

"Pursue Love"

1 Cor 13-14:1(**ref**)

Four Types of Love

1. Brotherly Love "Abaha", "Philia"
2. Family Love "Storge"
3. Romantic Love "Eros"
4. Sacrificial, Selfless, Unconditional "Agape"

God's Agape For The People He Created

~ Romans 5:8, Ephesians 2:4-5, John 3:16 (**refs**)

~ Love in action! The Cross!

~ Romans 5:5 "agape of God poured out in your hearts"

~ Galatians 5:22 "fruit of love"

The Christian's Agape For One Another

~ John 13:34-35 (**written out NKJV**)

The Christian's Love For The Lost ~ Matthew 5:44-45a (**written out**)

The Love Chapter 1 Cor 13 (**ref**)

1. Gifts and Ministries v1-3 (**ref**)
2. Agape Defined v4-8a (**ref**)
3. Now and Then v8b-12 (**ref**)
4. Pursue Love v13-14:1a (**ref**)

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1. Get Humble! 1 Peter 5:7-9 (**ref**)

~ v7 "Humble yourselves under the mighty hand of God and He will lift you up"

~ v7-9 "pray, sober, resist the devil, steadfast in faith"

2. Think Positive! Philippians 4:8 (**ref**)

~ "true, noble, pure, lovely, good report,
virtuous, praiseworthy"

~ "meditate"

~ Jeremiah 29:11 "peace, future, hope"

3. Act! James 1:22 (**ref**)

~ "Be doers of the Word and not hearers only"

~ James 2:17, Matthew 5:16 (**refs**)

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~ God's Agape For The World

~ Churches Agape For Each Other

~ Churches Agape For The Lost

"When in Christ, the only thing that matters is
faith working through love"

Galatians 5:6 (para)