



Sunday Sermon
2024

In the Year of the Dragon

Which one are you?



1/2 FULL?

1/2 EMPTY?

...of Love



Formation

Growth

Completion

"Glas" half-full or half empty
How full are we of God & Love?

Introduction

Even at the cost of their lives, people seek for the joy that can enrapture the original mind. This is the human condition: we grope along exhausting paths to cast off the shadow of death and search for the light of life.

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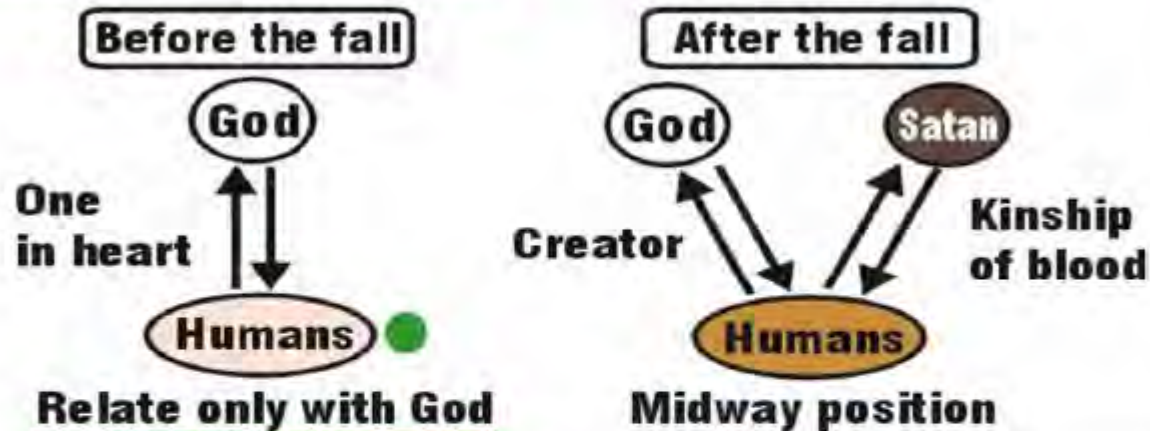
Since a fallen person stands in the midway position between God and Satan and relates with both of them, the works of a good spirit may be accompanied by the subtle influences of an evil spirit. In other cases, phenomena which begin as the works of evil spirits may, as time passes, merge with the works of good spirits.

Discerning the spirits is thus very difficult for those who do not understand the Principle.

The Principle of Restoration through Indemnity

Restoration Through Indemnity

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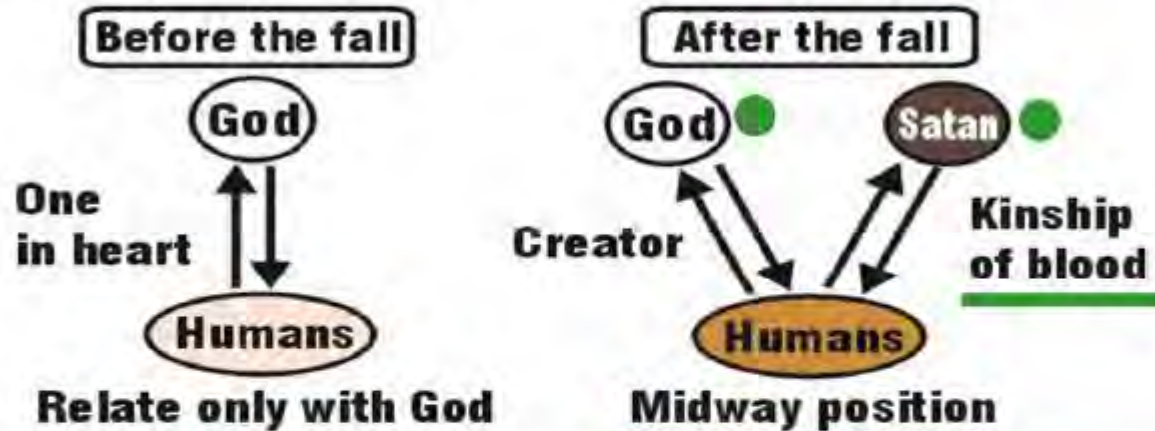


- Before discussing the Principle of Restoration through Indemnity, we must first understand in what position, due to the Fall, human beings came to stand in relation to both God and Satan .
- If the first human ancestors had reached perfection, they would have lived relating only with God.

