you.

Here are some reasons that tell us why God's love is the perfect love that we need

1. God's perfect Love, "Chooses to love you as are". Psalm 139:1-6

2. God's Perfect Love "Will find You". Psalm 139:7-12.

**3.** God's Perfect Love <u>"Will Guide You"</u> V. 10. <sup>10</sup> even there your hand will guide me, your right hand will hold me fast.





Psalm 32:8

8 I will instruct you and teach you in the way you should go; I will counsel you with my loving eye on you.

**4.** God's Perfect Love <u>"Drives Out Your Fears"</u>. 1 John 4:18

18 There is no fear in love. But perfect love drives out fear, because fear has to do with punishment. The one who fears is not made perfect in love.

**5.** God's Perfect Love <u>"Will not Change".</u> Isa. 54:10.

Though the mountains move and the hills shake, my love will not be removed from you

What does God expect from us since we have experienced His perfect Love?

John 13:34-35

.... Love one another. As I have loved you, so you must love one another.<sup>35</sup> By this everyone will know that you are my disciples, if you love one another."

We have experienced His love through His **Compassion** and **Mercy**.

Lam. 3:22-23

The steadfast love of the Lord never ceases; his mercies never come to an end; <sup>23</sup> they are new every morning; great is your faithfulness.

Conclusion:

'There is nothing we can do to make God love us more and there is nothing we can do to make God love us less'

