

# God First

God Is Love – “God First” means “Love First”

**1 John 5:21** Little children, keep yourselves from idols. Amen.

**Deuteronomy 5:7** (also Exodus 20:3) Thou shalt have none other gods before (besides) Me.

**John 14:15** **If ye love Me, keep My commandments.**

**John 13:34-35** <sup>34</sup> A new commandment I give unto you, That ye love one another; as I have loved you, that ye also love one another. <sup>35</sup> By this shall all *men* know that ye are My disciples, if ye have love one to another.

**1 John 4:7-8, 11** <sup>7</sup> Beloved, let us love one another: for Love is of God; and every one that loveth is born of God, and knoweth God. <sup>8</sup> He that loveth not knoweth not God; for **God is Love**. ... <sup>11</sup> Beloved, if God so loved us, we ought also to love one another.

**1 John 4:16** <sup>16</sup> And we have known and believed the love that God hath to us. **God is Love**; and he that dwelleth in love dwelleth in God, and God in him.

**John 15:9-14, 17** <sup>9</sup>As the Father hath loved Me, so have I loved you: continue ye in My love. <sup>10</sup> If ye keep My commandments, ye shall abide in My love; even as I have kept My Father's commandments, and abide in His love. <sup>11</sup> These things have I spoken unto you, that My joy might remain in you, and *that* your joy might be full. <sup>12</sup> This is My commandment, That ye love one another, as I have loved you. <sup>13</sup> Greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends. <sup>14</sup> Ye are My friends, if ye do whatsoever I command you. ... <sup>17</sup> These things I command you, that ye love one another.

**1 John 5:19-21** <sup>19</sup> *And* we know that we are of God, and the whole world lieth in wickedness. <sup>20</sup> And we know that the Son of God is come, and hath given us an understanding, that we may know Him that is true, and we are in Him that is true, *even* in His Son Jesus Christ. This is the true God, and eternal life. <sup>21</sup> Little children, keep yourselves from idols. Amen.

**ALWAYS KEEP GOD FIRST !**

