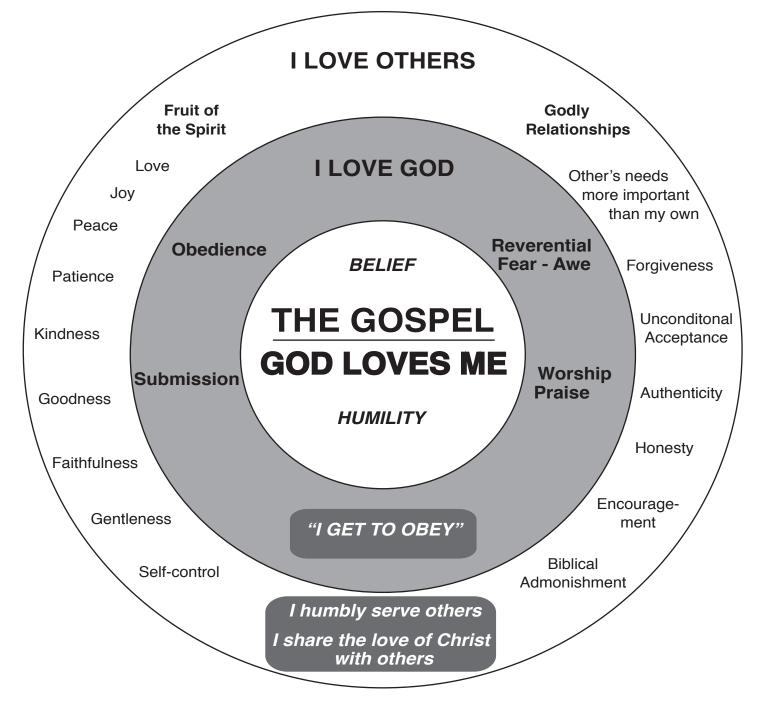
LOVE-MOTIVATED OBEDIENCE



Religion says, "I obey, therefore, I am accepted." The Gospel says, "I am accepted, therefore, I obey."

The Christian life is a relationship with God that produces greater obedience, *not* a life of obedience that produces a greater relationship with God.

Our love-motivated obedience brings glory to God and puts Him on display.