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## SPIRIT

- **John 4:24**
- God should not be thought of as confined to a particular place
- Nor accessible by external, formal ritual
  - Worship must be in truth **-vs 22**
- Our worship is to be motivated by a

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## LIGHT

- 1 John 1:5

*"The Lord is my light and my salvation;  
whom shall I fear?" (Ps. 27:1)*

- In Him, there is no darkness at all
- We can't walk in darkness and have: -vs 6-7
  - Fellowship with Him or one another (Heb. 10:26-

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## LOVE

- **1 John 4:8**
- More than an attribute; His essence
- Divine love is eternal and unchangeable
  - Manifested in sending His son **-vs 9-10**
  - Expressed by our love for each other **-vs 11-12**
- We know and believe that God loves us

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## NEAR US

- Deut. 4:7
- The mark of a "*great nation*" (1 Pet. 2:9)
- We have a better law, with a better hope (Heb. 7:19)
  - through which we draw near to God
- "*let us draw near*" (Heb. 10:22)
  - With a true heart and clean conscience (1 Pet. 3:21)

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## CALLING

• 2 Cor. 5:20

*"Therefore, we are Christ's representatives, and through us **God is calling you**. We beg you on behalf of Christ to become reunited with God."*

(GOD'S WORD Translation)

- pleading (NKJV)
- making an appeal (NASB)
- making His appeal (ESV)

