

What the World Needs Now

December 19, 2021 Mark 12:28-30

²⁸ One of the teachers of the law came and heard them debating. Noticing that Jesus had given them a good answer, he asked him, "Of all the commandments, which is the most important?"

²⁹ "The most important one," answered Jesus, "is this: 'Hear, O Israel: The Lord our God, the Lord is one. ³⁰ Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind and with all your strength.' ³¹ The second is this: 'Love your neighbor as yourself.' There is no commandment greater than these."

Discussion Questions:

- 1. What is your greatest Christmas memory?
- 2. According to our text and what Jesus said, what is the meaning of life?
- 3. How does Jesus' concept of love differ from ours?
- 4. Read 1 John 4 again. How does God's love transform the way we love others?