

"All For Your Upbuilding"
II Cor 12:19; 13:10; Eph 1:3-6

Foundational Truths:

We Are Chosen/Wanted by God, Not Rejected - Eph 1:4

- We are a Divine choice - Eph 2:10; II Thess 2:13
- ...How can I reject what God wants?

We Are Blessed by God, Not Cursed - Eph 1:3

- We are joined to the Blessed One - I Cor 6:17; II Pet 1:3,4
- ...How can I curse what God has blessed?

We Are Loved by God, Not Resented - Eph 1:6

- We are God's always being loved children - Eph 2:4; I Jo 4:8,18
- ...How can I hate what God loves?

Being to Others What Jesus Is to Us:

..."freely you received, freely give..." - Matt 10:8

We Freely Give Acceptance to Others - Ro 15:7

- We treat others as irreplaceable/non-disposable - Ro 14:1-23
- ...love the reality of people, not your dream of them - I Jo 4:7

We Freely Give Blessedness to Others - Ro 12:10-14

- We give the gift of ourselves - I Thess 2:8; II Cor 8:5
- ...seek to build up, not tear down - Eph 4:29

We Freely Give Love to Others - Eph 5:1-2; I Cor 13

- We address the need behind the fault - Eph 4:29
- ...look to love others, not fix them - I Jo 4:18