

## ***“When There’s Not a Verse for That.2”***

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### INTRODUCTION

- preserving unity in God’s Church
  
- the small issues that destroy unity
  - + “weak”
  
  - + “strong”

### PRINCIPLES

*1. In disputable matters,  
graciously embrace others who differ with you.*

- “accept”  
Phile. 17; Jn. 14:3

*2. In disputable matters, let God judge.*

*3. In disputable matters, educate your conscience.*

- “fully convinced”  
Col. 2:16-17; Gal. 4:9-11

*4. In disputable matters,  
honor the Lord with your actions.*

- living to please the Lord
  
- a matter of motives

*5. In disputable matters,  
affirm we each stand accountable to God.*

- guard against a self-righteous, critical spirit
  
- confront sin
  
- stand aside on morally neutral issues

### CONCLUSION

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