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Missing Peace

Help, These People Are Driving Me Crazy! Romans 12:14-18

- Life wouldn't be so bad if it weren't for the people
 - A. Those who make the <u>rules</u>
 - B. Those whom we disagree with
 - C. Those from our <u>past</u>
 - D. Those who are closest to us
- II. Dealing with others
 - A. Jesus didn't tell us to be <u>right</u>, He told us to be loving
 - B. Life is too short and your calling too great to be hurt/offended/distracted by others
 - C. Love doesn't seek to win, it seeks to protect/ improve the relationship
- III. So what do I do?
 - A. Realize <u>Jesus</u>' teaching on forgiveness Matt. 6:14,15; 18:21,22
 - B. Decide to forgive Col. 3:13
 - C. Give the gift of forgiveness Eph. 4:31,32
 - D. Repeat