

Sunday Worship – December 16, 2018

Revelation 2:4-5 New King James Version (NKJV)

**4**Nevertheless I have this against you, that you have left your first love.

**5**Remember therefore from where you have fallen; repent and do the first works, or else I will come to you quickly and remove your lampstand from its place—unless you repent.

Though I speak with the tongues of men and of angels, but have not love, I have become sounding brass or a clanging cymbal. **2**And though I have the gift of prophecy, and understand all mysteries and all knowledge, and though I have all faith, so that I could remove mountains, but have not love, I am nothing. **3**And though I bestow all my goods to feed the poor, and though I give my body [[a](https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=1+corinthians+13%3A1-3&version=NKJV#fen-NKJV-28669a)]to be burned, but have not love, it profits me nothing. – 1 Corinthians 13:1-3

Whoever claims to love God yet hates a brother or sister is a liar. For whoever does not love their brother and sister, whom they have seen, cannot love God, whom they have not seen. – 1 John 4:20 (NIV)

You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your strength. – Deuteronomy 6:5; (see also Matthew 22:37)

And they said to one another, “Did not our heart burn within us while He talked with us on the road, and while He opened the Scriptures to us?” – Luke 24:32

**Sermon Notes – How to Recover Our First Love**

Jesus gives us three steps to recovering our first love:

1.) To \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

2.) To \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

3.) To do the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

The first works bring true \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ for Christ.