

Life in the Father's House

A Member's Guide to the Local Church

Lesson #9 "Preserving the Unity in the Body"

Read Chapter Nine and answer the following questions from pages 192-212.

Romans 12:18 If it is possible, as much as depends on you, live peaceably with all men.

- 1) How serious was the problem between Euodia and Syntyche?
- 2) Why do many relationships never become reconciled or restored?
- 3) What is the "principle of mutual responsibility?"
- 4) List the three ways we sinfully respond to a wrong done to us?
- 5) Retaliation is a sin against whom?
- 6) Why do we choose to do nothing in response to a broken relationship?
- 7) What is the goal of all broken relationships?
- 8) Where does resolving conflict all begins?

9) What is the key to all godly conduct?

10) What attitude do we need that would help us restore and unite our relationships?

11) How can we guard our minds against judging and thinking the worse in others?

12) How can we overcome sin and walk in holiness of life?

13) Why are we tempted not to seek help and advice from others?

14) What happens when we fail to seek advice, wisdom and counsel from others?

15) In the New Testament who is commanded to admonish and restore others in the church body?

16) How can we become better examples and teachers to others?