

Love One Another Fervently

1 Peter 01: 22–25

1 Reason 1:

You have purified your souls

- a. By obeying the truth
- b. By the Spirit's power

2 Reason 2:

*You are born again
through the Word of God*

- a. The Word is imperishable,
incorruptible
- b. The Word lives forever

3 Reason 3:

Your flesh withers and falls away

- a. Life is short, just like grass
- b. The Word and the believer
endure forever

22 Now that you have purified yourselves
by obeying the truth
so that you have sincere love for your brothers,
love one another deeply, from the heart.

23 For you have been born again,
not of perishable seed,
but of imperishable,
through the living
and enduring word of God.

24 For, "All men are like grass,
and all their glory is like the flowers of the field;
the grass withers and the flowers fall,

25 But the word of the Lord stands forever."
And this is the word
that was preached to you.