

# Love in the Garden

## Matthew 26:39

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*"Undoubtedly, one of the most incredible and important verses in the gospels." - Jeff Thompson speaking about Matthew 26:39*

*And being in agony he prayed more earnestly; and his sweat became like great drops of blood falling down to the ground.*  
- Luke 22:44

*"There are hundreds – thousands - of other martyrs from these years who endured the most terrible pain. But the strange thing is, the stories that come down to us about their deaths, even those few stories recorded by the Romans who killed them, tell us that most of these women, men, and children who were killed for their faith died with peaceful hearts, sometimes even singing hymns as they were burned or dragged by animals in front of the cheering crowds. Their friendship with God was very, very deep."*  
- A quote from an article online titled: "Early Christian Martyrs" on loyolapress.com

*"I and the Father are one." - John 10:30*

*And now, Father, glorify me in your own presence with the glory that I had with you before the world existed. - John 17:5*

*For our sake he made him to be sin who knew no sin, so that in him we might become the righteousness of God. - 2 Corinthians 5:21*

Love is \_\_\_\_\_ without \_\_\_\_\_.

*Jesus answered him, "If anyone loves me, he will keep my word, and my Father will love him, and we will come to him and make our home with him." - John 14:23*

*If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. - 1 John 1:8*

### 4 things Christians need to remember when we mess up:

1. Christian, sin does not alter your \_\_\_\_\_ in Christ.
2. Christian, you are not \_\_\_\_\_ from the secondary consequences of sin.
3. Christian, when you sin - confess and repent as \_\_\_\_\_ as you can.
4. Christian, make \_\_\_\_\_ to be reconciled to the one you've sinned against.