

TELLING THE TRUTH TO EACH OTHER

1 Cor. 13:6 "Love rejoices in the truth."

"Let our lives lovingly express the truth in all things - speaking truly, dealing truly, living truly." Ephesians 4:15 (Amp)

TO BUILD GREAT RELATIONSHIPS . . .

1. Tell the truth _____

"Reliable communication permits progress."
Proverbs 13:17 (LB)

"People who can't be trusted are destroyed by their own dishonesty."
Proverbs 28:23 (LB)

"Truth stands the test of time; lies are soon exposed."
Proverbs 12:19 (LB)

2. Tell the truth _____

"Someone who holds back the truth causes trouble."
Proverbs 10:10 (GN)

"In the end people appreciate frankness more than flattery."
Proverbs 28:23 (LB)

3. Tell the truth _____

"Speak the truth in a spirit of love." Ephesians 4:15 (GN)

"(Speak) only what is helpful for building others up, according to their needs that it may benefit those who listen."
Ephesians 4:29

4. Tell the truth _____

"Thoughtless words can wound as deeply as any sword, but wisely spoken words can heal." Proverbs 12:18 (GN)

"Intelligent people think before they speak."
Proverbs 16:23 (GN)

"There is a right time and a right way to do everything."
Ecclesiastes 8:6 (GN)

THE RESULT

"If we walk in the light ... we have fellowship." 1 John 1:7

"... the Truth will set you free!" Jesus