



Overcoming Conflict

PHILIPPIANS 4:2-3

*"I entreat Euodia and I entreat Syntyche to agree in the Lord."
(Philippians 4:2, ESV)*

Review the Sermon

Read Philippians 4:2-3.

Why was it important that Paul called out (by name) the two individuals involved in the conflict?

How do relationship struggles affect more than just the people directly involved?

What are some of the factors that will lead toward overcoming conflict?

Assess your Life

Without naming people, what's an example of a conflict you saw avoided for too long? What was the result?

Are you more prone to blame yourself or the other person when involved in a conflict? Why?

If you have ever overcome a conflict, what steps did you take toward a resolution?



Apply the Truth

What can you do to change your perspective regarding the circumstances of a quarrel and the other people involved?

How can you find value in other people rather than devaluing them and your relationship with them?

What can you do to be a peacemaker – someone who encourages unity and helps others overcome conflict? What can the church do to be a supportive community that encourages unity and healing?

Commit this Week

Will you commit this week to identifying ongoing conflicts in your life and taking the first step toward restoring a broken relationship?

*"Yes, I ask you also, true companion, help these women, who have labored side by side with me in the gospel together with Clement and the rest of my fellow workers, whose names are in the book of life."
(Philippians 4:3, ESV)*