

**October 25, 2017**  
**“Becoming the Person God wants you to be**  
**Through Affection and Love”**  
**2 Peter 1:5-7; I Corinthians 13:1-8**

**I. Understand Love’s Importance (13:1-3)**

- A. Love Is to Indwell All That We Say “*If I speak human or angelic languages*”**
- B. Love Is to Indwell All That We Know “*If I have the gift of prophecy and understand all mysteries and all knowledge, and if I have all faith. . .but do not have love, I am nothing.*” (2)**
- C. Love Is to Indwell All That We Do “*And if I donate all my goods to feed the poor, and if I give my body in order to boast, but do not have love, I gain nothing.*” (3)**

**II. Demonstrate Love’s Importance (13:4-7)**

- A. “*patient*” - literally “*suffers long*” especially with people.**
- B. “*is kind*”**
- C. “*does not envy*”**
- D. “*is not boastful*”**
- E. “*is not conceited*”**
- F. “*does not act improperly*”**
- G. “*is not selfish*”**
- H. “*is not provoked*”**
- I. “*does not keep a record of wrongs*”**
- J. “*finds no joy in unrighteousness*”**
- K. “*rejoices in the truth*”**

L. *“bears all things”*

M. *“believes all things”*

N. *“hopes all things”*

O. *“endures all things”*

III. Continue in Love to the Last *“love never ends”* (8)

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