

THE LOVE THAT MOTIVATES OUR SERVICE
2 CORINTHIANS 5:9-21

I. THE FEAR OF GOD [5:9-13]

A. "WE LABOUR"

[2 COR 5:9; GAL 1:10; ROM 12:1; 14:13,18; EPH 5:7-8,10; COL 3:20; HEB 13:20-21; ROM 15:20; 1 THESS 4:11]

B. "WE MUST ALL APPEAR"

[2 COR 5:10; ROM 14:8-10; 1 JOHN 2:28; ACTS 18:12; REV 20:11-15; JN 5:24; ROM 8:1; 1 COR 3:13; 1 COR 4:5; ROM 14:10-12; 1 COR 3:10-15; 4:1-6]

C. "WE PERSUADE MEN"

[2 COR 5:11-13; 1 PETER 4:18; COL 3:23-25; 2 COR 1:12; 2 COR 11:18; ACTS 26:11,24; MK 3:21]

II. THE LOVE OF CHRIST [2 COR 5:14-17]

A. HE DIED THAT WE MIGHT DIE TO SELF

[5:14; GAL 2:20]

B. HE DIED THAT WE MIGHT LIVE UNTO CHRIST

[5:15-17; ROM 7:4; 1 JN 4:9; HEB 5:7; 1 COR 15:45]

III. THE COMMISSION OF CHRIST [2 COR 5:18-21]

A. CHRIST'S WORK OF RECONCILIATION [2 COR 5:18,19]

B. RECONCILIATION IS BASED ON IMPUTATION

[2 COR 5:20,21; PS 32:1-2; 4:1-8; PHILEMON 17; 2 COR 18-19; JN 20:21; 2 COR 4:5; 2 THESS 1:3-10]