

THE ONE ANOTHERS - Part VI
Reference: **miscellaneous Scripture**
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ONE... **Receive** one another
Reference: **Romans 15:7**

TWO... **Prefer** one another
Reference: **Romans 12:10b**

THREE... **Admonish** one another
Reference: **Romans 15:14**

FOUR... **Encourage** one another
Reference: **Hebrews 3:13**

FIVE... **Comfort** one another
Reference: **I Thessalonians 5:11**

SIX... _____ with one another
Reference: **Ephesians 4:1-2** (see screen)

In the original Greek language "*to bear*" meant "to _____ with, to _____."
To bear with one another essentially means to be _____ with one another, so this particular patience has more to do with _____ and not as much with circumstances and situations.

This message is focused on the antithesis of people patience and that is the human temptation is to become agitated and angered toward one another.

Reference: **Ephesians 4:26**, "*Be angry, and do not sin: do not let the sun go down on your wrath,*"

Notice there are three specific statements mentioned in this verse:

STATEMENT ONE - Anger is _____ necessarily _____.
verse twenty-six, "Be angry, and do not sin."

Someone has grouped together all causes and cases of justifiable anger and has categorized them altogether as _____ (i.e. righteous indignation). This is the only form of anger that God finds acceptable.

Definition: Godly anger is when someone is angry primarily because God is defamed in a direct sense through _____ or He is defamed in an indirect sense through a disregard of _____.

Three characteristics of the righteous anger God finds acceptable:

- Godly anger is _____.
- Godly anger is _____.
- Godly anger is _____.

STATEMENT TWO - Anger is to be _____.
verse twenty-six, "Be angry..."

The Old Testament specifically mentions the anger of the Lord in eighteen different places

Reference: **Exodus 32:19; Jeremiah 15:17; Nehemiah 5:6; II Kings 13:19; I Samuel 11:6**

Jesus Himself was angered numerous times.

Reference: **Mark 3:5, 10:14; Matthew 21:12-13**

STATEMENT THREE - Anger is to have some _____.
Paul gives us two safeguards in this Ephesians passage:

Safeguard One... We are not to _____ in a state of sustained anger.

verse twenty-six, "Be angry, and do not sin; do not let the sun go down on your wrath."

Safeguard Two... We are not to let anger give Satan _____ to us.

verse twenty-seven, "nor give place to the devil."

Reference: **James 1:19** (see screen)

Four practical steps to becoming more consistent in patience:

- Be careful someone else's impatience doesn't _____ on us.
Reference: **Proverbs 22:24-25** (see screen)
- Slow down the _____ syndrome.
Reference: **Mark 6:31** (see screen)
- Extend to someone else the same patience that we would want to be extended to _____.
Reference: **Matthew 7:12** (see screen)
- Adjust our _____.
Reference: **Proverbs 13:12a** (see screen)