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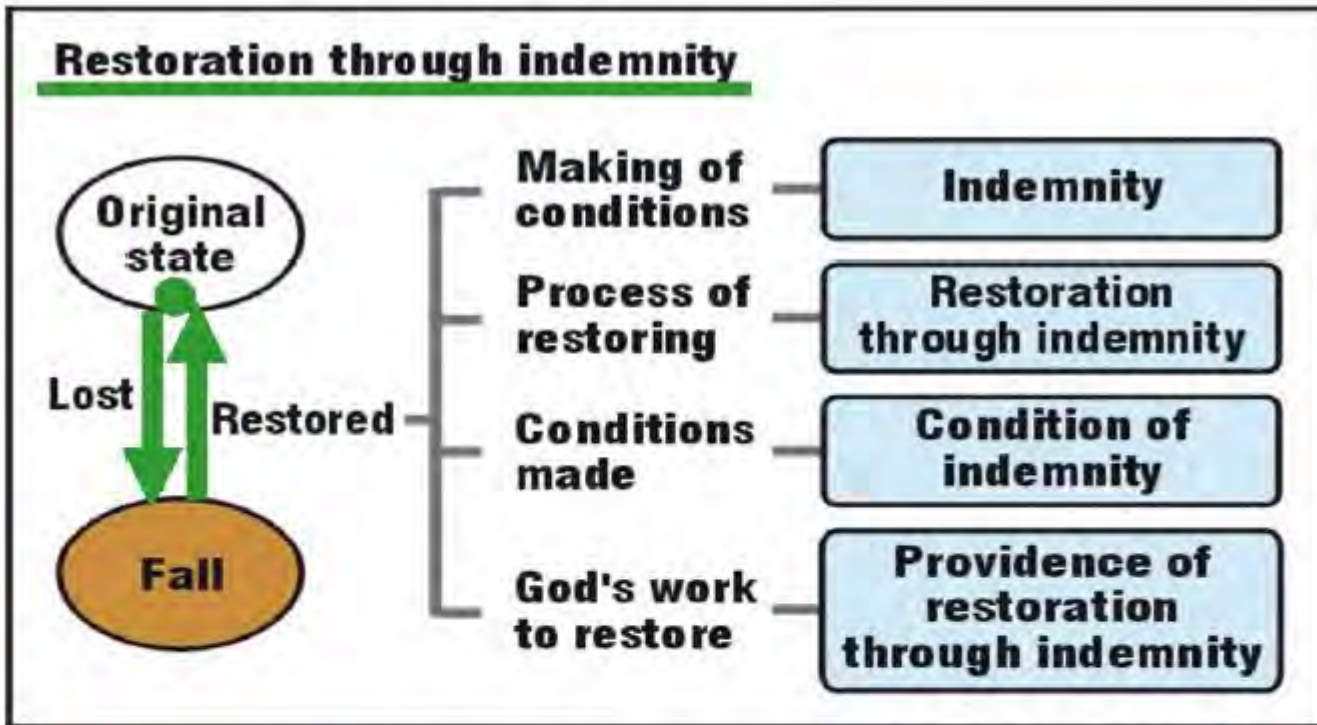


- However, due to their Fall, they joined in a kinship of blood with Satan. Hence, immediately after the Fall, they found themselves in the midway position—a position between God and Satan where they were relating with both.

