

448 The Greatest Commands

C/C *Whoever does not love does not know God, because God is love. – 1 John 4:8*

Soprano (Sing as a round - begin with alto, add a part on each repeat)

4. Love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, with

1. Love one another, for love is of God

3. God is love, God is love, God is love.

2. Love bears all things,

all thy soul, all thy strength, all thy mind.

He who loves is born of God and knows God.

God is love, God is love, God is love.

Be - lieves all things,

Love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, For

He who does not love does not know God, For

God is love, God is love, God is love.

Love hopes all things,

WORDS: Traditional, 1 John 4:8; 1 Corinthians 13; Luke 10:27

MUSIC: Traditional, Tenor Line Arr. by Peggy West (w. 1993)

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THE GREATEST COMMANDS
Irregular

WORD OF GOD

4 God is love, God is love, God is love.

1 God is love, God is love.

3 God is love, God is love, God is love.

2 En - dures all things.

The musical score consists of four staves. The first three staves are vocal parts with lyrics. The first staff (numbered 4) has lyrics: "God is love, God is love, God is love." The second staff (numbered 1) has lyrics: "God is love, God is love." The third staff (numbered 3) has lyrics: "God is love, God is love, God is love." The fourth staff (numbered 2) is a bass line with lyrics: "En - dures all things." The music is written in a common time signature and features various note values, rests, and phrasing slurs.