

A person is walking away from the viewer on a dirt path that leads towards a large, simple wooden cross standing in a grassy field. The scene is bathed in the warm, golden light of a sunset or sunrise, with long shadows and a hazy sky. The overall mood is contemplative and spiritual.

In Christ

What it means to be saved?

One In Christ!

Romans 12:3-12

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8 the one who exhorts, in his exhortation; the one who contributes, in generosity; the one who leads, with zeal; the one who does acts of mercy, with cheerfulness. 9 Let love be genuine. Abhor what is evil; hold fast to what is good. 10 Love one another with brotherly affection. Outdo one another in showing honor. 11 Do not be slothful in zeal, be fervent in spirit, serve the Lord. 12 Rejoice in hope, be patient in tribulation, be constant in prayer. 13 Contribute to the needs of the saints and seek to show hospitality.

- Romans 12:3-12



"Has it ever occurred to you that one hundred pianos all tuned to the same fork are automatically tuned to one another? They are of one accord by being tuned, not to each other, but to another standard to which each one must individually bow."

- AW Tozer

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- Romans 12:3-5

Do nothing from selfish ambition or conceit, but in humility count others more significant than yourselves.

- Philippians 2:3

“ . . . decide never to put a stumbling block or hindrance in the way of a brother. 14 I know and am persuaded in the Lord Jesus that nothing is unclean in itself, but it is unclean for anyone who thinks it unclean. 15 For if your brother is grieved by what you eat, you are no longer walking in love. By what you eat, do not destroy the one for whom Christ died. . . 19 So then let us pursue what makes for peace and for mutual upbuilding. 20 Do not, for the sake of food, destroy the work of God. Everything is indeed clean, but it is wrong for anyone to make another stumble by what he eats. 21 It is good not to eat meat or drink wine or do anything that causes your brother to stumble.

- Romans 14:13-21

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- Romans 12:3

2 Bear one another's burdens, and so fulfill the law of Christ. 3 For if anyone thinks he is something, when he is nothing, he deceives himself.

- Galatians 6:2-3

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- Romans 12:4-5

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-Romans 12:6-8

So with yourselves, since you are eager for manifestations of the Spirit, strive to excel in building up the church.

- 1 Cor. 14:12

And Jesus came and said to them, “All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. . . [Great Commission]. . . And behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age.”

-Matthew 28:18, 20

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- Romans 12:9-12

"A new command I give you: Love one another. As I have loved you, so you must love one another. By this everyone will know that you are my disciples, if you love one another".

-John 13:34-35

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a working method or set of working methods that is officially accepted as being the best to use in a particular business or industry, usually described formally and in detail:

Best Practices According to Romans 12:9-12

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“God is love. Whoever lives in love lives in God, and God in them.”

- 1 John 4:16

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