## Bible

**16 All Scripture is God-breathed and** profitable for teaching, for reproof, for correction, for training in righteousness, 17 so that the man of God may be equipped, having been thoroughly equipped for every good work.

2 Timothy 3:16-17 (LSB)



## Prayer

**14 And this is the confidence which** we have before Him, that, if we ask anything according to His will, He hears us. 15 And if we know that He hears us in whatever we ask, we know that we have the requests which we have asked from Him.

1 John 5:14-15 (LSB)

### Acts Part 35

## "Christ Overrules Conflicts"



**36 After some days Paul said to** Barnabas, "Let's return and visit the brothers and sisters in every city in which we proclaimed the word of the Lord, and see how they are." 37 Barnabas wanted to take John, called Mark, along with them also.



38 But Paul was of the opinion that they should not take along with them this man who had deserted them in Pamphylia and had not gone with them to the work.



39 Now it turned into such a sharp disagreement that they separated from one another, and Barnabas took Mark with him and sailed away to Cyprus.



Flashback about John **13 Now Paul and his companions** put out to sea from Paphos and came to Perga in Pamphylia; but John left them and returned to Jerusalem.

#### Acts 13:13 (NASB)

Flashback about Barnabas/Saul (Paul) 26 When he came to Jerusalem, he tried repeatedly to associate with the disciples; and yet they were all afraid of him, as they did not believe that he was a disciple.

Acts 9:26-27 (NASB)



Flashback about Barnabas/Saul (Paul) 27 But Barnabas took hold of him and brought him to the apostles and described to them how he had seen the Lord on the road, and that He had talked to him, and how he had spoken out boldly in the name of Jesus at Damascus. Acts 9:26-27 (NASB)

Flashback about Barnabas/Saul (Paul) 22 The news about them reached the ears of the church in Jerusalem, and they sent Barnabas off to Antioch. 23 Then when he arrived and witnessed the grace of God, he rejoiced and began to encourage them all with resolute heart to remain true to the Lord; Acts 11:22-26 (NASB)

Flashback about Barnabas/Saul (Paul) 24 for he was a good man, and full of the Holy Spirit and faith. And considerable numbers were added to the Lord. 25 And he left for **Tarsus to look for Saul;** 

#### Acts 11:22-26 (NASB)



Flashback about Barnabas/Saul (Paul) 26 and when he had found him, he brought him to Antioch. And for an entire year they met with the church and taught considerable numbers of people; and the disciples were first called Christians in Antioch.

Acts 11:22-26 (NASB)



40 But Paul chose Silas, and left after being entrusted by the brothers to the grace of the Lord. 41 And he was traveling through Syria and Cilicia, strengthening the churches.



**Cross-Reference** 11 Only Luke is with me. Take along Mark and bring him with you, for he is useful to me for service.

2 Timothy 4:11 (NASB)



## What does the Bible say about Conflict Resolution?



31 All bitterness, wrath, anger, clamor, and slander must be removed from you, along with all malice.

#### Ephesians 4:31 (NASB)



14 Pursue peace with all people, and the holiness without which no one will see the Lord. 15 See to it that no one comes short of the grace of God; that no root of bitterness springing up causes trouble, and by it many become defiled;

Hebrews 12:14-15 (NASB)



34 I am giving you a new commandment, that you love one another; just as I have loved you, that you also love one another.

#### John 13:34 (NASB)



10 *Be* devoted to one another in brotherly love; give preference to one another in honor,

#### Romans 12:10 (NASB)



5 Now may the God who gives perseverance and encouragement grant you to be of the same mind with one another, according to Christ Jesus,

#### Romans 15:5 (NASB)



4 Love is patient, love is kind, it is not jealous; love does not brag, it is not arrogant. 5 It does not act disgracefully, it does not seek its own benefit; it is not provoked, does not keep an account of a wrong suffered, 6 it does not rejoice in unrighteousness, but rejoices with the truth;

1 Corinthians 13:4-6 (NASB)

11 Finally, brothers *and sisters*, rejoice, mend your ways, be comforted, be like-minded, live in peace; and the God of love and peace will be with you.

#### 2 Corinthians 13:11 (NASB)



3 Do nothing from selfishness or empty conceit, but with humility consider one another as more important than yourselves;

#### Philippians 2:3 (NASB)



15 "Now if your brother sins, go and show him his fault in private; if he listens to you, you have gained your brother. 16 But if he does not listen to you, take one or two more with you, so that ON THE TESTIMONY OF TWO **OR THREE WITNESSES EVERY MATTER MAY BE CONFIRMED.** Matthew 18:15-17 (NASB)

17 And if he refuses to listen to them, tell it to the church; and if he refuses to listen even to the church, he is to be to you as a Gentile and a tax collector.

#### Matthew 18:15-17 (NASB)



**3 Be on your guard! If your brother** sins, rebuke him; and if he repents, forgive him. 4 And if he sins against you seven times a day, and returns to you seven times, saying, 'I repent,' you shall forgive him."

#### Luke 17:3-4 (NASB)



# 18 If possible, so far as it depends on you, be at peace with all people.

#### Romans 12:18 (NASB)



11 A person's discretion makes him slow to anger, And it is his glory to overlook an offense.

#### Proverbs 19:11 (NASB)



23 Therefore, if you are presenting your offering at the altar, and there you remember that your brother has something against you, 24 leave your offering there before the altar and go; first be reconciled to your brother, and then come and present your offering. Matthew 5:23-24 (NASB)

