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"Behold, how good and pleasant it is when brothers dwell in unity." (Psalm 133:1)

1 Peter 3:8-12

"I appeal to you, brothers, by the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, that all of you agree, and that there be no divisions among you, but that you be united in the same mind and same judgment." (1 Corinthians 1:10)

Philippians 2:1-4



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ONE BODY

ONE FAITH

ONE SPIRIT

ONE BAPTISM

ONE HOPE

ONE FATHER

ONE LORD



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IT IS A GOD GIVEN GIFT - V.7-11

IT HAS A SPECIFIC GOAL IN MIND - V.12-16



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Ephesians 4

RELIGIOUS WORLD
CONGREGATIONAL
INDIVIDUAL



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What Unity Is Not

THINKING THE EXACT SAME WAY ON
ALL MATTERS

AGREEMENT IN EVERYTHING ON ALL
MATTERS

INSISTING ON YOUR OWN WAY



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Reasons for Ruptures in Unity

FOLLOWING THE WISDOM OF THIS
WORLD ABOVE & BEYOND THE WISDOM
OF GOD

1 Corinthians 1:18-20



Reasons for Ruptures in Unity

HUMAN PRIDE

1 Corinthians 1:28-29



Reasons for Ruptures in Unity

UNGUARDED TONGUES

Galatians 5:13-15



Reasons for Ruptures in Unity

MISPLACED LOYALTY

1 Corinthians 1:13-17



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