The Real Countain

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Psalm 133 (NIV)

1 How good and pleasant it is when brothers live together in unity!
2 It is like precious oil poured on the head, running down on the beard, running down on Aaron's beard, down upon the collar of his robes.

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³ It is as if the dew of Hermon were falling on Mount Zion. For there the LORD bestows his blessing, even life forevermore.



Premise: Unity is a Wonderful Thing



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Because of Its Effect on Us



Ephesians 4:3 (NIV)

³ Make every effort to keep the unity of the Spirit through the bond of peace.



1 Corinthians 3:3 (NIV)

³ You are still worldly. For since there is jealousy and quarreling among you, are you not worldly? Are you not acting like mere men?



Ecclesiastes 4:12 (NIV)

12 Though one may be overpowered, two can defend themselves. A cord of three strands is not quickly broken.



Matthew 10:1 (NIV)

He called his twelve disciples to him and gave them authority to drive out evil spirits and to heal every disease and sickness.



Mark 6:7 (NIV)

⁷ Calling the Twelve to him, he sent them out two by two and gave them authority over evil spirits.



Luke 10:1 (NIV)

After this the Lord appointed seventy-two others and sent them two by two ahead of him to every town and place where he was about to go.



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John 17:23 (NIV)

²³ I in them and you in me. May they be brought to complete unity to let the world know that you sent me and have loved them even as you have loved me.



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Make Unity a Priority







Philippians 1:7 (NIV)

7 It is right for me to feel this way about all of you, since I have you in my heart; for whether I am in chains or defending and confirming the gospel, all of you share in God's grace with me.









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Have a Common Vision



Relate to People as God Does



Ephesians 4:2 (NIV)

² Be completely humble and gentle; be patient, bearing with one another in love.



Ephesians 4:29 (NIV)

²⁹ Do not let any unwholesome talk come out of your mouths, but only what is helpful for building others up according to their needs, that it may benefit those who listen.



Ephesians 4:32 (NIV)

32 Be kind and compassionate to one another, forgiving each other, just as in Christ God forgave you.





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Romans 8:6 (NIV)

⁶ The mind of sinful man is death, but the mind controlled by the Spirit is life and peace;









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