

## **I. Introduction**

### **II. God is Love**

#### **John 3:16 (NKJV)**

16 For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have everlasting life.

#### **1 John 4:8 (NKJV)**

8 He who does not love does not know God, for God is love.

1. **The World Needs the Love of God.**

### **III. The Motive of God's Gift:**

**A. Gods motive for Christmas was love.**

**B. God loves you like you are right now.**

### **IV. God's greatest Gift is Love.**

**A. God's Love gave His son Jesus.**

### **V. Our Action of Love**

#### **1 John 4:7-12 (NLT)**

7 Dear friends, let us continue to love one another, for love comes from God. Anyone who loves is a child of God and knows God.

8 But anyone who does not love does not know God, for God is love.

9 God showed how much he loved us by sending his one and only Son into the world so that we might have eternal life through him.

10 This is real love—not that we loved God, but that he loved us and sent his Son as a sacrifice to take away our sins.

11 Dear friends, since God loved us that much, we surely ought to love each other.

12 No one has ever seen God. But if we love each other, God lives in us, and his love is brought to full expression in us.

**A.1- We need to receive His Love by knowing God.**

**B.2- We need to love others.**

### **VI. Closing:**