

# Hatred is the Test

1 John 3:11-18

## **A. The Father's Command - Love One Another.**

1. A plea to the family of faith
2. Love and hate

## **B. A Spiritual Battle Rages.**

1. The battle lines
2. The power behind hatred
3. Rule over sin or be ruled by it
4. The world's anticipated response
5. Wrecked by hate

## **C. Love Sacrifices For Another's Benefit.**

1. Jesus' exemplary sacrifice
2. Jesus' unique sacrifice
3. For us
4. For the family

## **Application**

Make your choice each day.

Reject the Enemy behind the anger.

Allow Jesus' sacrifice to inspire your own.

Do good to one another.