

Adult Sunday School

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Love Champions the Cause

Text: I Cor. 13:8

What Caused it?

- The cause is what makes something happen.
- The phrase: 'Love will champion the cause' is equal to the phrase: 'Love will make it happen.'
- If love is not the cause of something happening, then the results will always prove to be disastrous.

I. Love and Knowledge in God are Perfect

A. Love and light are expressions of the Divine.

1. God is Love. I John 4:8,16
2. God is Light.
3. God knoweth all things.
4. God loveth at all times.

B. Love and knowledge provide us with twin guidance.

One without the other and we are lost.

I Cor. 13:1

- Though I speak, v.1
 - Though I have, v.2
 - Though I bestow, v.3
 - V.13
 - Faith - acting upon a word from God
 - Hope - holding to a word from God
 - Charity - God's love flowing through you by the Spirit.
1. Eph. 4:15 'speaking the truth in love' v.13
'unity of faith'
 2. Col. 1:8 'who also declared unto us you love in the spirit' Faith and love working together keeps the hope of our inheritance alive.
 3. Phil. 1:8,20; I long after you all in the bowels of Jesus Christ' Phil. 2:2 'having the same love'