

PRACTICAL RIGHTEOUSNESS AMONG THE ONE ANOTHER'S (Romans 12:9-13)

VII. GOD'S RIGHTEOUSNESS REVEALED THRU THE CHURCH (12:1-16:23)

A. The Lord's perfect will (in 12:9-13) is that each believer who is positionally righteous in Christ, reflect that righteousness in a practical way by...

1. letting _____ be undisguised and actually _____ (v. 9a)

* Why is this virtue mentioned first, and why is it so important?

* What or who is the source of this? (Gal. 5:22-23)

2. abhorring the things that God hates, namely _____, but you are to cleave to that which is _____ (v. 9b)

3. being kindly _____ (Gk. *philostorgos*) to one another with a _____ love (Gk. *philadelphia*) for each other (v. 10a)

4. placing a _____ on others even before yourself (v. 10b)

5. being _____ and having great zeal when _____ the Lord in your human spirit (v. 11)

a. not being _____...

b. but instead, being _____ and diligent

B. The way the believer is to respond is by...

1. _____ in hope (v. 12a)

2. enduring _____ in your trials (v. 12b)

3. being _____ and devoted to _____ (v. 12c)

4. contributing to the _____ of the saints while enjoying _____ (v. 13a)

5. being _____, even to strangers (v. 13b)

* What do you need to remember when applying these virtues in your own life?