Why not love the world?

- 1. Because the gain of it is the loss of the soul Matthew 16:25.
- 2. Because its friendship is hatred to God James 4:4.
- 3. Because it did not know Christ John 1:10; 17:25.
- 4. Because it hates Christ John 7:7; 15:18.
- 5. Because the Holy Spirit has forbidden us to do so— 1 John 2:15.
- 6. Because Jesus did not even pray for it John 17:9.
- 7. Because Christ's people do not belong to it John 17:16.
- 8. Because it will never receive the Spirit John 14:27.
- 9. Because its Prince is Satan John 13:31; 16:11.
- 10. Because Christ's kingdom is not of it John 18:36.
- 11. Because its wisdom is foolishness 1 Corinthians 1:20.
- 12. Because its wisdom is ignorance 1 Corinthians 1:21.
- 13. Because Jesus does not belong to it John 8:23.
- 14. Because it is condemned 1 Corinthians 11:32.
- 15. Because it will pass away 1 Corinthians 7:31.
- 16. Because it killed Christ James 5:6; Matthew 21:39.
- 17. Because it is crucified to us Galatians 6:14.
- 18. Because we are crucified to it Galatians 6:14.
- 19. Because it is the seat of wickedness 2 Peter 1:4; 1 John 5:19.
- 20. Because from it flows temptations Matthew 18:7
- 21. Because its cares choke out the word of God Mark 4:19
- 22. It is the home of antichrists 1 John 4:3
- 23. If we are born of God we will overcome it -1 John 5:4 (how then can we love it)
- 24. It is the home of deceivers 2 John 7