

PHILIPPIANS



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CHRIST

Sermon Notes Working Towards Unity Philippians 2:1-4

1. Is your love for others active, intentional and sacrificial. Is it given whether it is deserved or reciprocated?
1 John 14:19-21, 2 Corinthians 5:13-14, Romans 5:5-10
2. Where do you need to give up your own way? Is your life about God's agenda or your agenda?
Galatians 5:20, James 3:16, Matthew 16:24
3. Do you have any areas in your life where you think you are indispensable? Where do you think "if I wasn't here, they could never get along"? Do you seek your wisdom or God's Wisdom?
Galatians 6:3, Proverbs 3:5-6, Daniel 4
4. Where is pride destroying relationships in your life?
1 Peter 2:13, Romans 13:1, Philippians 3:8, James 4:7, Matthew 5:3, Isaiah 14:12-14
5. Do you give close attention to the interests of others? Is your focus more on what you need or what others need?
Romans 12:15, Romans 14:19-21, Romans 15:1-2, Galatians 6:2
6. Considering all that God has done for me, what is my response to Him? What do I offer in return?
Philippians 2:1, Romans 12:1-2, Ephesians 2:4-5, Titus 3:5
7. What is your "even though"...but I still rejoice?
Habakkuk 3:17-18, Romans 15:13

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¹Is there any encouragement from belonging to Christ? Any comfort from his love? Any fellowship together in the Spirit? Are your hearts tender and compassionate? ²Then make me truly happy by agreeing wholeheartedly with each other, loving one another, and working together with one mind and purpose.

³Don't be selfish; don't try to impress others. Be humble, thinking of others as better than yourselves. ⁴Don't look out only for your own interests, but take an interest in others, too.