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Three Ways to Get Along with Others



Jesus taught people how to get along with one another.

Way #1: Love people.

Jesus gave the two great commandments: first, to "love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy mind" (Matthew 22:37), and second, to "love thy neighbour as thyself" (Matthew 22:39).

The commandments to love God and to love our neighbor go together. People really are brothers and sisters because God really is our Father.

Way #2: Forgive them.

Jesus taught us to forgive everyone, "that your Father also which is in heaven may forgive you" (Mark 11:25).

Way #3: Treat them the way you want to be treated.

Jesus taught the Golden Rule: "All things whatsoever ye would that men should do to you, do ye even so to them" (Matthew 7:12).

It is easy to understand why we should treat others the way we would like to be treated. It is because each of God's sons and daughters is precious (see Matthew 25:40). ●

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