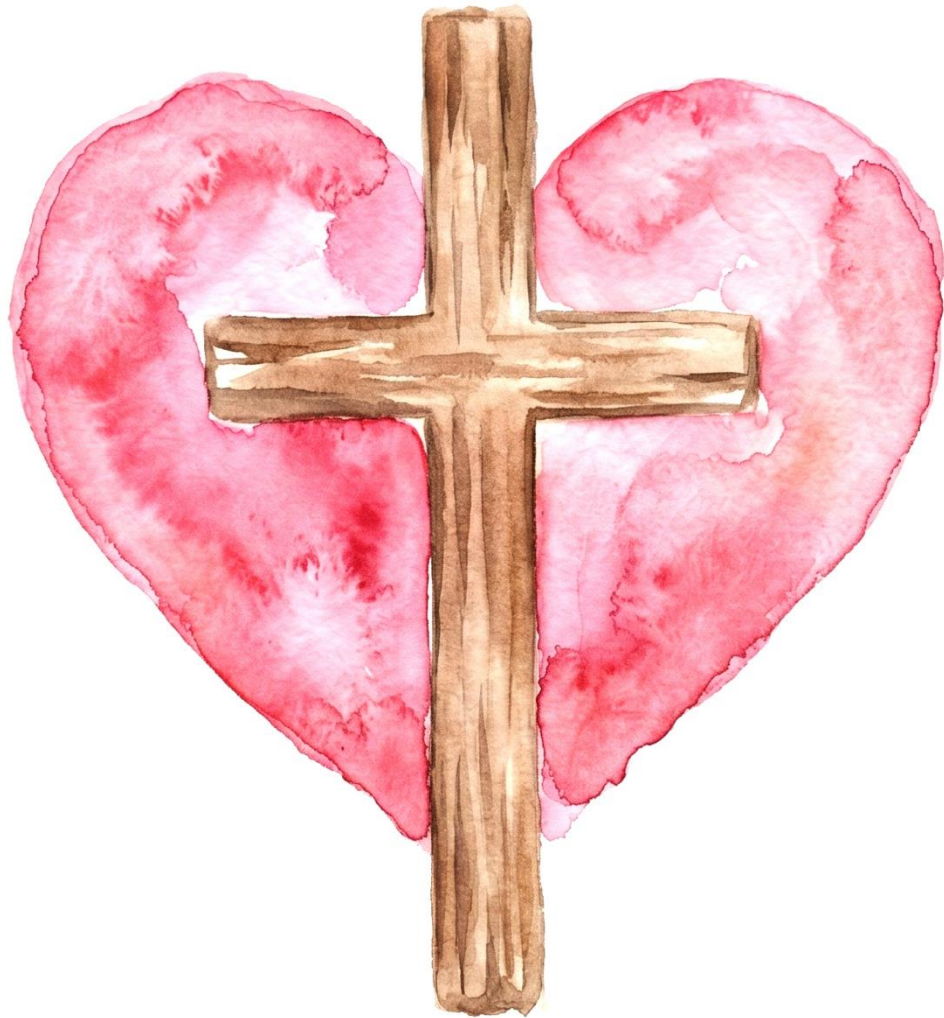




1 CORINTHIANS 13:4-7

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Love Is Kind

1 CORINTHIANS 13:4-7 (NIV)

[4] Love is patient, love is kind. It does not envy, it does not boast, it is not proud. [5] It does not dishonor others, it is not self-seeking, it is not easily angered, it keeps no record of wrongs. [6] Love does not delight in evil but rejoices with the truth. [7] It always protects, always trusts, always hopes, always perseveres.



