

# Be Kind to One Another

Ephesians 4:31-5:2

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**Big Idea:** The gospel kindles our kindness toward one another.

## I. To the hurting, show compassion by remembering Christ's compassion for you (v. 32a)

Ephesians 4:32, Hosea 11:2-4, Ephesians 2:7, Romans 2:4-5, Galatians 5:22-23, 2 Corinthians 6:4-10, Titus 3:4-5a, James 5:11

## II. To the hurtful, forgive by remembering Christ's forgiveness to you (v. 32b)

Matthew 6:12-15, Ephesians 5:1-2

Path of Freedom	Path of Bondage
Choose to forgive Focus on Christ's forgiveness Walk with compassion and joy Become like Christ, the object of your focus	Choose not to forgive Focus on your hurt Walk in bitterness and hurt Become like the object of your bitterness

## Benediction

Titus 3:4-5a | 4 But when the goodness and loving kindness of God our Savior appeared, 5 he saved us, not because of works done by us in righteousness, but according to his own mercy,