TRUTH IS IN HERE
The Truth About The Church
Ephesians 5:21-32
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Following Peter's good confession, Jesus said, "...*on this rock I will build my church, and the gates of Hades will not overcome it."* (Matthew 16:18)

I. NEW TESTAMENT METAPHORS FOR THE CHURCH

One _____. Rom. 12:4-5; 1 Cor. 10:17; 1 Cor. 12:12,27; Eph. 4:12,23,30; Col. 1:24

The _____ of Christ. Rev. 21:9; 19:7-8, 2 Cor. 11:12; Eph. 5:31-32

The _____ of God.
2 Cor. 6:18; Matt. 12:49-50; Eph. 2:19; Gal. 6:10; 1 Tim. 5:1

II. HOW CHRIST LOVES THE CHURCH (Eph. 5:21-32)

Christ _____ Himself for the church (v25)

Christ _____ the church (v23)

Christ _____ the church (v29)

Christ will _____ the church to Himself (*v27)*

III. HOW DO I LOVE THE CHURCH

Words of _____

_____ time

Thoughtful _____

Acts of _____

Physical _____

TAKE AWAY:

Love _____... Love His _____!