

# Repairing Broken Relationships – Week 02

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## **Romans 12:9-20**

9Love must be sincere. Hate what is evil; cling to what is good. 10Be devoted to one another in love. Honor one another above yourselves. 11Never be lacking in zeal, but keep your spiritual fervor, serving the Lord. 12Be joyful in hope, patient in affliction, faithful in prayer. 13Share with the Lord's people who are in need. Practice hospitality.

14Bless those who persecute you; bless and do not curse. 15Rejoice with those who rejoice; mourn with those who mourn. 16Live in harmony with one another. Do not be proud, but be willing to associate with people of low position. Do not be conceited.

17Do not repay anyone evil for evil. Be careful to do what is right in the eyes of everyone. 18 If it is possible, as far as it depends on you, live at peace with everyone. 19Do not take revenge, my dear friends, but leave room for God's wrath, for it is written: "It is mine to avenge; I will repay.

20 To the contrary, "if your enemy is hungry, feed him; if he is thirsty, give him something to drink; for by so doing you will heap burning coals on his head."

What if it is **their fault**, but it's **not their responsibility** to fix things?

We are far better at **assembling things** than we are at **fixing things**.

Reassembly begins with **US**, regardless of who **INITIATED** the **FUSS**.

## **John 13:34**

A new command I give you: Love one another. As I have loved you, so you must love one another.

I will get **back to**, not get **back at**.

Jesus got **back to** you, not **back at** you.

## **Next Step - A prayer to pray:**

*Heavenly Father,  
Help me see {insert person's name here}  
The way you do.  
Help me feel toward {insert person's name here}  
What you feel.*