







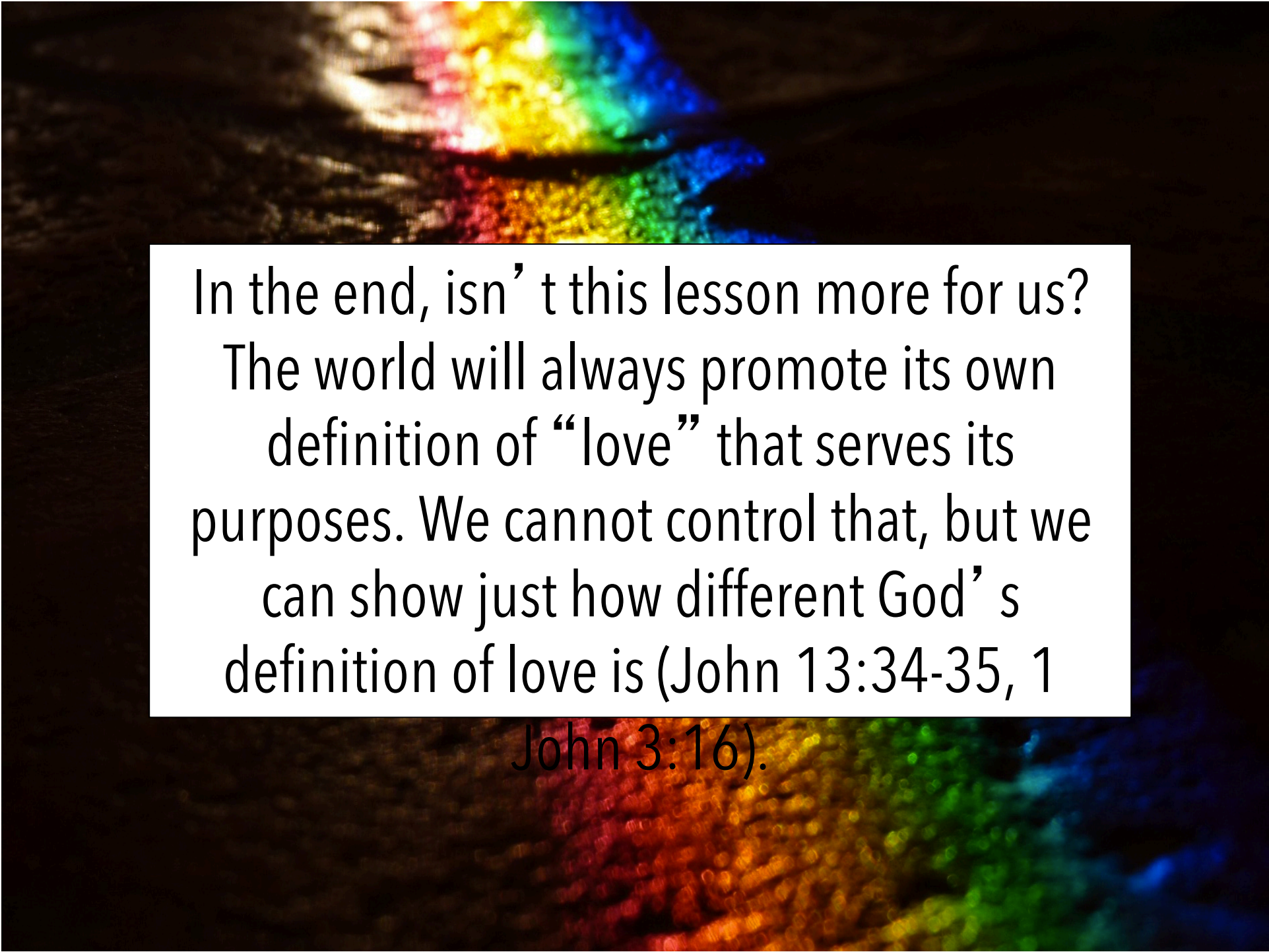




# 1 Corinthians 13:1-8

“If I speak with the tongues of men and angels, but do not have love, I have become a noisy gong or a clanging cymbal. And if I have the gift of prophecy, and know all mysteries and all knowledge; and if I have all faith, so as to remove mountains, but do not have love, I am nothing. And if I give all my possessions to feed the poor, and if I deliver my body that I may boast, but do not have love, it profits me nothing.

“Love is patient, love is kind, and is not jealous; love does not brag and is not arrogant, does not act unbecomingly; it does not seek its own, is not provoked, does not take into account a wrong suffered, does not rejoice in unrighteousness, but rejoices with the truth; bears all things, believes all things, hopes all things, endures all things. Love never fails...”



In the end, isn't this lesson more for us?  
The world will always promote its own  
definition of "love" that serves its  
purposes. We cannot control that, but we  
can show just how different God's  
definition of love is (John 13:34-35, 1  
John 3:16).