

Teaming Up Together

Series: Relationships

Five Team Builders For Developing Strong Relationships

1. Have _____

A man without self-control is as defenseless as a city with broken-down walls. Proverbs 25:28 (TLB)

A person with good sense is patient, and it is to his credit that he overlooks an offense. Proverbs 19:11 (GW)

And be careful that when you get on each other's nerves you don't snap at each other. Look for the best in each other, and always do your best to bring it out. 1 Thessalonians 5:15 (MSG)

2. Unload _____

Starting a quarrel is like opening a floodgate, so stop before the argument gets out of control. Proverbs 17:14 (GW)

Be completely humble and gentle; be patient, bearing with one another in love. Make every effort to keep the unity of the Spirit through the bond of peace. Ephesians 4:2-3 (NIV)

3. Redefine _____

Brothers and sisters, I encourage all of you in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to agree with each other and not to split into opposing groups. I want you to be united in your understanding and opinions. 1 Corinthians 1:10 (GW)

This explains why a man leaves his father and mother and is joined to his wife, and the two are united into one. Genesis 2:24 (NLT)

4. Make _____

Don't just think about your own affairs, but be interested in others, too, and in what they are doing. Philippians 2:4 (TLB)

When you talk, do not say harmful things, but say what people need—words that will help others become stronger. Then what you say will do good to those who listen to you. Ephesians 4:29 (NCV)

5. Lean _____

A person standing alone can be attacked and defeated, but two can stand back-to-back and conquer. Three are even better, for a triple-braided cord is not easily broken. Ecclesiastes 4:12 (NLT)

Friends love through all kinds of weather, and families stick together in all kinds of trouble. Proverbs 17:17 (MSG)

Cast your burden upon the Lord and He will sustain you; He will never allow the righteous to be shaken. Psalm 55:22 (NASB)