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Week of September 13, 2026

Don't Believe Everything You Hear

1 John 4:1-6

1. The test of truth is _____

1 John 4:2; 1 Corinthians 12:3

Love, Love and More Love

1 John 4:7-21

1. God is the _____ and _____ of love.

1 John 4:7-8, 16

2. Our _____ for _____ is demonstrated in _____.

1 John 4:7-8, 20-21

3. The cross is the _____ of God's _____ and the means by which he _____ us _____.

1 John 4:9-10; Romans 5:8

You Can Know God Loves You

4. God's love _____ our _____.

1 John 4:10, 19

5. God is the _____ by which we _____.

1 John 4:12-13; Romans 5:5

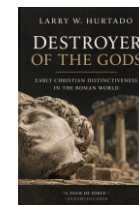
Memory Verse

"This is love: not that we loved God, but that he loved us and sent his Son as an atoning sacrifice for our sins."

1 John 4:10

Recommended Resource:

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MY NEXT STEP IS TO . . .

- ☐ Trust Jesus and begin following Him as my Lord and Savior for the first time today.
- ☐ Memorize 1 John 4:10.
- ☐ Identify where I'm trying to earn God's love and remind myself that His love comes first.
- ☐ Choose one person I can intentionally love through a concrete act this week.
- ☐ Get the most out of each Sunday's teaching by signing up to join a life group.





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1. God is the source and definition of love.

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2. Our love for God is demonstrated in loving others.

1 John 4:7-8, 20-21

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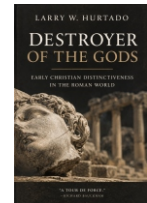
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