



# Love Letters: We Are Loved To Be Love

## Inseparable Love

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1 John 4:7-21

John's statement that "God is love" reveals way more than what God does, it reveals who He is. Agape love can be defined as:

1 Corinthians 13:4-7 (NIV)

Perfected (τελειόω) in verse 12 is defined as:

Love for God and love for others is inseparable.

1 John 4:17-18

As we agape love others, our confidence grows and our fear diminishes.

### REFLECTION QUESTIONS

1. Is it a stretch for you to equate your love for others with your love for God in the way John has? Are there excuses you subtly tell yourself to provide a loophole?
2. Is there a recent situation where it's been hard to celebrate with someone else's success or superiority, and where resentment or criticism has crept in?