

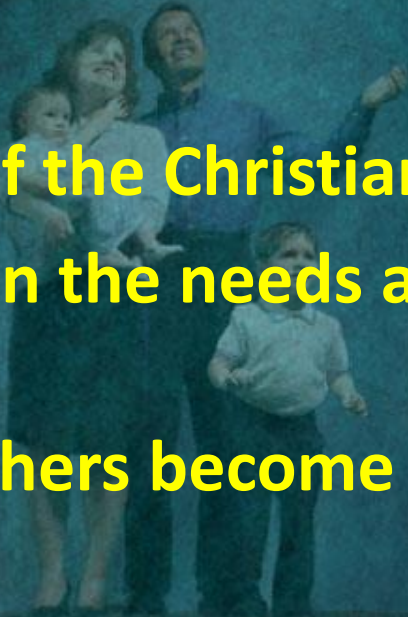


Love in the Family of God

Romans 12:9-13

Personal Duties

- The greatest virtue of the Christian life is love.
- Agape love centers on the needs and welfare of the one loved.
- Sincere love helps others become better Christians.
- As servants of Christ, we are to bind ourselves to what is good.
- You cannot hold a grip on what is good until you hate what is evil.



Duties to the Family of God

- The bonds which unite God's family are more secure and longer lasting than those that bind earthly families.
- Love in the Christian family is to express itself in mutual honor as well as mutual affection.
- Whatever is worth doing in the Lord's service is worth doing with diligence.
- Without rejoicing in hope, the Christian life is hard to endure.
- Faithful prayer should be a natural part of a Christian's spiritual life like breathing is a natural part of our physical life.

Conclusion

- The Christian's life cannot be lived without Christians loving each other.
- God designed the church so that its members would collectively contribute to the strength of the whole.
- God has brought us together to glorify Him and build His church.

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