

A close-up, low-angle shot of a person's legs walking barefoot on a path. The person is wearing a white, lace-trimmed skirt. The background is a bright, golden sunset with a large sun in the upper right corner, creating a strong lens flare and illuminating the scene with warm, golden light. The path is covered in dry leaves and twigs. The overall mood is peaceful and contemplative.

Walking in the Light

1 John



That's Gonna Leave a Mark

1 John 3:10-24

Whoever does not do what is right is not of God, especially the one who does not love his brother. For this is the message you have heard from the beginning: we should love one another, unlike Cain, who was of the evil one and murdered his brother. And why did he murder him? Because his works were evil, and his brother's were righteous.

Do not be surprised, brothers, if the world hates you. We know that we have passed from death to life because we love our brothers. The one who does not love remains in death. Everyone who hates his brother is a murderer, and you know that no murderer has eternal life residing in him. This is how we have come to know love: He laid down His

life for us. We should also lay down our lives for our brothers. If anyone has this world's goods and sees his brother in need but shuts off his compassion from him—how can God's love reside in him? Little children, we must not love in word or speech, but in deed and truth; that is how we will know we are of the truth, and will convince our hearts in His

**presence, because if our hearts condemn us,
God is greater than our hearts and knows all
things. Dear friends, if our hearts do not
condemn us we have confidence before God,
and can receive whatever we ask from Him
because we keep His commands and do what
is pleasing in His sight. Now this is His
command: that we believe in the name of His**

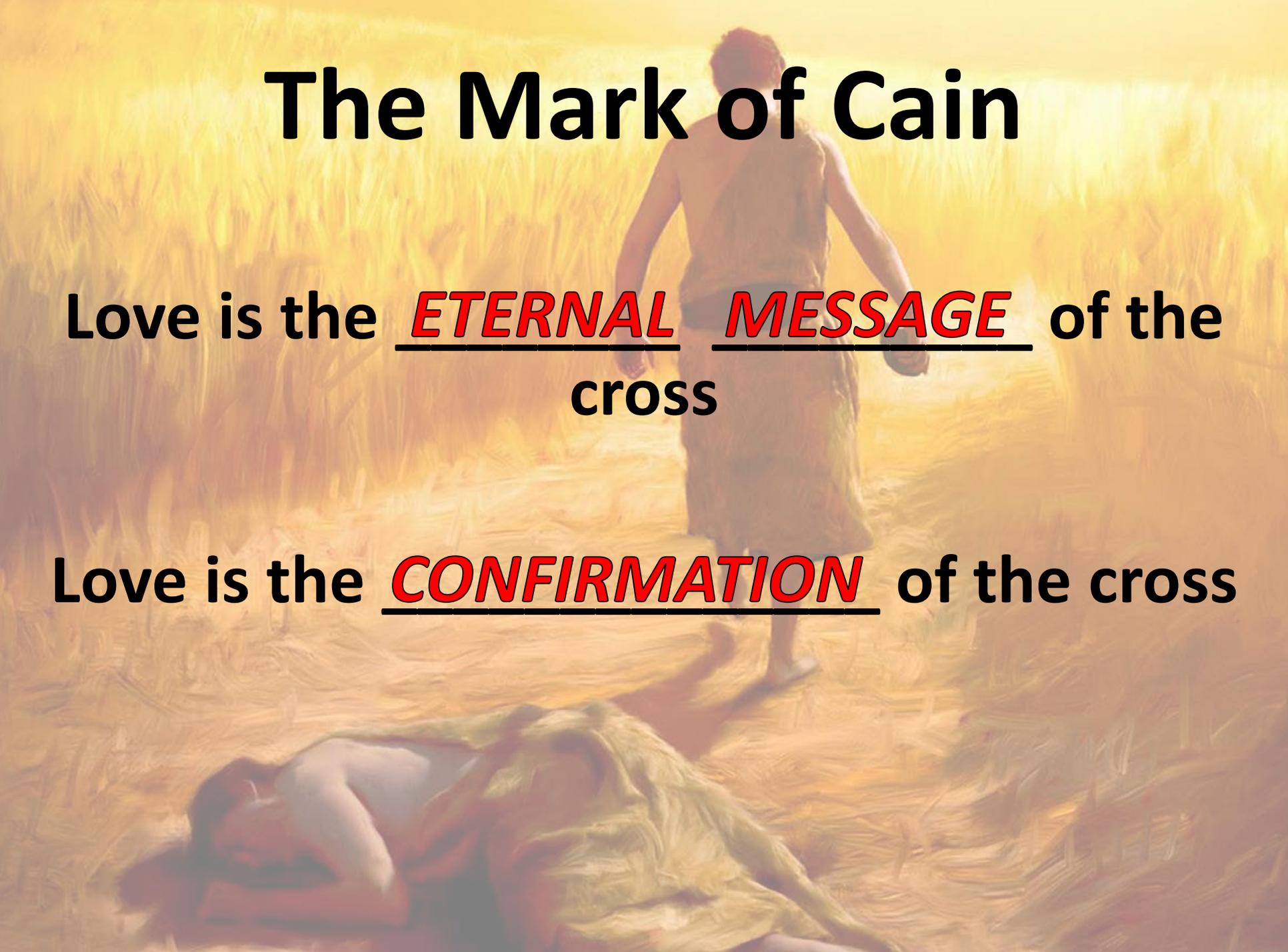
**Son Jesus Christ, and love one another as He
commanded us. The one who keeps His
commands remains in Him, and He in him.
And the way we know that He remains in us
is from the Spirit He has given us.**



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The Mark of Cain



Love is the **ETERNAL MESSAGE** of the
cross

Love is the **CONFIRMATION** of the cross

The Mark of the Cross

Love manifests in **GENEROSITY** to those
in need

Love is a **MARKER** & **CONVICTOR** of the
Truth

God's command is to **RESPOND** in love

What About You?

Do you believe in the name of Jesus the Christ

Whose mark is on you?