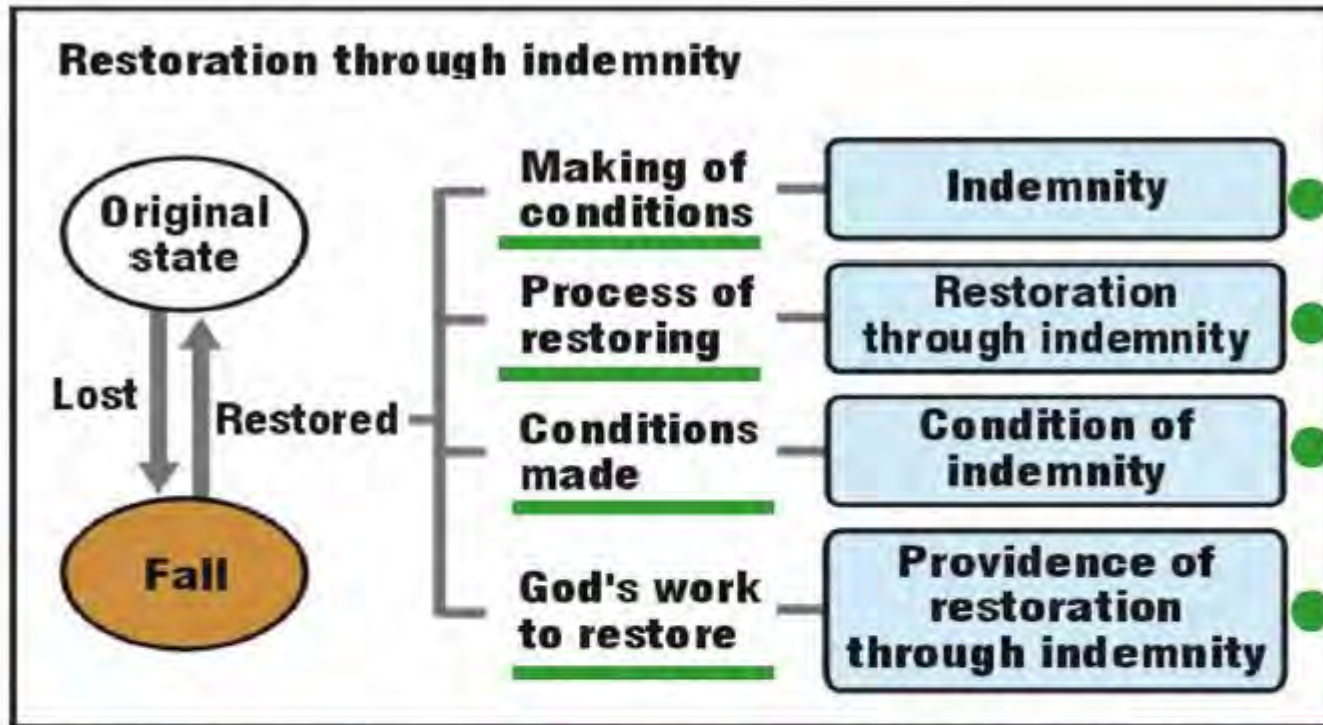
Separating satan from fallen people



- How does God separate Satan from fallen people? A fallen person will go to God's side if he makes good conditions and to Satan's side if he makes evil conditions.

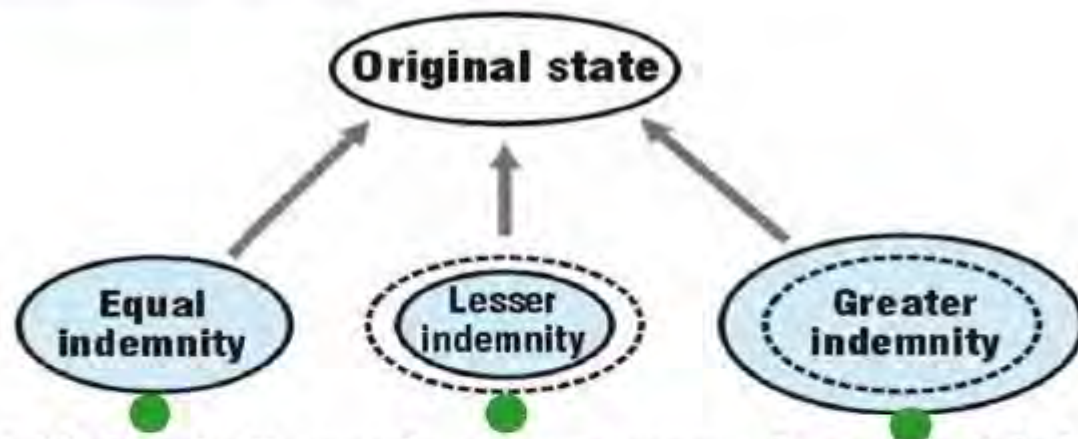


- What, then, is the meaning of restoration through indemnity? When someone has lost his original position or state, he must make some condition to be restored to it.



- The making of such conditions of restitution is called indemnity.
- We call this process of restoring the original position and state through making conditions restoration through indemnity,
- And we call the condition made a condition of indemnity.
- God's work to restore people to their true, unfallen state by having them fulfill indemnity conditions is called the providence of restoration through indemnity.

