



Seven Sides of Jesus, Pt. 5
The Lover, John 15:9-25
By Louie Marsh, 4-2-2017

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⁸ By this my Father is glorified, that you bear much fruit and so prove to be my disciples. John 15:8 (ESV)

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- **Jesus defines what love is - _____:**

¹⁶ This is how we know what love is: Jesus Christ laid down his life for us. And we ought to lay down our lives for our brothers. ¹ John 3:16 (NIV)

- **Godly love is always _____**

¹³ Greater love has no one than this, that someone lay down his life for his friends. John 15:13 (ESV)

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¹⁴ You are my friends if you do what I command you. ¹⁵ No longer do I call you servants, for the servant does not know what his master is doing; but I have called you friends, for all that I have heard from my Father I have made known to you. ¹⁶ You did not choose me, but I chose you and appointed you that you should go and bear fruit and that your fruit should abide, so that whatever you ask the Father in my name, he may give it to you. John 15:14-16 (ESV)

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¹⁸ "If the world hates you, know that it has hated me before it hated you. ¹⁹ If you were of the world, the world would love you as its own; but because you are not of the world, but I chose you out of the world, therefore the world hates you. John 15:18-19 (ESV)

- **God's love exposes the truth and makes us _____**

²² If I had not come and spoken to them, they would not have been guilty of sin, but now they have no excuse for their sin. ²³ Whoever hates me hates my Father also. ²⁴ If I had not done among them the works that no one else did, they would not be guilty of sin, but now they have seen and hated both me and my Father. ²⁵ But the word that is written in their Law must be fulfilled: 'They hated me without a cause.' John 15:22-25 (ESV)



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