



Sermon Outline
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**Broken But
Loved**

1 John 3:11-24

Series theme:

Our faith hinges on the identity of Jesus.

Series thought:

What does Jesus' identity reveal about my identity?

*** Jesus is Savior:**

Reveals...*I am someone who needs to be saved.*

*** Jesus is Propitiation:**

Reveals...*I am someone who is worth saving.*

*** Jesus is Messiah:**

Reveals...*I am someone who is loved.*

*** Love is absolutely _____.**

*** Experiencing love is crucial to being able to
_____ love.**

You can't _____ what you don't have.

1 John 4:19 - We love because He first loved us.

*** God will never ask you to do something that He
hasn't first been willing to do or _____.**

1 John 3:16a - This is how we know what love is: Jesus
Christ laid down His life for us.

John 3:16 - 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.

*** When you do not understand or
believe you are loved it can lead to:**

1. A dangerously _____ spirit.

1 John 3:12 - Do not be like Cain, who belonged to the evil
one and murdered his brother. And why did he murder him?
Because his own actions were evil and his brother's were
righteous.

*God's love isn't based on who we are or what we've done.
It's based on who He is and what He's done.*

2. The _____ to love others.

Love requires putting others _____.

1 John 3:17 - If anyone has material possessions and sees a
brother or sister in need but has no pity on them, how can the
love of God be in that person?

More love requires experiencing _____ of God's love.

**3. The debilitating experience of
_____.**

1 John 3:19-20a - This is how we know that we belong to
the truth and how we set our hearts at rest in his presence: If
our hearts condemn us, we know that God is greater than our
hearts...

**Two of the most powerful motivators in life
are _____ and _____.**

1 John 4:18 - There is no fear in love. But perfect love drives
out fear, because fear has to do with punishment. The one
who fears is not made perfect in love.

*** One thing you'll never hear God say is _____.**

1 John 3:20b - He (God) knows everything.

God begins with the _____ in mind (because He's
already been there) and then works back from there.