

One Mind: Love

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Bible References:

“Finally, all of you should be of one mind. Sympathize with each other. Love each other as brothers and sisters. Be tenderhearted, and keep a humble attitude.” 1 Peter 3:8 – NLT

Love / *φιλαδελφίαν*= To treat one another like _____, even though we’re not _____ related to one another.

The pathway to _____ is found in how we _____ to one another in the midst of the issues that would _____ us.

Notes:

Reflection Questions:

- In John 17, we saw Jesus pray as He was at death’s door. What kind of things would you pray for if you were at death’s door?
- What were the things that Jesus prayed for as He stood at death’s door?
- Why was unity so important to Jesus?
- Review the relationally destructive things that Joseph’s brothers did to him?
- What do you think took place in Joseph’s mind as he was enslaved or imprisoned?
- What do you think took place in Joseph’s mind when he saw his brothers for the first time?
- How would you explain the “back and forth” that took place between Joseph and his brothers in the narrative?
- Have you ever had an interaction with a sibling that would have ended a relationship with any other person?
- What is it about family that causes us to interact differently with them than we would with others?
- What is keeping you from loving your brother or sister in Christ the way that Peter is calling us to?
- Who do you need to practice love with most in your life right now?