“A Great Gift of Great Love”

*John 3:16–21*

Sermon Outline

Big Idea—*In his love for the world, God the Father sent God the Son to the world in order to save many out of the world. Only those who believe in the Son will be saved, and those who disbelieve will do so because they love the world in the wrong way.*

**Introduction: Does God Love You?**

Key Reference—1 John 4:8

**How Do You Know God Loves You?**

*1. God loves the world.* (Key References—John 1:5, 9–10; 1 John 2:15–17; 5:4–5)

*2. God loved the world by sending his Son to the world.* (Key References—Mark 12:41–44; Genesis 22:1–19)

*3. God sent his Son to the world to save and not condemn.* (Key References—Romans 5:6–8; John 9:39)

**Does God Save Everyone?**

(Key References—John 1:10–12; Romans 9:1–3; 20–21; Rev. 20:15; 21:8)

**Does God Love Everyone in the Same Way?**

**Why Do Some Disbelieve?**

**Conclusion: Love the World, But Don’t Love the World**

Key Reference—1 John 2:15–17