Title: God's Heart! My Heart?

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Commanded

Matthew 22:37

³⁷You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your mind. And the second is like it, You shall love your neighbour as yourself.

Our hearts

Proverbs 4:23

²³Keep your heart with all diligence, for out of it spring the issues of life.

Luke 6:45

⁴⁵A good man brings good things out of the good stored up in his heart, and an evil man brings evil things out of the evil stored up in his heart. For the mouth speaks what the heart is full of.

God's heart

John 15:12-14

¹²My command is this: Love each other as I have loved you. ¹³Greater love has no one than this: to lay down one's life for one's friends. ¹⁴You are my friends if you do what I command.

God's love is

Everlasting

Jeremiah 31:3

³The Lord has appeared to me from afar, saying, Yea, I have loved you with an everlasting love; therefore with loving-kindness I have drawn you.

Unmerited

1 John 3:1a

³Behold, what manner of love the Father hath bestowed upon us, that we should be called the sons of God.

Demonstrative

Romans 5:8

⁸But God demonstrates his love toward us, in that, while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us.

Giving

John 3:16

¹⁶For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life.

Romans 8:32

³²He that spared not his own Son, but delivered him up for us all, how shall he not with him also freely give us all things?

Sacrificial

John 15:13

¹³No one has greater love than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends.

1 John 3:16

¹⁶Hereby we perceive the love of God, because he laid down his life for us

Forgiving

Psalm 86:5

⁵For you, Lord, are good, and ready to forgive; abundant in loving kindness to all those who call on you.

Jealous

Exodus 34:14

¹⁴For you shall worship no other god. For the Lord, whose name is Jealous, is a jealous God. (Jehovah Qannah)

The love of God

Romans 5:5

⁵The love of God has been poured out in our hearts through the Holy Spirit given to us.

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The Lord direct your hearts

2 Thessalonians 3:5

⁵And may the Lord direct your hearts into the love of God, and into the patience of Christ.