

SILVER CREEK CHURCH

Unknown Love

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Unknown Unknowns

³Great is the Lord and most worthy of praise; his greatness no one can fathom.

Psalm 145:3

Known Unknowns

⁹However, as it is written: “What no eye has seen, what no ear has heard, and what no human mind has conceived”—the things God has prepared for those who love him—

1 Corinthians 2:9

Unknown Knowns

⁵God’s voice thunders in marvelous ways; he does great things beyond our understanding.

Job 37:5

Known Knowns

^{12b}I know whom I have believed, and am convinced that he is able to guard what I have entrusted to him until that day.

2 Timothy 1:12b

²¹For to me, to live is Christ and to die is gain.

Philippians 1:21

¹⁴I pray that out of his glorious riches he may strengthen you with power through his Spirit in your inner being, ¹⁷so that Christ may dwell in your hearts through faith. And I pray that you, being rooted and established in love, ¹⁸may have power, together with all the Lord’s holy people, to grasp how wide and long and high and deep is the love of Christ, ¹⁹and to know this love that surpasses knowledge—that you may be filled to the measure of all the fullness of God.

Ephesians 3:16-19

1. How Wide is God’s Love?

¹⁰The death he died, he died to sin once for all; but the life he lives, he lives to God.

Romans 6:10

¹My dear children, I write this to you so that you will not sin. But if anybody does sin, we have an advocate with the Father—Jesus Christ, the Righteous One. ²He is the atoning sacrifice for our sins, and not only for ours but also for the sins of the whole world.

1 John 2:1-2

2. How Long is God's Love?

⁵"Before I formed you in the womb I knew you

Jeremiah 1:5

¹³For you created my inmost being; you knit me together in my mother's womb.

Psalms 139:13

¹⁶Your eyes saw my unformed body; all the days ordained for me were written in your book before one of them came to be.

Psalms 139:16

⁸But God demonstrates his own love for us in this: While we were still sinners, Christ died for us.

Romans 5:8

3. How High is God's Love?

⁴For great is your love, higher than the heavens; your faithfulness reaches to the skies.

Psalms 108:4

¹In the year that King Uzziah died, I saw the Lord, high and exalted, seated on a throne; and the train of his robe filled the temple

Isaiah 6:1

¹³Greater love has no one than this: to lay down one's life for one's friends.

John 15:13

4. How Deep is God's Love?

¹⁹You will again have compassion on us; you will tread our sins underfoot and hurl all our iniquities into the depths of the sea.

Micah 7:19

²²Because of the Lord's great love we are not consumed

Lamentations 3:22

¹⁰he does not treat us as our sins deserve or repay us according to our iniquities. ¹¹For as high as the heavens are above the earth, so great is his love for those who fear him; ¹²as far as the east is from the west, so far has he removed our transgressions from us.

Psalms 103:10-12