

LOVING WELL THROUGH BIBLICAL RECONCILIATION

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STEP ONE: <i>Ask what is going on?</i>	Offendee	Offender
Look at yourself	Matthew 7:1-5 <i>Do not judge</i>	Matthew 7:1-5 <i>Do not judge</i>
Get input	Proverbs 11:14 <i>Safety in advisors</i>	Proverbs 11:14 <i>Safety in advisors</i>
Ask God	Psalm 139:23-24 <i>"Search me"</i>	Psalm 139:23-24 <i>"Search me"</i>
Recall God's love is NOT easily offended	1 Cor 13:5 <i>Love is...</i>	1 Cor 13:5 <i>Love is...</i>

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STEP TWO: <i>Choose to Cover?</i>	Offendee	Offender
<p>Love covers</p>	<p>Proverbs 17:9 1 Peter 4:8 <i>Love covers</i></p>	
STEP THREE: <i>Go! Be a GIFT giver!</i>	Offendee	Offender
<p>Go to the person privately</p>	<p>Matthew 18:5 <i>Share offense</i></p>	<p>Matthew 5:23-24 <i>Be reconciled</i></p>
<p>Inquire gently</p>	<p>Galatians 6:1 <i>Pick another up</i> 1 Peter 3:8-11 <i>Bless and do good</i></p>	<p>Proverbs 18:2, 13 <i>Listen to understand</i> Ephesians 4:15-16 <i>Speak truth in love</i></p>
<p>Forgive</p>	<p>Ephesians 4:31-32 Mark 11:25, Luke 17:3 <i>Extend forgiveness</i></p>	<p>2 Cor 7:10-12 Luke 17:3 <i>Repent</i></p>
<p>Time to live in peace, extend grace, trust God</p>	<p>Romans 12:16-19 <i>Live in harmony and peace</i></p>	<p>Romans 8:1 <i>No condemnation in Christ</i></p>