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Sacrificing himself for the chance to gain back a fearful, hopeless, unfocussed and prideful human race so that they could lived in His peace.

It is the act of giving. It is also unconditional not in terms of feelings or emotions but in God's perfectly ways of love.

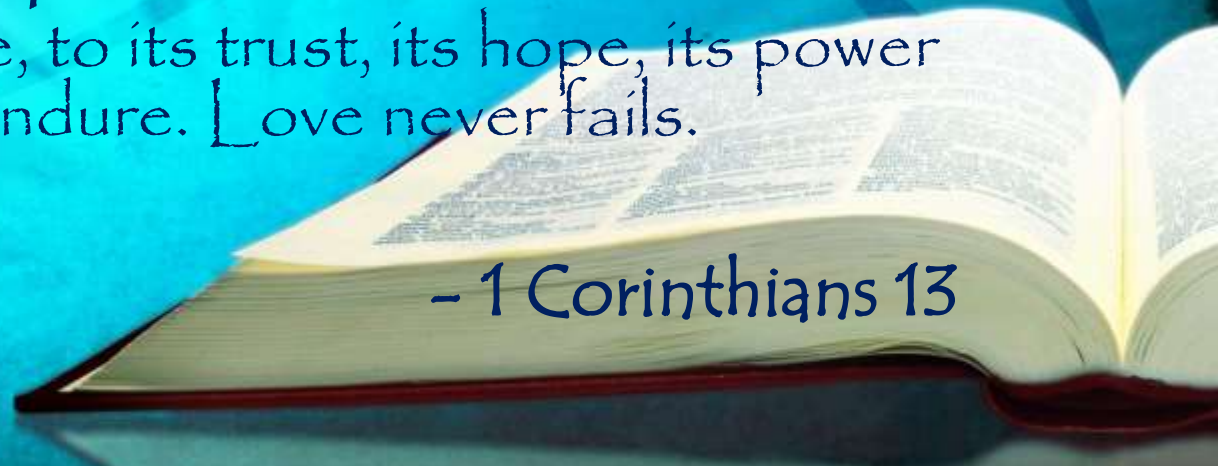
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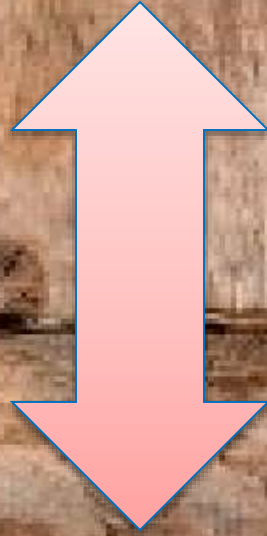


Love is patient. Love is kind. Love is not jealous, it does not put on airs, it is not snobbish. Love is never rude, it is not self-seeking, it is not prone to anger; neither does it brood over injuries. Love does not rejoice in what is wrong but rejoices with the truth. There is no limit to love's forbearance, to its trust, its hope, its power to endure. Love never fails.

