



*The Value of a Prioritized Life  
Message Two - Being Loved and Loving  
in the New Year*

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*Ephesians 5:15-18*

*<sup>15</sup> Be very careful, then, how you live-not as unwise but as wise,  
<sup>16</sup> making the most of every opportunity, because the days are evil.  
<sup>17</sup> Therefore do not be foolish, but understand what the Lord's will  
is. <sup>18</sup> Do not get drunk on wine, which leads to debauchery. Instead,  
be filled with the Spirit. NIV*

*Ephesians 5:1-2*

*<sup>1</sup> Be imitators of God, therefore, as dearly loved children <sup>2</sup> and live a  
life of love, just as Christ loved us and gave himself up for us as a  
fragrant offering and sacrifice to God. NIV*

**Key Truth: We demonstrate our love for God by dying to self.**

**Key Truth: God demonstrated His love for us by dying on the cross.**

*Jeremiah 31:3*

*I John 3:1*

*I John 3:16*

*I John 4:19*

*I John 4:8-12*

*Romans 5:8*

*But God demonstrates his own love for us in this: While we were still sinners, Christ died for us. NIV*