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A STUDY IN 1ST CORINTHIANS 13

1st Corinthians 13:4-8

Love is patient, love is kind. Love does not envy, it does not boast, it is not proud. It does not dishonor others, it is NOT SELF-SEEKING, it is not easily angered, it keeps no record of wrongs. Love does not delight in evil but rejoices with the truth. It always protects, always trusts, always hopes, always perseveres. Love never fails.

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“This is AGAPE: not that we loved God, but
that He loved us and sent His Son as an
atoning sacrifice for our sins.”

1st John 4:10

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“Whoever seeks their life will lose it, and
whoever loses their life for my sake will find it!”

Matthew 10:39

The Paradox of Self-Seeking

The loneliest, most miserable people in the world are those who devote themselves — to themselves

The most joyful person who ever lived—*the most loved person in world-history*—is the One whose life defines Agape-love

