

*Called To be*  
**Saints**

STUDIES IN FIRST CORINTHIANS

## Romans 5:8

**“But God commendeth his love toward us, in that, while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us.”**

## John 15:13

**“Greater love hath no man than this,  
that a man lay down his life for  
his friends.”**

***Love: The More  
Excellent Way***

**1 Corinthians 13:1-3**

## John 13:35

**“By this shall all men know that ye  
are my disciples, if ye have love  
one to another.”**

*eros*

*philia*

*storge*

*agape*

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## Galatians 5:22-23

**“But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, longsuffering, gentleness, goodness, faith, meekness, temperance: against such there is no law.”**



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## 1 Peter 1:22-23

**“Seeing ye have purified your souls in obeying the truth through the Spirit unto unfeigned love of the brethren, see that ye love one another with a pure heart fervently: 23 Being born again, not of corruptible seed, but of incorruptible, by the word of God, which liveth and abideth for ever.”**

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