

Transformed

What “Transformed” looks like- Part 3

Inspired by Rick Warren



But when the Holy Spirit controls our lives he will produce this kind of fruit in us: love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness and self-control...

Galatians 5:22-23 (TLB)

Reasons to be Kind

- Kindness reflects God's _____
- Kindness is healthy for your _____
- Kindness invites _____ from others
- God _____ to be kind

“Love your enemies! Do good to them... Then your reward from heaven will be very great, and you will truly be acting as children of the Most High, for he is kind to those who are unthankful and wicked.” **Luke 6:35 (NLT)**

Your own soul is nourished when you are kind; it is destroyed when you are cruel. **Proverbs 11:17 (TLB)**

Be kind and honest and you will live a long life; others will respect you and treat you fairly. **Proverbs 21:21 (TEV)**

“Since God chose you to be the holy people he loves, you must clothe yourselves with tenderhearted mercy, kindness, humility, gentleness, and patience.” **Colossians 3:12 (NLT)**

Ways to “put on” Kindness

- Be _____
- Be _____
- Be _____

“Each of you should look not only to your own interests, but also to the interests of others.” **Philippians 2:4 (NIV)**

“Kind words bring life, but cruel words crush your spirit”
Proverbs 15:4 (GNT)

Righteous people know the kind thing to say, but the wicked are always saying things that hurt” **Proverbs 10: 32 (GNT)**

“When others are happy, be happy with them. If they are sad, share their sorrow” **Romans 12:15(LB).**

Ways to “put on” Kindness

- Be _____
- Be _____

“Wounds from a friend are better than kisses from an enemy!”
Proverbs 27:6 (LB)

How do you know when to confront

- **When you are _____ to their best interests.**
- **Who you willing to help them _____ the change.**

“As we have opportunity, let us do good to all people, especially to those who belong to the family of believers.”
Galatians 6:10 (NIV84)

In a well-furnished kitchen there are not only crystal goblets and silver platters, but waste cans and compost buckets—some containers used to serve fine meals, others to take out the garbage. Become the kind of container God can use to present any and every kind of gift to his guests for their blessing. **2 Timothy 2:20-21 (MSG)**