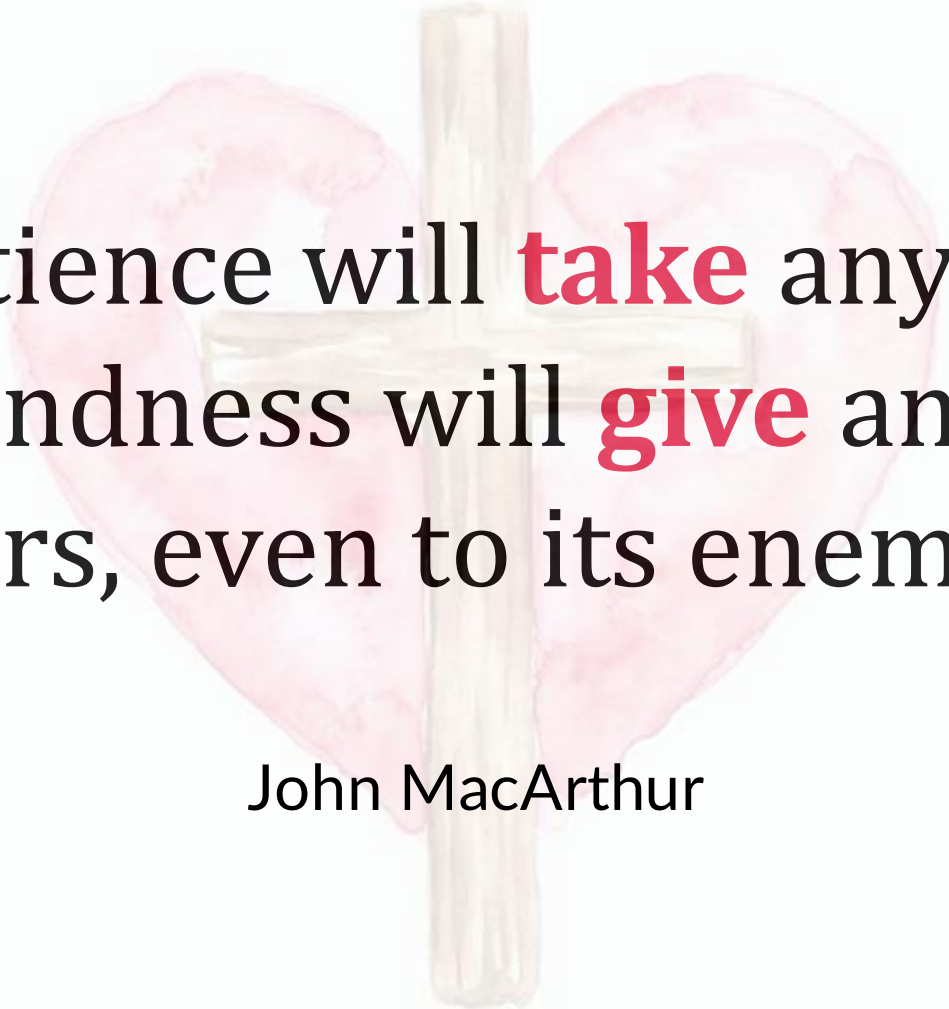
The love of God **restrains** us



The love of God **restrains** us

The love of God **constrains** us





“Just as patience will **take** anything from others, kindness will **give** anything to others, even to its enemies.”

John MacArthur

A watercolor heart in shades of pink and red, with a cinnamon stick placed vertically through its center. The heart has a soft, painterly texture with visible brushstrokes and color variations. The cinnamon stick is light brown with a natural wood grain.

Love Is Kind

1 CORINTHIANS 13:4 (NIV)

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ROMANS 2:4 (NIV)

Or do you show contempt for the riches of his **kindness**,
forbearance and patience, not realizing that God's **kindness**
is intended to lead you to repentance?



MATTHEW 5:40-41 (NIV)

[40] And if anyone wants to sue you and take your shirt, hand over your coat as well. [41] If anyone forces you to go one mile, go with them two miles.



Love Is Not Rude



1 CORINTHIANS 13:5 (NIV)

It **does not dishonor others**, it is not self-seeking, it is not easily angered, it keeps no record of wrongs.



Love Is Not Self-Seeking



1 CORINTHIANS 13:5 (NIV)

It does not dishonor others, it **is not self-seeking**, it is not easily angered, it keeps no record of wrongs.



PHILIPPIANS 2:4 (NLT)

Don't look out only for your own interests, but take an interest in others, too.

1 CORINTHIANS 10:24 (NIV)

No one should seek their own good, but the good of others.



1 JOHN 4:19 (ESV)

We love because He first loved us.

JOHN 15:12 (NIV)

Love each other as I have loved you.

