

“To the glory and praise of God”

Philippians 1:9-11

John 12:1-3

Luke 10:38-42

Revelation 4:9-11

Lack of unity has been with the church for centuries and the only solution is a growing love for God, resulting in a growing love for each other.

We'll never truly love from ignorance.

The Spirit cannot work effectively in your life without the Word and the Word cannot work without the Holy Spirit.

Growth is not static and our love is either growing or declining every day.

With people, the better we know them, the more challenging it can be to love them but with Jesus Christ, the more we get to know Him, the more we love Him!

The understanding of death gives capacity for life which is preparation for death and so the one who lives well, dies well.

Christianity is much more than doing the right thing versus the wrong;

it's doing the best thing which is often far beyond the right thing.

What Mary does, relates to dying and capacity for dying comes from capacity for living.

Food helped to make the party a success but without truth there would be no party!

Martha's cooking made a pleasant dinner party but Mary's ointment reminds us of the capacity for life through the Word leading to the capacity for death through the Word.

Mary did not serve like Martha, but she had a better portion in that she learned Bible truth from the Lord Jesus Christ to the extent that she has in her capacity for living; instinctive reciprocal love.

Works and production are the result of growth but never the means of growth.

This is a prayer for their continued advance with emphasis on their intimacy with Christ being intensified in the process.

Those who stay with the Word of God will inevitably crack the maturity barrier.

This is considered so definite that it's put in the present tense, even though it is a future objective.

By making the written Word of God #1 in your scale of values, you eventually come to the place where your #1 priority is Jesus Christ, the Living Word, whom you now see through the written Word!

Jesus Christ is personally glorified when the believer is spiritually prosperous.

Greater-grace production glorifies God forever and also has the most fantastic temporal effects.

To hear those wonderful words;

“Well done, My good and faithful servant” is fantastic, but even that is NOT about you, it's about Jesus Christ!

True love comes from an ever-increasing knowledge of Jesus Christ and results in a life of obedience that glorifies Him.

Every day is the day that we just might see Him!