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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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- Is there someone who gets the SILENT treatment from you?

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- Do you have a critical attitude toward anybody?
- Do you find yourself talking negatively about some people?

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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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“God was reconciling the world to Himself in Christ, not recording people's wrongs against them. And He has committed to us this message of reconciliation.”

2 Corinthians 5:19

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