

Believe, Abide, Love

Jn.3:16; 15:4-12

- I. Believe, not do
 - a. The Gospel is offensive
 - b. It tells us you cannot help yourself
 - c. This offends our human pride
 - d. These ideas have worked their way into theology
 - i. Works for salvation, works to keep salvation, works to prove salvation

- II. Abide = abundance
 - a. Who do you spend the most time with?
 - b. How can we abide with Jesus?
 - i. By thinking, reading, listening
 - c. Abiding produces doing

- III. Love = power
 - a. Love was the creating force of the universe
 - b. Agape love is still powerful
 - i. It releases good
 - ii. It grants freedom