

What Does God Want as a Finished Product?

Ephesians 4:1-6

Introduction: Acts 2:38 & Ephesians 2:16.

1. Calling = _____.

2. Worthy = _____.

What are the attitudes God wants to produce in you & how?

I. What's the Final Product? - v2-3

A. Humbleness = _____ - v2.

1. What does the world say?
2. What does God say? - Romans 12:3 & Philippians 2:5-8
3. How do you get this attitude?

B. Gentle = _____ - v2.

1. What does this not mean?
2. Who had this trait? - Numbers 12:3; Matthew 11:29; 26:53

C. Patient = _____ - v2.

1. How is it defined? - v2
2. I Thessalonians 5:11.

D. Make every effort to keep the U_____ of the Spirit! - v3

II. How Will God Make This Happen? - v4-6

A. The church is necessary! - Hebrews 10:25

B. The church is necessary as the O_____ B_____ & Spirit - v4.

1. What did God not intend for His church?
2. What is the one Spirit?
 - a. Who are the "other" spirits?
 - b. What does God want us to do about them?
3. What can the church have & still be the church? Notice the Corinthian church:

a. They had C_____ (1:10-15); they had I_____ (5:1); they had D_____ at the Lord's Table; they misused the S_____ G_____ (12 & 14) & they had doubts about the R_____ (I Corinthians 15).

b. But they were still called what? - I Corinthians 1:2

C. The church is necessary in providing one plan of S_____ - v5-6.

1. One L_____ - John 14:6.
2. One F_____ - John 3:16.
3. One B_____ - Galatians 3:27.
4. One L_____ - v6.

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