Locked INTO God's Love Jude 20-21 Short Books with Powerful Messages, part 8

- We need to lock ourselves into the love of Jesus and throw the key away. Keep yourselves IN the love of God. Not <u>under</u> but <u>in the sphere</u> of His love!
- We are living in intensely <u>secular</u> times. That is, many people all around us have constructed an existence without God, and it's as if they don't miss Him.
- This passage answers the question: how can we remain faithful to God in a secular age? What are we to do?
- The true <u>COMMAND</u> in this passage, surrounded by three helping verbs is: "KEEP yourselves in the Love of God."

John 15:9, 10; As the Father hath loved me, so have I loved you: continue ye in my love. If ye keep my commandments, ye shall abide in my love; even as I have kept my Father's commandments, and abide in His love.

 So since we all live in this secular age, we must lock ourselves up in the love our our Great God. We do this by:

1. Growing in THE Faith

May I ask you lovingly but directly: are you growing spiritually?

Acts 20:32: And now, brethren, I commend you to God, and to the word of His grace, which is able to build you up, and to give you an inheritance among all them which are sanctified.

2. Praying in the Spirit

• Praying in the Spirit means that the Spirit indwelling us, intercedes for us and illumines us to pray.

3. Looking for His Mercy