A child of God living out love will...

1. Reject the Antithesis of Love (v. 11-15)

John 13:35

“Love is always more multifaceted than it seems. Colossians 3:12-14 describes love’s coat of many colors. “As God’s chosen people, holy and dearly loved, clothe yourselves with compassion, kindness, humility, gentleness and patience. Bear with each other and forgive one another if any of you has a grievance against someone. Forgive as the Lord forgave you. And over all these virtues put on love, which binds them all together in perfect unity.”
- Lee Eclov, *Feels Like Home* (pp. 63-64)

John 15:18-21

1 Peter 3:8-9, 13-16

2. Look to the Apex of Love (v. 16-18)

James 2:14-17

3. Rest in the Assurance of Love (v. 19-24)

“By this we shall know that we are of the truth and reassure our heart before him; for whenever our heart condemns us, God is greater than our heart, and he knows everything.”
(1 John 3:19-20, ESV)

Romans 8:31-35a

Assurance in Christ leads to Confidence...
- In His Presence (v. 21)
- In Prayer (v. 22)
- In His Promise (v. 24)