

Home Series: A Peace Filled Home
Ephesians 4:25-32

Romans 12: 16 – “Live in harmony with one another” (really?)

Principles for harmony in my home: Eph. 4:25-32

Principle #1 –

“Each of you must put off falsehood and speak truthfully to one another...”
(verse 25)

Principle #2 –

“In your anger do not sin. Do not let the sun go down while you are still angry.” (verse 26)

Principle #3 –

“Do not let any unwholesome talk come out of your mouths, but only what is helpful for building others up according to their needs, that it may benefit those who listen.” (verse 29)

Principle #4 –

“Be kind and compassionate to one another, forgiving each other, just as in Christ God forgave you.” (verse 32)

Small Group & Personal Bible Study

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Memory Verses: Romans 12:16 (NLT)

“Live in harmony with each other. Don’t be too proud to enjoy the company of ordinary people. And don’t think you know it all!”

Discovery Bible Study Exercise:

In your journal or on a piece of paper make three columns and follow these steps:

- Step #1: Read Romans 12:16
- Step #2: Re-write in your own words Romans 12:16
- Step #3: Write down what you discover from this passage
- Step #4: What will you do to obey what this passage says?

Daily Meditation Readings:

Day 1 – 2 Corinthians 13:11-12

Day 2 – Romans 12:9-21

Day 3 – Ephesians 4:25-32

Day 4 – Genesis 2:18-25

Day 5 – 1 Corinthians 6:12-7:40

Lesson: A Peace Filled Home

1. Romans 12:16, tells us to live in harmony with each other. What does that mean to you? *(Check out 1 Peter 3)*
2. What promise do we get from God found in 2 Corinthians 13:11 for instruction about living in peace with one another? *(Check out Romans 5:1-10)*
3. Some of you may have had a very difficult time trying to live in peace with someone who you thought would show you love. Read Ephesians 4:32. How can you forgive that person so that you can finally begin to live in peace? *(Also see Colossians 3:13, Luke 23:34, Matthew 6:14-15, Matthew 18:21-35)*

Consider this specific text for further study discussion on forgiveness: Matthew 18:21-35