December 16, 2021. 1corinthians 13:4-5, Jn 3:16 Title: The Gift of Love That Endures

**Introduction**: 1 Corinthians 13 is commonly known as, "The Love Chapter". This chapter is applicable and relevant to Christmas time.

## It is a display of Love

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The gifts that we give to each other are usually expressions of love. They are an attempt to show someone that we care about them, and we want to give physical expression in something that we hope they will love and enjoy.

Jn 3:16"For God so loved the world, that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life." John 3:16

## 1.What is Given?

You can measure God's love by what He gives. The gift itself helps us to see the dimension of God's love for us.

## 2. To whom is it given?

You can measure the love of God not just by the gift but by those to whom the gift is given. "For God so loved." What is the object of God's love?"

In John's gospel, the phrase, "the world," is used in a very specific way.

## **Conclusion: The Good News of Christmas**

The love-gift of God is yours; you only need to take it by faith in Jesus Christ. Believe in Jesus Christ and you shall be saved. That is the good news for Christmas.