

**Walk in Love**  
**1 John 3:11-3:24**

**Main Point**

Be like Jesus by loving his church

**Text**

This is the message you have heard from the beginning (3:11)

*We should love one another*

Don't be like Cain (3:12)

Of the evil one - Laid his brother down for himself

Don't be surprised by hatred (3:13)

Children of darkness/evil one have always hated children of light/God

Do be like Jesus (3:16)

The only begotten of the Father - Laid down his life for his brothers

Do love in deed and truth (3:18)

Our vocabulary must be integrated with our vocation

If we have the *ability* and the *opportunity* but fail in our *delivery*  
we have not loved as God has loved.

Do be assured (3:19-22)

When our hearts *condemn* us, *God is greater than our hearts* (v.20)

When our hearts *don't condemn* us, *we have confidence* (v.21)

This is His commandment (3:23)

*That we believe in the name of his Son Jesus Christ*

*That we love one another*

Whoever keeps his commandments (3:24)

Abides in God

God abides in him

Sealed by the Spirit

**Response**

Are you connected to God's church?

Where might you have the ability and opportunity to deliver God's love?