

# Happy People are Peaceful People



Matthew 5:9

Blessed are the peacemakers, for they shall be called sons of God.



#### Colossians 1:19-20

For in Him all the fullness of God was pleased to dwell, and through Him to reconcile to Himself all things, whether on earth or in heaven, making peace by the blood of His cross.



James 3:18

And a harvest of righteousness is sown in peace by those who make peace.





1. Be the first to move.



#### Matthew 5:23-24

So if you are offering your gift at the altar and there remember that your brother has something against you, leave your gift there before the altar and go. First be reconciled to your brother, and then come and offer your gift.



- 1. Be the first to move.
- 2. Be humble and prayerful.



#### James 1:5

If any of you lacks wisdom, let him ask God, who gives generously to all without reproach, and it will be given him.



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- 2. Be humble and prayerful.
- 3. Be courageously loving.



#### 1 John 4:18

There is no fear in love, but perfect love casts out fear. For fear has to do with punishment, and whoever fears has not been perfected in love.



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- 3. Be courageously loving.
- 4. Be aware of your own faults.



#### Matthew 7:3-5

Why do you see the speck that is in your brother's eye, but do not notice the log that is in your own eye? Or how can you say to your brother, 'Let me take the speck out of your eye,' when there is the log in your own eye? You hypocrite, first take the log out of your own eye, and then you will see clearly to take the speck out of your brother's eye.



James 4:1

What causes quarrels and what causes fights among you? Is it not this, that your passions are at war within you?



#### Proverbs 13:10 NIV

Where there is strife, there is pride, but wisdom is found in those who take advice.



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- 2. Be humble and prayerful.
- 3. Be courageously loving.
- 4. Be aware of your own faults.
- 5. Be quick to listen.



James 1:19

Know this, my beloved brothers: let every person be quick to hear, slow to speak, slow to anger...



### Philippians 2:4-5

Let each of you look not only to his own interests, but also to the interests of others. Have this mind among yourselves, which is yours in Christ Jesus...



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- 3. Be courageously loving.
- 4. Be aware of your own faults.
- 5. Be quick to listen.
- 6. Be truthful and kind.



### Ephesians 4:15

Rather, speaking the truth in love, we are to grow up in every way into Him who is the Head, into Christ...



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- 7. Be clear about rules of engagement.



#### Colossians 3:8

But now you must put them all away: anger, wrath, malice, slander, and obscene talk from your mouth.



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- 8. Be committed to reconcile the relationship.

Romans 12:18

If possible, so far as it depends on you, live peaceably with all.



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- 8. Be committed to reconstruct.9. Be at peace with the Ultimate Peacemaker

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# Be a peacemaker.



#### 2 Corinthians 5:18-20

All this is from God, who through Christ reconciled us to Himself and gave us the ministry of reconciliation; that is, in Christ God was reconciling the world to Himself, not counting their trespasses against them, and entrusting to us the message of reconciliation. Therefore, we are ambassadors for Christ, God making His appeal through us. We implore you on behalf of Christ, be reconciled to God.

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