

"God Has The Power To Love Us Forever"

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JOHN 3:16

John 3:16, "For God so loved the world, that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish, but have everlasting life."

- For God SO Loved (literally, "in this manner") "For God loved the world in this manner, that he gave..."
- His ONE and ONLY Son (His ONE OF A KIND...and there will never be another one)
- **life** (Greek word, "zoa" meaning "the absolute fullness of life, both here in the present and with God in eternity)

4 Powerful Ways God Loves

NOTE: "The Greek construction of John 3:16 puts some emphasis on the actuality of the gift: <u>it</u> <u>is not 'God loved enough to give,' but 'God loved so that he gave.</u>' His love is not a vague, sentimental feeling, but a love that costs. God gave what was most dear to him."

1. God's Love is Sacrificial because He Created YOU Gen. 22:2, 16-18

2. God's Love is Unconditional because He Believes in YOU John 5:24

3. God's Love is Powerful because He has a Purpose for YOU Jeremiah 29:11

4. God's Love is Eternal because He wants to Be With YOU John 10:10, 2 Cor. 5:8