

Walk in Unity

**Ephesians: Living in Light of Our Eternal Portfolio | Dr. Michael Rydelnik
Ephesians 4:1-6**

I. We are urgently called to unity. 4:1-3

A. Unity requires distinctive characteristics. 4:2

1. Humility

2. Gentleness

3. Patience

4. Acceptance

B. Unity is urgently needed. 4:3

1. Unity requires urgent effort.

2. Unity is urgently needed because division destroys but unity builds up.

II. We already have a spiritual foundation of unity in the Triune God. 4:4-6

A. God, the Holy Spirit is the means of our unity. 4:4a

1. One Body –

2. One Spirit –

B. God, the Son is the focus of our unity 4:4b-5

1. One Hope –

2. One Lord –

3. One Faith –

4. One Baptism –

C. God, the Father is the source of our unity. 4:6

1. One God –

2. One Father –

III. Now What

- A. Pursue peace.
- B. Practice acceptance
- C. Leave graciously, if necessary.

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