



God's Expectations

“From the very beginning God decided that those who came to Him-- and all along he knew who would--should become like His Son...”

Romans 8:29 (LB)

“Encourage each other and build each other up.” **1 Thes. 5:11 (NIV)**

How do we help each other grow?

By _____ each other's _____.

with

“Accept one another, just as Christ accepted you...” Rom. 15:7 (NIV)

with

“Give special attention to those who are in the family of believers.”
Gal 6:10

with

“Love one another with brotherly affection as members of one family...”
Romans 12:10 (Amp)

with

“Brothers and sisters... appreciate those who work hard among you, who lead you in the Lord and teach you.” 1 Thes. 5:12 (NCV)

By _____ for each other's _____.

“Epaphras...always prays for you that you will grow to be spiritually mature.”
Colossians 4:12 (NCV)

“I pray...you’ll be able to feel and understand, how long, wide, deep, and high Christ’s love really is; and to experience this love for yourselves...” Ephesians 3:18-19 (LB)

“May...God develop maturity in you, so that you get along with each other as well as Jesus gets along with us all.” Romans 15:5 (Mes)

By _____ our own _____.

“Tell each other the truth, because we all belong to each other.” Ephesians 4:25 (NCV)

Benefits of Being Honest

We enjoy
James 5:16

We experience
Proverbs 28:13

We evoke
James 4:10

We embrace
1 John 1:7

By _____ each other’s _____.

“Keep yourself in training for a godly life.” 1 Timothy 4:7 (TEV)

“I want us to help each other with the faith we have. Your faith will help me, and my faith will help you.” Romans 1:12 (NCV)

