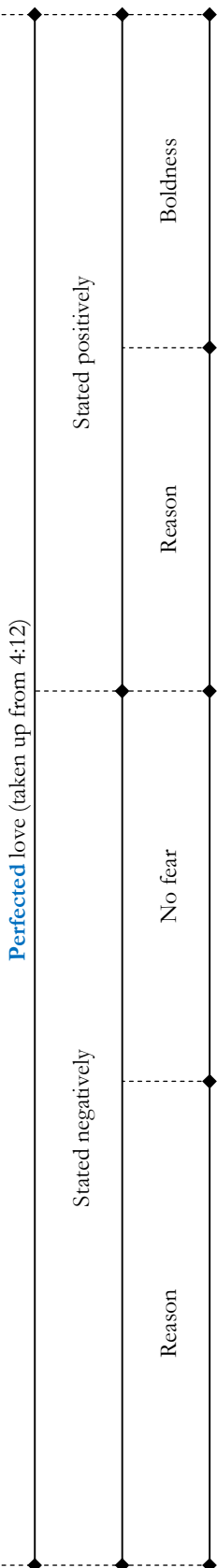


# I John 4:17 – 5:4

*Love One Another – Part 2*



<sup>17</sup> Herein  
is our **love**  
made **perfect**,  
that  
we may have boldness  
in the day of judgment:  
because  
as  
he is,  
so  
are we  
in this world.

<sup>18</sup> There is  
no fear  
in **love**;  
but  
**perfect love**  
casteth out  
fear:  
because  
fear  
hath torment.  
He  
that feareth  
is not  
made **perfect**  
in **love**.

Practical implications

Obligation to love – the logical argument (refutation of false claim)

Origin of love

Counterargument

Consequence

Claim

...born of His love.

Our love...

<sup>19</sup> We

**love**

him,

because

he

first **loved**

us.

<sup>20</sup> If

a man

say,

“I **love** God”, and

hateth

his brother,

[then]

he

is a liar:

for

he

that **loveth** not

his brother

whom

he hath seen,

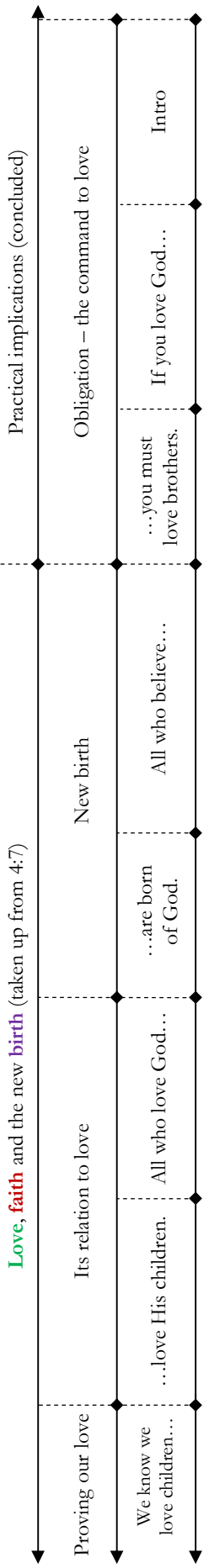
how

can he **love**

God

whom

he hath not seen?



<sup>21</sup> And  
 this commandment  
 have we  
 from him,  
 That  
 he who  
**loveth**  
 God  
**love**  
 his brother  
 also.

<sup>1</sup> Whosoever  
**believeth** ←  
 that  
 Jesus  
 is the Christ  
 is  
**born**  
 of God: and  
 every one  
 that **loveth**  
 him  
 that **begat**  
**loveth**  
 him also  
 that is **begotten**  
 of him.

**“Believe/Faith”**  
*frames vv. 1-5*

<sup>2</sup> By this  
 we know

Love, faith and the new birth (concluded)

Love of God defined

Proving our love (concluded)

Proof that they are not grievous

Commands described

Keep His commands

Intro

..when we love Him and keep His commandments.

Love His children (concl)

that  
we **love**  
the children of God,  
when  
we  
**love**  
God, and  
keep  
his commandments.  
<sup>3</sup> For  
this  
is the **love**  
of God,  
that  
we keep  
his commandments: and  
his commandments  
are not grievous.  
<sup>4</sup> For  
whatsoever  
is **born**  
of God  
overcometh  
the world: and  
this  
is the victory  
that overcometh  
the world,  
*even* our **faith**.

↑  
"Believe/Faith"  
frames iv.1-5