

“Share the Joy, Support the Struggle”

Galatians 6:1–6

How often do we see our struggles as a reason to pull away rather than a call to lean on each other?

God designed us to be in relationship with one another. Being in a faith family has certain responsibilities that come with it. When we are living the Christian life together, we build each other up.

Galatians 6:1–6

Brothers, if anyone is caught in any transgression, you who are spiritual should restore him in a spirit of gentleness. Keep watch on yourself, lest you too be tempted. Bear one another's burdens, and so fulfill the law of Christ. For if anyone thinks he is something, when he is nothing, he deceives himself. But let each one test his own work, and then his reason to boast will be in himself alone and not in his neighbor. For each will have to bear his own load.

Let the one who is taught the word share all good things with the one who teaches.

Three _____ of the Faith Family

Ephesians 4:16

From him the whole body, joined and held together by every supporting ligament, grows and builds itself up in love, as **each part does its work.**

_____ Another's Burden

Galatians 6:2

Bear one another's burdens, and so fulfill the law of Christ.

John 13:34–35

A new commandment I give to you, that you love one another: just as I have loved you, you also are to love one another. By this all people will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another.

Romans 15:1

We who are strong have an obligation to bear with the failings of the weak, and not to please ourselves.

Practice _____

Galatians 6:4–5

But let each one test his own work... ...For each will have to bear his own load.

Psalms 139:23–24

Search me, O God, and know my heart! Try me and know my thoughts! And see if there be any grievous way in me, and lead me in the way everlasting!

Romans 14:10–12

Why do you pass judgment on your brother? Or you, why do you despise your brother? For we will all stand before the judgment seat of God... So then each of us will give an account of himself to God.

Pass _____

1 Thessalonians 5:12–13

We ask you, brothers, to respect those who labor among you and are over you in the Lord and admonish you, and to esteem them very highly in love because of their work. Be at peace among yourselves.

1 Timothy 5:17

Let the elders who rule well be considered worthy of double honor, especially those who labor in preaching and teaching.

Share the _____ Support the _____

Proverbs 11:25

Whoever brings blessing will be enriched, and one who waters will himself be watered.