

# THE TRINITY – THE LOVE OF GOD REVEALED

Genesis 1:1-2, 26-27

# KEY POINTS

1. God appears as **two** “names.” Gen 1:1
2. He describes himself with a **plural personal pronoun**. There must be a “**God-family**.” Gen 1:26
3. The image of God is **not singular**, but “**male and female,**” **together**. Gen 1:27.
  - What if we understood the original by looking back from the “image”?

# LOOKING BACK FROM THE IMAGE

1. **Humans are of the same “essence,”** flesh and blood. What about the family of God?
2. **Husband and wife are two separate persons,** each having a separate function. What about the family of God?
3. **Husband and wife create life** – just as God did. **The family is a unit designed to love one another.** What about the family of God?

# KEY POINTS

- Love is revealed in the God-family:
  1. Publicly
  2. Fellowship of father/son
  3. Partnership of father/son
  4. By the faith/trust of the father/son relationship
- Because of his love, we have been “adopted” into the God-family.