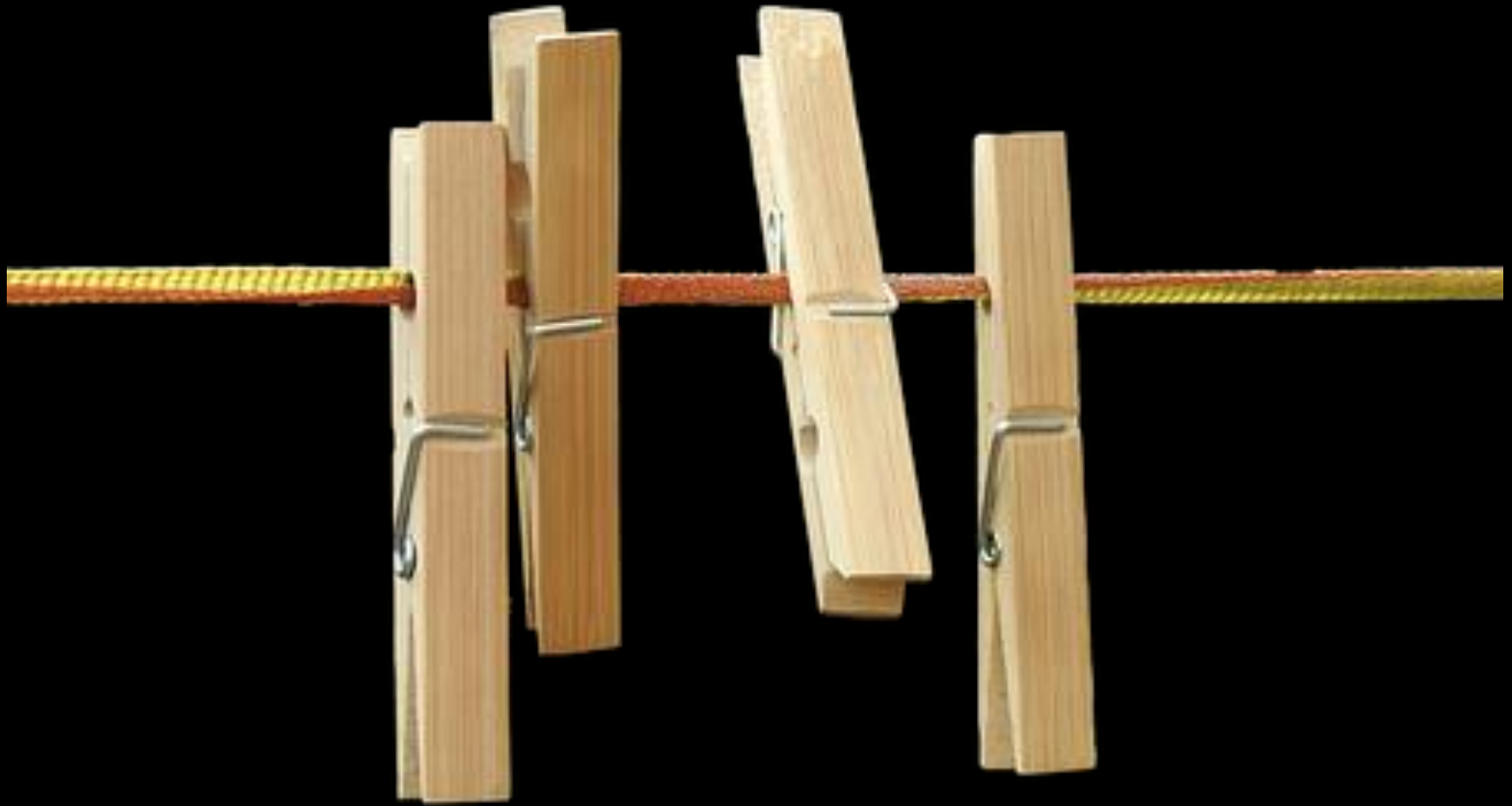


New Life

Solon E. Moore

Year 1887

Coiled fulcrum



Clothespin

# The four things I learned from my mom concerning clothespins

- Clothespins are not little rockets that were waiting to be launched into space
- Clothespins are not sitting ducks waiting to be picked off with the .22

➤Clothespin are not to be transformed into a mini cannon for shooting various items

➤Clothespins are devices used for attaching clothes to a clothesline

Clothespins are often used  
for holding a variety of  
items together, like a clamp

Colossians 3:14

...which binds them all together...

