

HOW GOD'S LOVE REIGNS OVER YOUR PRESENT

MATTHEW 28:16-20; EPHESIANS 1:15-20

I. By Giving Us a _____.

Mat 28:19-20

2 Corinthians 5:19-20 *"[God] has committed to us the word of reconciliation. Now then, we are ambassadors for Christ."*

II. By Overcoming Our _____.

Eph 1:18-19

2 Timothy 1:7 *"For God has not given us a spirit of fear, but of power and of love and of a sound mind."*

James 1:2-4 (ESV) *"Count it all joy, my brothers, when you meet trials of various kinds, for you know that the testing of your faith produces steadfastness. And let steadfastness have its full effect, that you may be perfect and complete, lacking in nothing."*

Circumstance: Incurable _____.

2 Corinthians 12:9-10 *"And He said to me, 'My grace is sufficient for you, for My strength is made perfect in weakness.' Therefore most gladly I will rather boast in my infirmities, that the power of Christ may rest upon me. Therefore I take pleasure in infirmities, in reproaches, in needs, in persecutions, in distresses, for Christ's sake. For when I am weak, then I am strong."*

My Response: _____.

Philippians 4:13 *"I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me."*

John 15:5 [Jesus said] *"Apart from me you can do nothing."*

Habakkuk 3:19 *"The LORD God is my strength; He will make my feet like deer's feet, And He will make me walk on my high hills."*

Circumstance: Unreasonable _____.

My Response: _____.

Matthew 5:44 *"But I say to you, love your enemies, bless those who curse you, do good to those who hate you, and pray for those who spitefully use you and persecute you."*

Eph 4:2 (ESV) *"with all humility and gentleness, with patience, bearing with one another in love."*

Romans 12:18 *"If it is possible, as much as depends on you, live peaceably with all men."*

Eph 3:17-19 *"...that you, being rooted and grounded in love, may be able to comprehend with all the saints what is the width and length and depth and height-- to know the love of Christ which passes knowledge; that you may be filled with all the fullness of God."*

Circumstance: Impossible _____.

Isa 41:13 *"For I, the LORD your God, will hold your right hand, Saying to you, 'Fear not, I will help you.'"*

Luke 18:27 *"The things which are impossible with men are possible with God."*

My Response: _____.

Heb 4:16 *"Let us therefore come boldly to the throne of grace, that we may obtain mercy and find grace to help in time of need."*

Jer 32:17 *"Ah, Lord GOD! Behold, You have made the heavens and the earth by Your great power and outstretched arm. There is nothing too hard for You."*