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Deuteronomy 5:10; 6:1-9; 7:9; 10:12,13; 11:13,22



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Love neighbors as self. (Matthew 22:39)

## Why We Fail To Love:

- 1. Self-Centeredness
- 2. Love Only Connected To Emotions
- 3. Misunderstanding Of Love

## Loving More Excellently:

- 1. Loving God most.
- 2. Seeing the image of God in the people around us.
- 3. Embracing love as a vital part of our character.