

Sustaining Relationships

PRINCIPLE	TEXT	DIRECTION	CON or UNCON	RELATIONSHIP
Forbearance	1 Cor. 13:7; 1 Pet. 4:8; Col. 3:13	Internal	Unconditional	Unaffected
Reconciliation	Luke 17:3-4; Mat. 18:15; Gal. 6:1	Horizontal	Conditional	Reconciled
Release	Mark 11:25	Vertical	Unconditional	Unreconciled

I. FORBEARANCE

- A. Forbearance = _____
- B. Forbearance ought to be the _____ of our relationships
- C. Corollary of Forbearance = _____
- D. Tipping Points: When Is Forbearance NOT Enough?
- 1) When I know in my heart _____
 - 2) When it is obvious _____
Love always draws people together; when we are pushed apart, then love is not at work
 - 3) When the offender's spiritual growth _____
 - 4) When the offender's sin _____

II. RECONCILIATION

- A. Go _____
- B. Go _____
- C. Go _____
- D. Go _____
- E. Go _____
- F. Go _____
- G. Go _____

III. RELEASE—next Sunday