

## 2 Wednesday February 13 2019 God's Perfect Love

### Hymns

Hymn. 433:1 A new commandment I give unto you: / That you love one another as I have loved you, / That you love one another as I have loved you. / By this the world will know that you are my disciples, / If you have love one for another. / By this the world will know that you are my disciples, / If you have love one for another.

Hymn. 584:1 The Lord is my Shepherd; I need not a thing. / Green pastures give rest for my soul. / Love leads me beside the still, still waters. / Love restores me, and Love makes me whole.

DESCANT / A new commandment I give unto you: / That you love one another as I have loved you, / That you love one another as I have loved you. / By this all will know you are mine, / If you have love for each other.

Hymn. 519:3 Love with a heart of tenderness / Your enemies and friends; / However hard this may appear, / This quality just mends. / For Love is God in action true, / A presence that is felt; / A healing and a saving power / That will all discord melt.

### Holy Bible

1. Ps. 145:9 The Lord is good to all: and his tender mercies are over all his works.
2. Luke 1:78, 79 Through the tender mercy of our God; whereby the dayspring from on high hath visited us, To give light to them that sit in darkness and in the shadow of death, to guide our feet into the way of peace.
3. I John 4:10–13 Herein is love, not that we loved God, but that he loved us, and sent his Son to be the propitiation for our sins. Beloved, if God so loved us, we ought also to love one another.  
If we love one another, God dwelleth in us, and his love is perfected in us. Hereby know we that we dwell in him, and he in us, because he hath given us of his Spirit.
4. Zeph. 3:17 The Lord thy God in the midst of thee is mighty; he will save, he will rejoice over thee with joy; he will rest in his love, he will joy over thee with singing.

5. Rom. 8:38, 39 ...I am persuaded, that neither death, nor life, nor angels, nor principalities, nor powers, nor things present, nor things to come, Nor height, nor depth, nor any other creature, shall be able to separate us from the love of God, which is in Christ Jesus our Lord.
6. Prov. 16:1, 3 The preparations of the heart in man, and the answer of the tongue, is from the Lord...Commit thy works unto the Lord, and thy thoughts shall be established.
7. Matt. 10:19 take, 20, 30 (the),31 (to,) ... take no thought how or what ye shall speak: for it shall be given you in that same hour what ye shall speak. For it is not ye that speak, but the Spirit of your Father which speaketh in you. ...  
...the very hairs of your head are all numbered. Fear ye not therefore, ...
8. Galatians 5:13-14 J.B. Phillips New Testament (PHILLIPS) You should be free to serve each other in love. For after all, the whole Law toward others is summed up by this one command, 'You shall love your neighbour as yourself'.
9. Rom. 13:8 ... for he that loveth another hath fulfilled the law.

### Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures

1. SH 572:6-8 "Love one another" (I John, iii. 23), is the most simple and profound counsel of the inspired writer.
2. SH 2:23 God is Love. Can we ask Him to be more?
3. SH 578:5 [Divine love] is my shepherd; I shall not want.
4. SH 494:10 Divine Love always has met and always will meet every human need. It is not well to imagine that Jesus demonstrated the divine power to heal only for a select number or for a limited period of time, since to all mankind and in every hour, divine Love supplies all good.
5. SH 578:6 [Love] maketh me to lie down in green pastures: [love] leadeth me beside the still waters.
6. SH 17:14-15 For God is infinite, all-power, all Life, Truth, Love, over all, and All.
7. SH 17:7 And Love is reflected in love;
8. SH 578:8 [Love] restoreth my soul [spiritual sense]: [love] leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for His name's sake.

9. SH 17:2–3 Enable us to know, — as in heaven, so on earth, — God is omnipotent, supreme.
10. SH 578:10 Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for [love] is with me; [love's] rod and [love's] staff they comfort me.
11. SH 14:9 To be “with the Lord” is to be in obedience to the law of God, to be absolutely governed by divine Love, — by Spirit, not by matter.
12. SH 578:12 [Love] prepareth a table before me in the presence of mine enemies: [love] anointeth my head with oil; my cup runneth over.
13. SH 13:2–3 Love is impartial and universal in its adaptation and bestowals.
14. SH 2:8–11 God is not moved by the breath of praise to do more than He has already done, nor can the infinite do less than bestow all good, since He is unchanging wisdom and Love.
15. SH 578:14 Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life; and I will dwell in the house [the consciousness] of [love] for ever.
16. SH 205:32 When we fully understand our relation to the Divine, we can have no other Mind but His, — no other Love, wisdom, or Truth, no other sense of Life, and no consciousness of the existence of matter or error.
17. SH 66:14 Each successive stage of experience unfolds new views of divine goodness and love.
18. SH 476:28–32 When speaking of God's children, not the children of men, Jesus said, “The kingdom of God is within you;” that is, Truth and Love reign in the real man, showing that man in God's image is unfallen and eternal.
19. SH 181:21-25 If you are too material to love the Science of Mind and are satisfied with good words instead of effects, if you adhere to error and are afraid to trust Truth, the question then recurs, “Adam, where art thou?”
20. SH 308:1–8 Art thou dwelling in the belief that mind is in matter, and that evil is mind, or art thou in the living faith that there is and can be but one God, and keeping His commandment?” Until the lesson is learned that God is the only Mind governing man, mortal belief will be afraid as it was in the beginning, and will hide from the demand, “Where art thou?”
21. SH 454:17–23 Love for God and man is the true incentive in both healing and teaching. Love inspires, illumines, designates, and leads the way. Right motives give pinions to thought, and strength and freedom to

speech and action. Love is priestess at the altar of Truth. Wait patiently for divine Love to move upon the waters of mortal mind, and form the perfect concept.

22. SH 140:8 We shall obey and adore in proportion as we apprehend the divine nature and love Him understandingly, warring no more over the corporeality, but rejoicing in the affluence of our God.
23. SH 496:5 You will learn that in Christian Science the first duty is to obey God, to have one Mind, and to love another as yourself.
24. SH 259:6 In divine Science, man is the true image of God.
25. SH 55:16–22 My weary hope tries to realize that happy day, when man shall recognize the Science of Christ and love his neighbor as himself,—when he shall realize God’s omnipotence and the healing power of divine Love in what it had done and is doing for mankind. The promises will be fulfilled.