

People's Church

Summer At The Movies

Part 4 – Hoodwinked!

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CONTENDING WITH CONFLICT

Jacob and Esau (Genesis 25:24-34, 27, 32-33:17)

A. Three Factors Causing Conflict:

1. Perception: My way is _____

2. Pride: My way is _____

3. Power: My way _____

B. Three Keys To Diffusing Conflict:

1. _____ my way.

³ For through the grace given to me I say to everyone among you not to think more highly of himself than he ought to think; but to think so as to have sound judgment, as God has allotted to each a measure of faith.

Romans 12:3 NASB

⁴ What is the source of quarrels and conflicts among you? Is not the source your pleasures that wage war in your members? ² You lust and do not have; so you commit murder. You are envious and cannot obtain; so you fight and quarrel. You do not have because you do not ask.

James 4:1-2 NASB

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¹⁰ Be devoted to one another in brotherly love; give preference to one another in honor;

Romans 12:10 NASB

- a) Am I handling this conflict Gods way?
- b) What have I contributed to this conflict?
- c) How much of this conflict am I responsible for?

2. _____ conflict.

⁴ And Jesus answered and said to them, “See to it that no one misleads you. ⁵ For many will come in My name, saying, ‘I am the Christ,’ and will mislead many. ⁶ You will be hearing of wars and rumors of wars. See that you are not frightened, for *those things* must take place, but *that* is not yet the end.

Matthew 24:4-6 NASB

³⁴ “Do not think that I came to bring peace on the earth; I did not come to bring peace, but a sword.

Matthew 10:34 NASB

¹⁰ Finally, be strong in the Lord and in the strength of His might. ¹¹ Put on the full armor of God, so that you will be able to stand firm against the schemes of the devil. ¹² For our struggle is not against [\[a\]](#) flesh and blood, but against the rulers, against the powers, against the world forces of this darkness, against the spiritual forces of wickedness in the heavenly places.

Ephesians 6:10-12 NASB

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3. _____ In prayer.

¹⁰ He says, "Be still, and know that I am God;
I will be exalted among the nations,
I will be exalted in the earth."

Psalm 46:10 NIV

⁴ Show me your ways, LORD,
teach me your paths.
⁵ Guide me in your truth and teach me,
for you are God my Savior,
and my hope is in you all day long.

Psalm 25:4-5 NIV