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SACRIFICIAL LOVE

1 CORINTHIANS 13:4-7
PS. HELEN IBOM

1 Corinthians 13:4–7 (NIV)

4 Love is patient, love is kind. It does not envy, it does not boast, it is not proud. 5 It does not dishonor others, it is not self-seeking, it is not easily angered, it keeps no record of wrongs. 6 Love does not delight in evil but rejoices with the truth. 7 It always protects, always trusts, always hopes, always perseveres.

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INTRODUCTION

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OUR VISION:

To raise up anointed disciple-makers who are empowered to change
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Luke 12:32 (NIV)

³²“Do not be afraid, little flock, for your Father has been pleased to give you the kingdom.

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SACRIFICIAL LOVE IS GRACIOUS

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Ephesians 4:32 (ESV)

32 Be kind to one another, tenderhearted, forgiving one another, as God in Christ forgave you.

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PUTS OTHERS FIRST

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1 Corinthians 13:4b-5a (NIV)

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Philippians 2:3–4 (NIV)

3 Do nothing out of selfish ambition or vain conceit. Rather, in humility value others above yourselves, 4 not looking to your own interests but each of you to the interests of the others.

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PRODUCES SELF CONTROL

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1 Corinthians 13:5b (NIV)

5 ... it is not easily angered, it keeps no record of wrongs.

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Proverbs 14:29 (ESV)

29 Whoever is slow to anger has great understanding, but he who has a hasty temper exalts folly.

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REJOICES WITH
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1 Corinthians 13:6 (ESV)

6 it does not rejoice at wrongdoing, but rejoices with the truth.

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3 John 3 (ESV)

3 For I rejoiced greatly when the brothers came and testified to your truth, as indeed you are walking in the truth.

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7 It always protects, always trusts, always hopes, always perseveres.

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1 Peter 4:8 (NIV)

8 Above all, love each other deeply, because love covers over a multitude of sins.

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CONCLUSION

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John 15:13 (ESV)

13 Greater love has no one than this, that someone lay down his life for nothing his friends.

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