WHAT WE BELIEVE & HOW WE BEHAVE—35

"What Difference Does All This Make In My Life?"—Romans 12:1—15:33

"It Makes A Difference in our Unity"

Romans 15:1-7

Introduction:_____
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I. FIRST, LOOK AT THE *DUTY* OF UNITY (Romans 15:1-2).

A. First, notice how it is our duty to live a *crucified* life (15:1). ***"We then who are strong ought to bear the infirmities of the weak, and not to please ourselves."*** **(*PUT* UP!).**

B. Secondly, notice how it is our duty to live a *consecrated* life (15:2). ***"Let every one of us please his neighbor for his good to edification."*** **(*BUILD* UP!).**

II. SECONDLY, CONSIDER THE _____ OF UNITY (Romans 15:3-4).

A. First, consider the _____ of our Savior (15:3). ***"For even Christ please not himself; but as it is written, The reproaches of them that reproached thee fell on me."*** **(_____ UP!).**

B. Secondly, consider the _____ of the Scriptures (15:4). ***"For whatsoever things were written aforetime were written for our learning, and comfort of the scriptures might have hope."*** **(_____ UP!).**

Notice how Paul shows the benefits of the Scripture:

1. First, she shows the _____ value of Scripture (15:4a).

2. Secondly, he shows the _____ relevance of the Scriptures (15:4b).

3. Thirdly, he shows the _____ application of the Scriptures (15:4c).

III. THIRDLY, NOTE THE _____ OF UNITY (15:5-7).

A. First, not how unity produces a delight in _____ (15:5). ***"Now the God of patience and consolation grant you to be likeminded one toward one another according to Jesus Christ."*** **(_____ UP!).**

B. Secondly, note how unity produces a delight in _____ (15:6). ***"That ye with one mind and one mouth glorify God, even the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ."*** **(_____ UP!).**

C. Thirdly, note how unity produces a delight in _____ (15:7). ***"Wherefore receive ye one another, as Christ also received us to the glory of God."*** (_____ **UP!).**