

## LIFE THROUGH THE LENS



### GOD'S DNA IS LOVE

Have you ever felt like you are standing all alone, buffeted by life? Circumstances pushing you around?

You cry out, "I'm here! Please, will someone see me? Will someone care? Will someone physically or mentally put an arm around me and show me they care."

Look at the picture. Why have the creepers that support that delicate flower wrapped themselves around themselves? There are two reasons: one for support. Two, it is in the DNA of the plant. It cannot grow any other way.

The God I trust is like that. Loving, supportive, caring; interested in me; interested in you; every minute of every day

Love is not WHO my God is; it's WHAT He is. It says so in His book in **1 John 4:16**.

"And so we know and rely on the love God has for us. **God is love**. Whoever lives in love lives in God, and God in them."

Sometimes, it may not look like "He loves. He cares. He supports". Stop! Think! Does a parent who loves their child and knows what is safest always give in to the child's wishes? Of course not! When is a friend a "True" friend? When their actions show that they care. You know! God and His love is like that.

The red flower is the colour of blood that ran from the hands of Jesus, God's loved Son, whom He allowed to be nailed on a cross so that if we trust Him, we can be mates with Him.

He wants us to say, "OK, God, I trust you. I need your support, care, and love to get me through this hour, this day, this week.....Thanks".

Stay joined to God and your friends and family.

Suppose you are unsure how to stay connected to God, friends, or family. Talk to and ask him for help, trusting he will hear you and respond in ways you understand.

Cheers, Kevin.

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