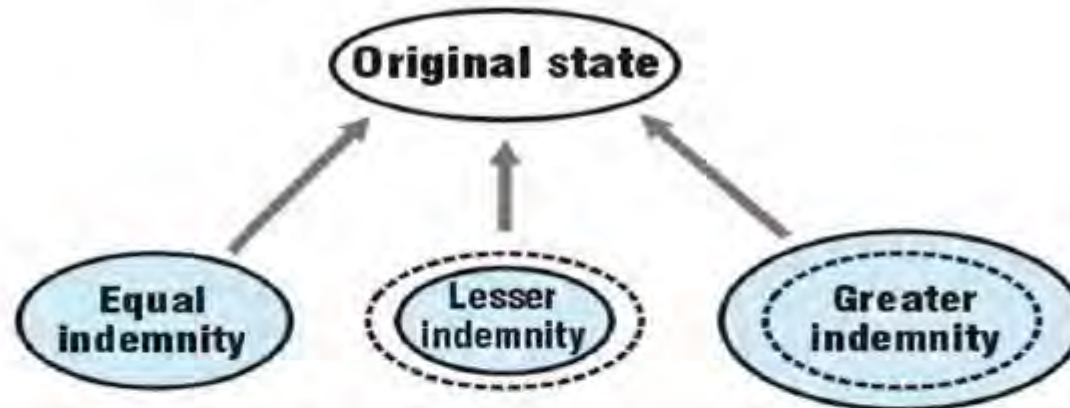
The conditions of indemnity



- **Method : Reversing the course of one's mistake**
- **Who : We ourselves**

- How does a condition of indemnity compare with the value of what was lost?
- There are, first, a condition of equal indemnity, second, a condition of lesser indemnity, and third, a condition of greater indemnity.

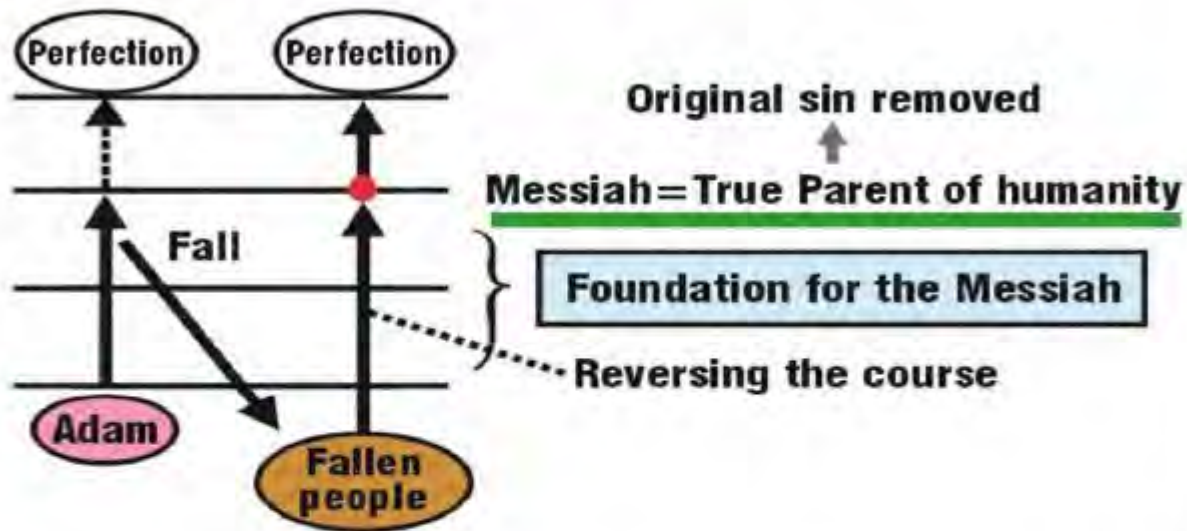
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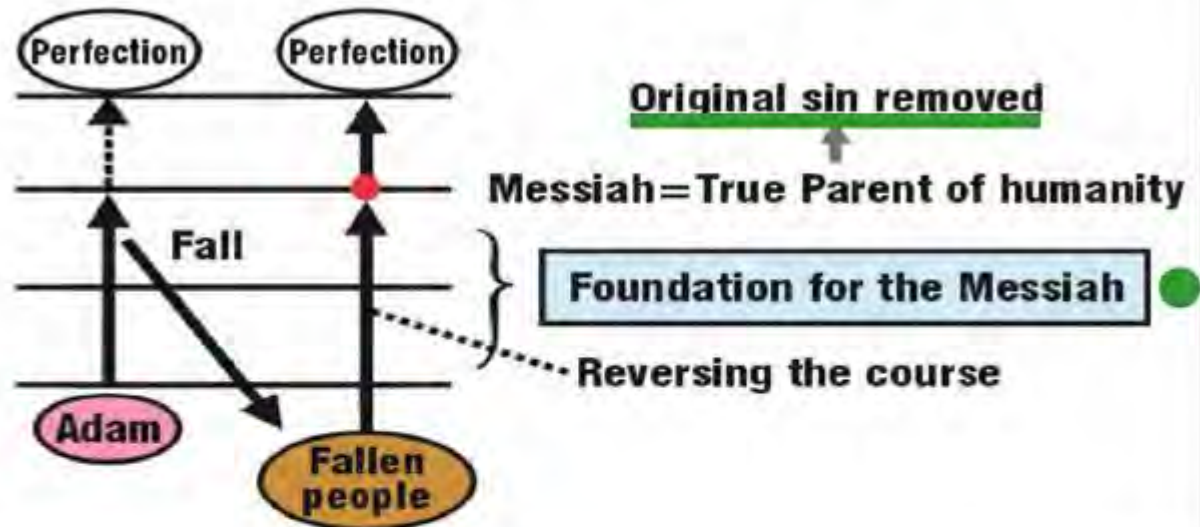
- Concerning the method of fulfilling indemnity conditions, one must make an indemnity condition by reversing the course of his mistake .
- Who should make indemnity conditions? We ourselves must fulfill the necessary indemnity conditions as our portion of responsibility.

