

THE LOVE OF GOD!

John 4:7-10

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I. THE FIRST WORD IS EROS!

- A. This means physical or sexual love.
- B. This love has imperfections in that it is selfish!

II. THE SECOND WORD IS PHILEO!

- A. This means friendship or brotherly love.
- B. This type of love is often temporary!

III. THE THIRD WORD IS AGAPE!

- A. This is the word used in our text, "God is agape".
- B. This means a love that is willing to sacrifice to make the object of the love feel loved!
- C. Erotic love becomes all it should be when governed by agape love!
- D. Phileo love is perfected when under the umbrella of agape love!

I Corinthians 13 (Message)