

Speaking where the Bible Speaks

What do the scriptures say about Unity?

1. “Behold, how good and how pleasant it is For brethren to dwell together in unity! It is like the precious oil upon the head, That ran down upon the beard, Even Aaron's beard; That came down upon the skirt of his garments; Like the dew of Hermon, That cometh down upon the mountains of Zion: For there Jehovah commanded the blessing, Even life for evermore” (Psa. 133:1-3).
2. “I therefore, the prisoner in the Lord, beseech you to walk worthily of the calling wherewith ye were called, with all lowliness and meekness, with longsuffering, forbearing one another in love; giving diligence to keep the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace” (Eph. 4:1-3).

What do the scriptures say about being divided in doctrine?

1. “And when he had so said, there arose a dissension between the Pharisees and Sadducees; and the assembly was divided” (Acts 23:7).
2. “Is Christ divided? was Paul crucified for you? or were ye baptized into the name of Paul?” (1 Cor. 1:13).

Is it possible for individuals and/or groups to be divided in doctrine, and keep the unity of the Spirit? Jesus said, “If ye love me, ye will keep my commandments.” (Jn. 14:15). ret