

## Deuteronomy • The Consequences of Love

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1. (4:35-38) God's love initiates His **calling** so we may be **transformed** by His Word.
2. (7:6-13) There is no biblical **love** without biblical **truth** in either our **beliefs** or our **behavior**.
3. (10:12-13) The only genuine **respect** (biblically called "fear") in the course of **service** to God is qualified by **devotion** to His Word and ways. Such all come together to define what it biblically means to **love** God.
4. (13:1-3) Genuine love for God will always **embrace** and **practice** His Word in the course of **rejecting** a false or deceptive **counterfeit**.
5. (30:19-20) Biblical love is a personal **choice** which cannot be separated from **obedience** to His Word and ways.
6. (6:5) "*All your heart*", "*all your soul*" and "*all your might*" describe the **effort** we put into our **obedience** to God's Word and ways to accomplish the goal of biblical **love** for God.
7. (30:11-14) Biblical love is only **difficult** if pursued **apart** from God's Word.

### **Overall Application** (1 Tim. 1:5)

The achievement of God's love in our life is only possible by a total **personal** commitment to His Word at every level—our **heart**, **mind** and **soul**.