

## Deacon's Beacons

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For I am sure that neither death nor life, nor angels nor rulers, nor things present nor things to come, nor powers, nor height nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord. Romans 8:38–39

The love of God is unconditional and eternal. There is nothing that will ever cause God to stop loving you. You may choose to separate yourself from that love but that is your choice and not God's. But God will not and cannot force you to love Him in return. That would be contrary to His nature and in violation of our inherent human dignity. That is the nature of Free Will. We are given the option and the freedom to love God or not. God still loves us, regardless.

Go raibh síocháin Chríost a bheith in éineacht leat.

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