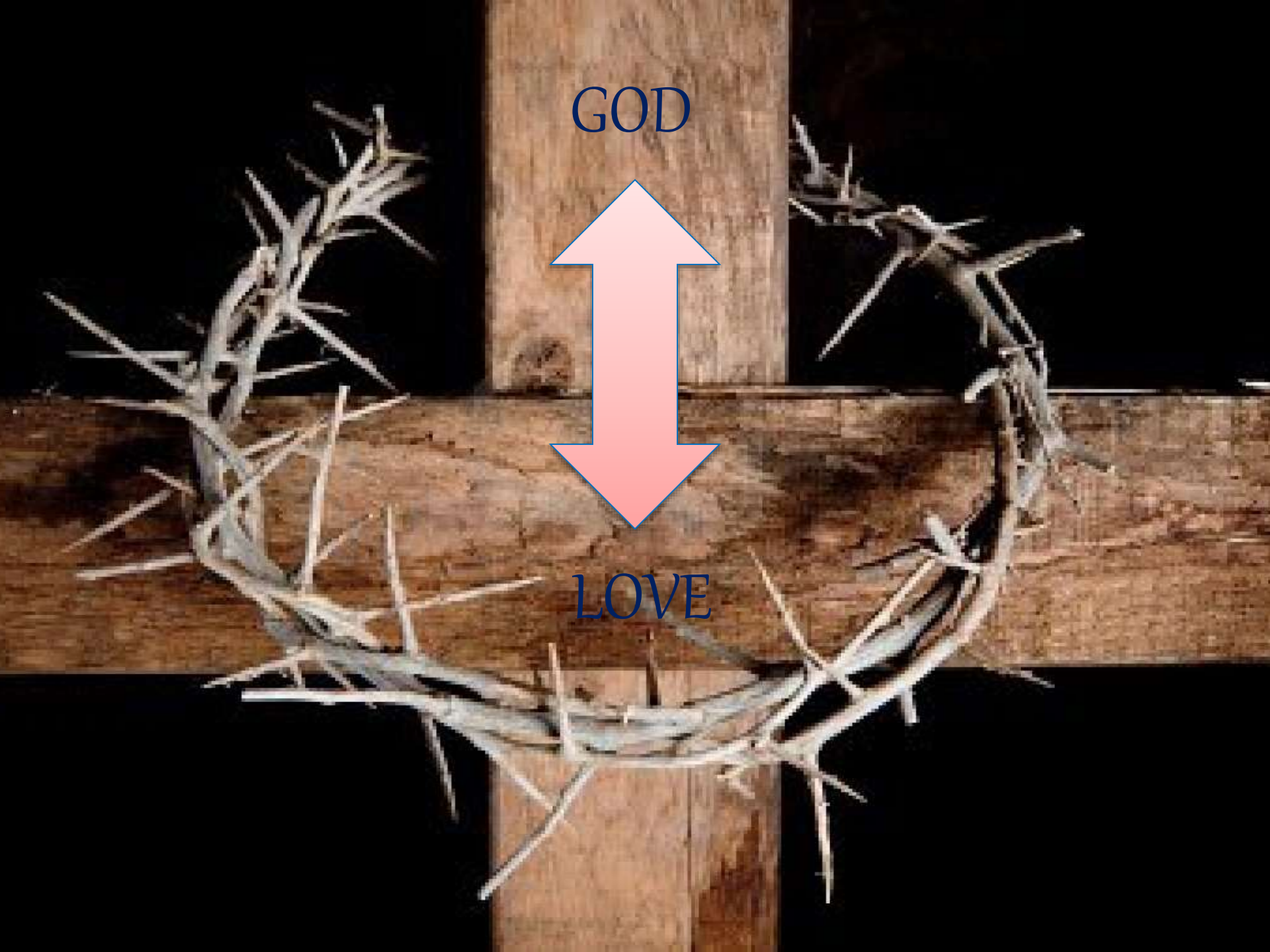
- 1 Corinthians 13



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The Four Loves

Storge – Affection

- Affection (storge, **στοργή**) is fondness through familiarity (a brotherly love), especially between family members or people who have otherwise found themselves together by chance.

Philia – Friendship

- Philia (Greek: φιλία) is the love between friends. Friendship is the strong bond existing between people who share common interest or activity.

Eros ~ Romance

- Eros (ἔρως) love in the sense of 'being in love' or 'loving' someone

Agape ~ Unconditional Love

- Charity (agapē, ἀγάπη) is the love that brings forth caring regardless of the circumstance. Lewis recognizes this as the greatest of loves, and sees it as a specifically Christian virtue.



God's Love

- No limits
- Unending
- Unconditional

Man's Love

- Conditional
- Wants something in return
- Bargaining, "I love you but..."

God's Letter



For God so loved the world
that He gave His only Son,
that whoever believes In him may
not die but may have eternal
life.

- John 3:16

