

written in the Lamb's book of life. (Rev. 21:27).

We know we have found our real family, our heavenly parents, because we have found each other; we are come unto the city of the living God, the heavenly Jerusalem... to the general assembly and Church of the firstborn which are written in heaven, and to God the Judge of all, and to the spirits of just men made perfect, and to Jesus the mediator of the new covenant... (Heb. 12:22-24).

We recognize each other by our love. For this is the covenant that I will make with the house of Israel after those days, saith the Lord. I will put my laws into their mind and write them in their hearts* and I will be to them a God, and they shall be to me a people. (Heb. 8:10). The law of love is written in our hearts. Our lives are knit together in obedience to God by love for one another. We are the family of Jesus

* see also: (1 Cor. 3:3).