

## LESSON 20

Chapter 15:9-17

9"I have loved you as the Father has loved me. Now continue in my love. 10I have obeyed my Father's commands, and he continues to love me. In the same way, if you obey my commands, I will continue to love you. 11I have told you these things so that you can have the true happiness that I have. I want you to be completely happy. 12This is what I command you: Love each other as I have loved you. 13The greatest love people can show is to die for their friends. 14You are my friends if you do what I tell you to do. 15I no longer call you servants, because servants don't know what their master is doing. But now I call you friends, because I have told you everything that my Father told me.

16"You did not choose me. I chose you. And I gave you this work: to go and produce fruit – fruit that will last. Then the Father will give you anything you ask for in my name. 17This is my command: Love each other."

## NEW WORDS?

continue

commands

## LET'S PRACTICE!

"If you \_\_\_\_ my commands, I will \_\_\_\_ to love you."

Why does Jesus teach this to his followers?

What is the command of Jesus?

What is the greatest love a person can show?

Which is better, to be a servant or a friend? How do we become friends of Jesus?