The Foundation for the Messiah



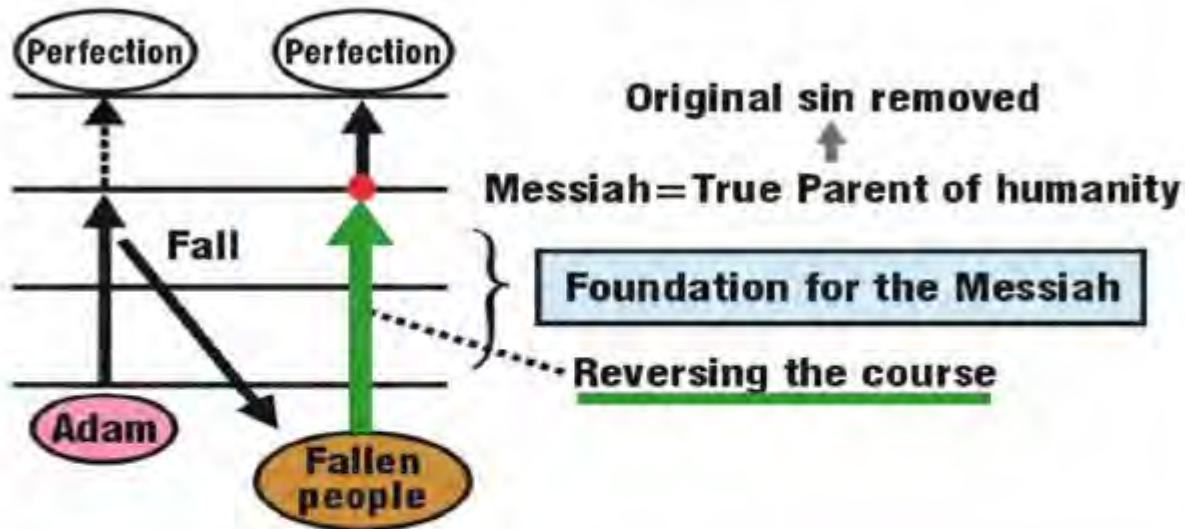
- The Messiah comes as the True Parent of humanity because only he can remove the original sin by giving rebirth to humanity, born of fallen parents

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- For fallen people to be restored to their original state, we must receive the Messiah and have our original sin removed. Before we can receive the Messiah, however, we must first establish the foundation for the Messiah.

The Foundation for the Messiah



- What indemnity conditions are required for establishing the foundation for the Messiah? To answer this question, we must first understand how Adam was to have realized the purpose of creation and how he failed to do it, because the condition of indemnity is made by reversing the course of the deviation from the original path.



