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A Portrait of Love

1 Cor. 2:9, "Eye has not seen, nor ear heard, nor have entered into the heart of man the things which God has prepared for those who love Him."

Many years ago, as young students in school, we went through a series of learning tests. I found out that there are basically two types of learners; auditory or visual. Many have the ability to hear things and remember them. These people tend to be the precise people who love the facts and are able to recall them easily. They like Algebra, but struggle a bit with Geometry. Then there are those who need to see how things work. When they see the concept, then it makes sense. They tend to be the creative people who love Geometry but don't really care much about "solving for X." Auditory learners listen well. Visual learners need to see things and then "experience" them. Right brained - Auditory; Left-brained - Visual. Facts - right brained; Concepts - left brained.

Today's scripture covers us all. The eye has not seen, nor the ear has heard... God wants to make sure everyone understands what He has prepared for those who love Him. And what might that be? How about salvation, forgiveness, eternal life, purpose, abundance, true freedom and real love? As we enter this season of remembrance of what Jesus did for us through His death, burial and resurrection, I want to share the facts of His love and paint a picture of the extent of His love. Let's put on our learning caps and whether you just need to hear it or just need to see it, I pray that we all will learn more about the unlimited and complete love of God. He is the One Who has prepared for us a life of unending peace, comfort, hope, and love. He tells us about it in His word and He demonstrated it for us through the cross.

Dear Father, help me to learn how wide and how deep Your love for me is. Help me to grasp this so that I can know how to share it with others by what they "hear" from me and what the "see" in me. In Jesus Name, Amen