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Eph. 2:14-15 For he is our peace; in his flesh he has ...broken down the dividing wall, that is, the hostility between us....that he might create in himself one new humanity...thus making peace

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Do nothing just because it fits your own “just so” preferences and makes you feel comfortable or better. Don’t insist on having things “just so.” Rather, humbly consider other people’s preferences and concerns as more important than your own. Think like Jesus. He didn’t cling to the rights and glory of his divine position. Instead, for our sake, he let go of all that and became one of us – in fact he came to serve among us!

Eph 5:21, 25. Submit yourselves to one another.... Husbands, love your wives, just as Christ loved the church and gave himself up for her...