Colossians 3:14

And over all these virtues



## Vs 12

Therefore, as God's chosen people,  
holy and dearly loved, clothe  
yourselves with compassion,  
kindness, humility, gentleness and  
patience.

## Vs 13

Bear with each other and forgive whatever grievances you may have against one another. Forgive as the Lord forgave you.

Compassion, Kindness, Humility,  
Gentleness, Patience, Bear with  
each other, Forgiveness

## Colossians 3:14

And over all these virtues put on  
love, which binds them all together  
in perfect unity.

Love is what holds everything together  
and causes them to work

Without love compassion, kindness,  
humility, gentleness, patience, bearing  
with each other and forgiveness will be  
a list of “do I have to”

Love will unify the virtues and  
unified virtues will unify the church  
and a unified church will overcome  
the enemy and bring the Light to  
every dark place

# 1 Corinthians 13

## Vs 1

If I speak in the tongues of men and of angels, but have not love, I am only a resounding gong or a clanging cymbal.

## Vs 2

If I have the gift of prophecy and  
can fathom all mysteries and all  
knowledge, and if I have a faith that  
can move mountains, but have not  
love, I am nothing.



## Vs 3

If I give all I possess to the poor and  
surrender my body to the flames,  
but have not love, I gain nothing.

Colossians 3:14  
Put on Love

The word love is used 551  
times in the Bible

It is used to express

- ✓ God's love for us
- ✓ Our love for God or things of God
- ✓ Mankind's love for something other than God
- ✓ Mankind's love for mankind
- ✓ The power, result, and action of love

1 Peter 4:8

Above all, love each other deeply,  
because love covers over a  
multitude of sins.

## Galatians 5:13

You, my brothers, were called to be free. But do not use your freedom to indulge the sinful nature; rather, serve one another in love.

## 1 Corinthians 13:4-8

Love is patient, love is kind. It does not envy, it does not boast, it is not proud. It is not rude, it is not self-seeking, it is not easily angered, it keeps no record of wrongs. Love does not delight in evil but rejoices with the truth. It always protects, always trusts, always hopes, always perseveres. Love never fails.

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# Pray with persistence

1Thessalonians 3:12

May the Lord make your love increase and overflow for each other and for everyone else, just as ours does for you.

Philippians 1:9

And this is my prayer: that your love may abound more and more...

Dehydration will kill you

Delovetion will kill you and  
those around you

Hungry for, longing for, pursuing  
the next drop of love that God will  
pour into me

“I ache to be saturated with love”

# Understand God's love

I do not want my understanding of love to come from

- the world
- my past experiences
- the flesh

## Ephesians 3:16-17

I pray that out of His glorious riches He may strengthen you with power through His Spirit in your inner being, so that Christ may dwell in your hearts through faith. And I pray that you, being rooted and established in love,

## Vs 18-19

...may have power, together with all the saints, to grasp how wide and long and high and deep is the love of Christ, and to know this love that surpasses knowledge-- that you may be filled to the measure of all the fullness of God.

# Take up this transformation

Ephesians 4:22-24

You were taught, with regard to your former way of life, to put off your old self, which is being corrupted by its deceitful desires; to be made new in the attitude of your minds; and to put on the new self, created to be like God in true righteousness and holiness

# Operate in this transformation

James 2:21-22

Was not our ancestor Abraham considered righteous for what he did when he offered his son Isaac on the altar? You see that his faith and his actions were working together, and his faith was made complete by what he did.



# Now is the time

Ephesians 5:15-16

Be very careful, then, how you live--  
not as unwise but as wise, making the  
most of every opportunity, because the  
days are evil.

Pray

Understand

Take up

Operate in

Now