Blessing of Mankind

HISTORY OF THE MAJOR BLESSINGS

Couples	Date	Place
3	April 16, 1960	Seoul, Korea
33	May 15, 1961	Seoul, Korea
72	June 4, 1962	Seoul, Korea
124	July 24, 1963	Seoul, Korea
430	February 22, 1968	Seoul, Korea
43	13 February 28, 1969	Washington DC,
	8 March 28, 1969	Essen, Germany
	22 May 1, 1969	Tokyo, Japan
777	October 21, 1970	Seoul, Korea
1800	February 8, 1975	Seoul, Korea
74	February 21, 1977	New-York, NY
118	May 21, 1978	London, UK
2078	July 1, 1982	New-York, NY
6000	October 14, 1982	Seoul, Korea
6500	October 30, 1988	Seoul, Korea
1275	January 10, 1989	Seoul, Korea
1267	April 10, 1992	Seoul, Korea
30,000	August 25, 1992	Seoul, Korea
360,000	August 25, 1995	Seoul, Korea
3,600,000	November 29, 1997	Washington DC
36,000,000		

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* 1997 Jesus,
Buddha,
Confucius,
Muhammad,
and Socrates.
Evil Man:
Stalin,
Hitler,
and more.

360 000 000 Couples Febr. 1999 Seoul Korea

Dear members of the Unification Church!

My name is Sang Heun Lee, who wrote Unification Thought.
I am going to send you what I surveyed in the spiritual world.

Please read it carefully,
and make your earthly lives successfully.

By doing so, let's console the painful heart of True Parents,
and pray that True Parents may have long lives.

The common people and Unification Church members stay in different regions.

However, sadly there are many members who cannot stay in the Unification realm of Spirit World

There are many reasons for this.

1st: Even though they received the blessing, one person deviated from the path and they could not accomplish making a family.

2nd: They received blessing, but lived without care of the will.

3rd: They received the blessing but their life went out of orbit from center, of which there are many cases.

What is the difference between Unification Members position and other religions' members?

It is a huge difference. I can explain this in a word.

Spirit world regions are different. Here according to the form of life of each member, each one is a little different from another but, all realms in Spirit World are different.

Here the thing which, as I've said is hugely different, is the position of God. There are limits to which people of other religions can hear or feel, or talk to God.

But Unification Church members by all means are in a position to be able to breathe the same with God.

God's grace

Spirit people through prayer, tithing, service, and other such public efforts made for the sake of descendants on earth, the door to the prison will be opened and they'll be able to leave.

More simply put, when ancestors commit crime, descendants will receive the punishment.

There is no way but to remember the way of heaven.
You must go the way of righteousness.

/Sang Hun Lee 1997



Quote SMM;

Abel must liberate Cain first.
Then, Abel prepares all foundations necessary
to restore the Parent's position.

This is the mission of Abel.

If Abel does not have all necessary foundations,
thus allowing Satan to accuse Parents,
he has not fully accomplished his mission.

Abel should not have any conditions to be accused by Satan after fulfilling his mission.
Abel must take the central role for restoring parents.

This is Abel's position.

As you know, Adam and Eve **lost the foundation of substance due to the fall.**

They also **lost their heart.**

Abel must stand in the midway position while taking responsibility for the restoration process,
representing them.

In other word, because of the fall, Adam and Eve came to stand in the midway position between God and Satan. So, they vacillated constantly, this way or that. Can they guide and bring Humanity back to God? Adam and Eve cannot do this.

But Abel must do this.

In order to accomplish this responsibility, Abel must indemnify all remaining conditions through which Satan can accuse human beings -- restoring the foundation of substance as parents and finely, the heart of parents.

/SMM 1972

If I speak in the tongues[a] of men or of angels,
but do not have love, I am only a resounding gong
or a clanging cymbal.

If I have the gift of prophecy and can fathom all mysteries
and all knowledge, and if I have a faith that can move
mountains, but do not have love, I am nothing.

If I give all I possess to the poor and give over my body
to hardship that I may boast,[b] but do not have love,
I gain nothing. - Bible 1 Chor. 13



Sermon summary

Let us all be a Full glass of
overflowing Love

End of Sermon
Let's Pray!



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Remember the beauty in Gods nature is there to
inspire the most Holy original inside us all!



Have a great Blessed week. Prepared for 2nd,3rd... Gen inspiration by Bengt de Paulis.