TODAY'S SCRIPTURE: Romans 13:8-10

SERMON TITLE: "LOVE SETS YOU FREE!!!

SERMON POINTS:

1. WAKE-UP
2. TAKE-OFF
3. PUT-ON

"And do this, knowing the time, that now it is high time to awake out of sleep;" Romans 13:11a

"Therefore let us cast off...works of darkness,...revelry & drunkenness...lewdness & lust... strife & envy. " Rom. 13:12b & 13b

"But *put on*THE LORD
JESUS CHRIST,
and make no provision
for the flesh..."
Romans 13:14

TODAY's TEXT:

ROMANS 13:8-10

4 KEY FOCII:

1. PAUL 2. MOSES 3. JESUS 4. JOHN

PAUL: THE APOSTLE

"Owe no one anything except to *love* one another, for he who *loves* another has fulfilled the law"

Romans 13:8

"...commandments...

all summed up in this saying, namely, "You shall *love* your neighbor as yourself."

Romans 13:9

"Love does no harm to a neighbor; therefore *love* is the fulfillment of the law."

Romans 13:10

MOSES: THE LAW GIVER

"You shall not take vengeance...but you shall *love* your neighbor as yourself: I *am* the Lord." Leviticus 19:18

JESUS: THE CHRIST

"A new commandment
I give...that you *love*one another; as I
have *loved* you...you
also *love* one another."
John 13:34

"By this all will know that you are MY disciples, if you have **love** for one another." **John 13:35** "As the FATHER loved ME,
I also have loved you;
abide in MY love."
John 15:9

"If you keep MY commandments, you will abide in MY *love*,..."

John 15:10a

"...just as I have kept MY FATHER's commandments and abide in HIS *love*." **John 15:10b**

"This is MY commandment, that you *love* one another as I have loved you."

John 15:12

"Greater *love*has no one than this,
than to lay down one's
life for his friends."

John 15:13

JOHN: THE REVELATOR

"Beloved... *love* one another, for *love* is of GOD;...everyone who *loves* is born of GOD and knows GOD."

I John 4:7

"He who does not *love* does not know God, for God is *love*." I John 4:8 "In this the *love* of GOD was manifested ...that GOD...sent HIS only begotten SON...that we might live..."

I John 4:9

"In this is *love*, not that we *loved* GOD, but that He *loved* us and sent His SON... for our sins."

I John 4:10

"Beloved, if God so *loved* us, we also ought to *love* one another." I John 4:11

"No one has seen GOD...If we *love* one another, GOD abides in us...HIS *love* has been perfected in us."

I John 4:12

"And we have known and believed the *love* that GOD has for us..."

I John 4:16a

"...GOD is *love*, and he who abides in *love* abides in GOD, and GOD in him." I John 4:16b "Love has been perfected...in this: that we may have boldness...; because as HE is, so are we..."

I John 4:17

"There is no fear in *love*; but perfect love casts out fear, because fear involves torment..." I John 4:18a "Owe no one anything except to *love* one another, for he who *loves* another has fulfilled the law"

Romans 13:8

"We *love* HIM because HE first *loved* us."

I John 4:19