

# Doctrine of Atonement

**GOLDEN TEXT** | Ephesians 5:2 *walk*

*. . . walk in love, as Christ also hath loved us, and hath given himself for us an offering and a sacrifice to God for a sweet-smelling savour.*

**Responsive Reading** | I Corinthians 13:1-7  
I John 4:7, 10, 11

1 Though I speak with the tongues of men and of angels, and have not charity, I am become as sounding brass, or a tinkling cymbal.

2 **And though I have the gift of prophecy, and understand all mysteries, and all knowledge; and though I have all faith, so that I could remove mountains, and have not charity, I am nothing.**

3 And though I bestow all my goods to feed the poor, and though I give my body to be burned, and have not charity, it profiteth me nothing.

4 **Charity suffereth long, and is kind; charity envieth not; charity vaunteth not itself, is not puffed up,**

5 Doth not behave itself unseemly, seeketh not her own, is not easily provoked, thinketh no evil;

6 **Rejoiceth not in iniquity, but rejoiceth in the truth;**

7 Beareth all things, believeth all things, hopeth all things, endureth all things.

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7 **Beloved, let us love one another: for love is of God; and every one that loveth is born of God, and knoweth God.**

10 Herein is love, not that we loved God, but that he loved us, and sent his Son to be the propitiation for our sins.

11 **Beloved, if God so loved us, we ought also to love one another.**

The Golden Text and Responsive Reading are from the King James Version of the Bible.

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