

The Ministry of Reconciliation  
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Scripture References:

- 2 Corinthians 5:17-21
- Isaiah 61:10
- Philippians 2:6
- Galatians 3:28
- Acts 17:26
- Ephesians 1:20-22, *MSG*
- 1 Peter 4:17
- Matthew 5:13-16, *NLT*
- Matthew 5:13-16, *MSG*
- Ephesians 2:13

Summary:

*Because of what Jesus Christ did on the cross, the broken relationship between God and mankind that resulted from Adam and Eve's sin has been restored. This means that not only can we be reconciled to God, but we can also be reconciled to each other. Reconciliation begins with acknowledging equality among all people, no matter who they are. If we are to put all races and ethnic groups on equal footing, the church, as the body of Christ, needs to set the example and lead the way.*

Notes:

1. Jesus Christ has reconciled God and man so that we can be reconciled to each other. Jesus offered forgiveness of sin, for the purpose of reconciling the world to Himself. God has given us the ministry of reconciliation.
2. Jesus is equal to God. When we are in Christ, we're on equal ground with each other. Jesus, the great equalizer, shed His blood so that we all could stand on equal ground. There is only one race—the human race.
3. The church, not the world, should take the lead in modeling equality for everyone. The church should not revolve around the world to see what it does, and then follow that lead; the church should instead be in the center, with the world revolving around it.

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