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BREAKING BARRIERS WITH LOVE!



Dear Chosen One: Jesus says, **“But I tell you, love your enemies and pray for those who persecute you, that you may be children of your Father in heaven. He causes his sun to rise on the evil and the good and sends rain on the righteous and the unrighteous. If you love those who love you, what reward will you get?...”** (Matthew 5:44-46)

“Love Has Everything to Do With It”

Wars and rumors of war surround us. The news, the internet, and voices all around remind us daily—whether it’s Russia and Ukraine, Israel and Palestine, or political tension closer to home between America and its neighbors. But beyond international conflicts, there are battles much closer: racial tension in our neighborhoods, schools, workplaces, homes, and even in some churches.

This is nothing new. In biblical times, conflict existed between Canaanites, Hittites, Amorites, Perizzites, Hivites, Jebusites, Jews, and Gentiles. Today, it’s often between Black and White. The Bible tells us: **“Nation will rise against nation, and kingdom against kingdom...”** (Matthew 24:7). Yet the greatest enemy is not across a border or in a different culture—the enemy lives within us. That

enemy is **HATE**—a *SIN* that has destroyed countless lives. Many have died because of the color of their skin, the texture of their hair, the way they dress, or the language they speak.

Perhaps you know someone who has faced discrimination or even lost their life to racial hatred. Today, laws call it a hate crime, but for too long the Church has stayed silent burying its head like an ostrich. Some pastors avoid the topic for fear of offending members. But silence does not heal wounds.

Jesus Himself experienced discrimination as a Jew. And He warned: **“Brother will betray brother to death, and a father his child; children will rebel against their parents and have them put to death”** (Matthew 10:21.)

Hatred divides, families, communities, and nations. But here is the good news: when we accept Jesus Christ as Savior, we become one in Him. **“So in Christ Jesus [we] are all children of God through faith,... there is neither Jew nor Gentile, slave nor free, male nor female, for [we] are all one in Christ Jesus”** (Galatians 3:26–28).

THE ONLY ANSWER TO HATE IS LOVE!

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Jesus came to remove barriers of race and division. The Bible says: *“God is love. Whoever lives in love lives in God, and God in them”* (1 John 4:16). If the Church begins to demonstrate true love, walls of division will fall. Love—not revenge—will heal racial wounds.

Sadly, love is a scarce commodity. It’s lacking in many churches, homes, workplaces, communities, and nations. But a world filled with hate desperately needs the Church filled with love.

Jesus did not die for one race; He died for all. *“For God so loved the world that He gave His one and only Son, that whoever believes in Him shall not perish but have eternal life”* (John 3:16).

So let us follow His example: *“Love your enemies and pray for those who persecute you”* (Matthew 5:44). Love alone has the power to overcome hate.

The Bible declares: *“Hatred stirs up conflict, but love covers over all wrongs”* (Proverbs 10:12). When should we start loving others? **Now!** Where should we start? **Right where we are.** With whom should we start? **Ourselves, and then others.**

What Love Does

Too often, people confuse lust with love. Lust is selfish, destructive, and fleeting. Love, however, is selfless action that produces peace, joy, unity, and healing.

Love sacrifices. Love forgives. Love perseveres. As Paul writes:

“Love is patient, love is kind. It does not envy, it does not boast, it is not proud. It does not dishonor others, it is not self-seeking, it is not easily angered, it keeps no record of wrongs... Love never fails” (1 Corinthians 13:4–8).

Love makes us go the extra mile. Love stays up all night with a sick child. Love gives food to the hungry. Love pays the cost to help someone in need. Love breaks down walls instead of building them.

Love affects everything:

- How we live daily.
- How we raise our children.
- How we work.
- How we treat others.

God is love. Without Him, we cannot truly love. *No God, no love. Know God, know love.* When we say “yes” to God, we say “yes” to **love**.

So, if you are struggling to love others, reconnect to the Source. Start by loving yourself, then let that love overflow to others.

Love is why I wrote this letter to you. This same love is available to you through Jesus Christ. Trust Him today. Embrace His love. Share His love.

Remember: **Do everything in LOVE!**

HAPPY THANKSGIVING DAY TO YOU!