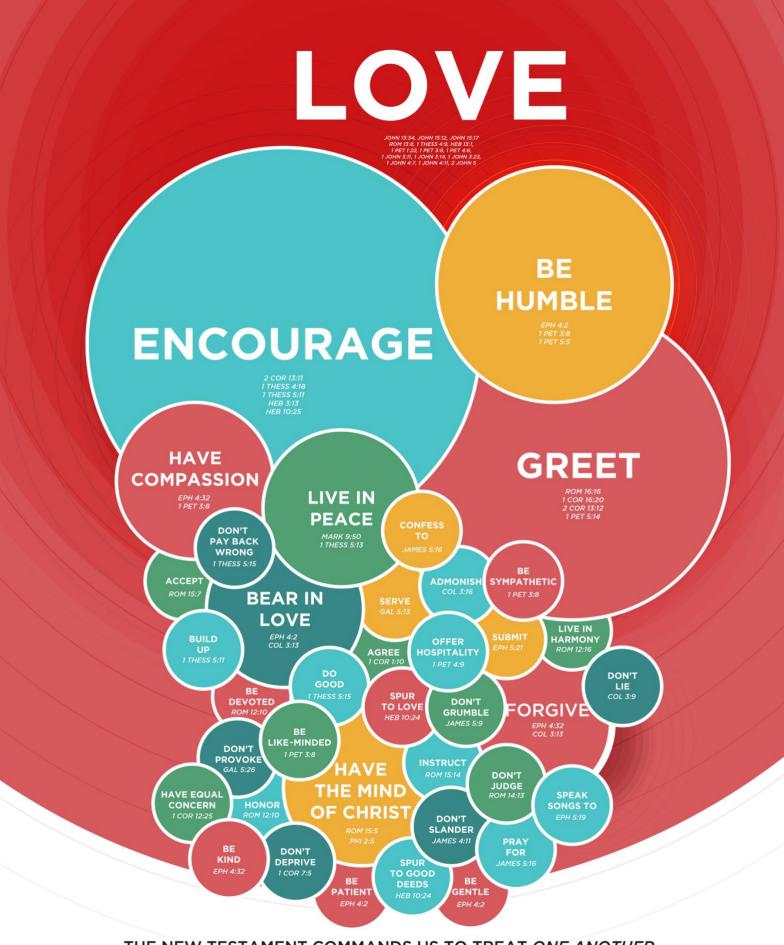


## August 10<sup>th</sup>, 2025 Ephesians 5:21 "Submitting to One Another"

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1.	How does our culture generally react to the word "submit," and why? What negative examples of authority or submission have you seen that might distort our view of this command?
2.	How does biblical submission differ from coercion or authoritarian control? How does this command protect against abuse of authority in Christian relationships?
3.	How is submission a result of being filled with the Spirit (Ephesians 5:18, Galatians 5)?
4.	What are some everyday examples of "submitting to one another" in the church family?  How would this help us as we:  - Seek to resolve conflicts?  - Make decisions?  - Work together in serving?
5.	What role does "reverence for Christ" play in this command? In what ways is submission an act of worship to Christ?

6. Where in your own life is it most difficult to practice biblical submission?



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