

Hindering Love

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The Lord that all believers serve is Love. He is the one Source of perfect, unfailing Love. Love that is sacrificial, impartial, and permanent. His gift of the Holy Spirit grows love and affection inside of us for all people. Which produces fruit ~~such~~ such as compassion, forgiveness, patient, considerate, and concerned thoughts towards others.

I often pray for the Lord to show anything in my heart that would keep me from praying with His Love. Are there any grievances there? Anger? An unforgiving spirit? Resentment toward anyone in my past, or in my present? Envy or jealousy? Critical attitudes? Selfishness or pride? Anything else that hinders Love?

All of these natural human emotions are hinderances for the Lord's Love to flow through us properly. Taking the initiative to restore broken or damaged relationships will help the Spirit flood our hearts with God's Love, washing away any unloving attitudes.

Eventually, God's Love which is pure and warm, will flow through us towards every person our lives touch day by day. I pray my words touch every person reading this passage, which was composed with God's unhindered Love. May you become a fragrance of Christ to all unbelievers. ☺

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