

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

TEACHING AND PROMOTING BIBLE-BASED CHRISTIAN UNITY The **Be United in Christ Outreach Ministry** exists to teach and promote Christian unity in accordance with God's Word. We believe that genuine, visible love and unity among believers honors the Lord and proclaims His gospel to the world.

Who We Are

The Be United in Christ Outreach Ministry was created by more than fifty individuals in ten states, united by a desire to see God's will for Christian unity realized in His church today. Beyond our common cause, our team shares several characteristics.

We are evangelical. Every member of our team is a devoted follower of Jesus Christ and believes that the Bible is the inspired Word of Almighty God.

We are educated. Our team includes theologians, pastors, and ministry leaders with advanced degrees in theology, church history, and Christian counseling.

We are dedicated. We have devoted tens of thousands of hours to studying what God's Word and some of the greatest voices in church history taught about Christian unity.

We are diverse. Our team includes ministers, business leaders, authors, editors, web and graphic designers, and others from various denominations and church traditions.

We are anonymous. We desire God alone to be glorified and do not want anything to distract anyone hearing what God has to say about His people's unity. Like John the Baptist, we gladly choose to decrease that Christ might increase (John 3:30).

The Be United in Christ Outreach Ministry is a team of brothers and sisters in Christ united to lead Christians to be united in Christ.



Our Objective

Our objective is to bring about a real change in behavior among Christians by encouraging them to join us through these three easy steps: **LEARN**, **APPLY**, and **SHARE**.



The Be United in Christ Outreach Ministry spent seven years studying God's Word and researching the writings of some of the greatest leaders in church history to determine what the Bible really says about Christian unity.

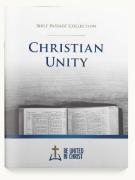
As a result, we have developed many resources that quote thousands of Bible passages related to Christian unity to help believers better understand our Lord's passion and instructions for His people to be united in Christ.

Our Basic Resources

Each Be United in Christ Outreach Ministry Basic Resource is a rich source of Bible knowledge and wise teaching. Our Book Summaries feature writings on Christian unity from some of the greatest leaders of the Christian faith: Irenaeus, Cyprian, Augustine, Martin Luther, John Owen, Matthew

Henry, Andrew Murray, and more. Our Bible Passage Collections feature insightful samplings from Scripture. And our Exegetical Guides concentrate on the study of specific passages of Scripture related to Christian unity.

Our Basic Resources can be viewed on our website or downloaded as printable PDFs or eBooks at no cost to you. These downloadable options are a great way to start your journey to a better understanding of Biblical Christian unity. Access these resources at **BeUnitedinChrist.com**.



Our Premium Collection

Enjoy our Premium Collection of resources available as engaging audiobooks, read-on-the-go eBooks, and beautiful print books. Each one of these inspiring books is packed with Bible passages and many include teachings on Christian unity from some of the greatest voices in church history, like Jeremiah Burroughs, Jonathan Edwards, Charles Spurgeon, and more.

Our Premium Collection has something for every believer who wants to know what God's Word says about Christian unity. These inspiring books reveal Scriptures' three great love commandments, the power of God's grace, and Jesus' passion for His people to be united. As you read, you will



understand God's will for how you should think, feel, and behave in your relationships with other believers. This is how real and visible change in unifying the body of Christ begins! To purchase these life-changing books, visit **BeUnitedinChrist.com**.

STEP TWO: APPLY

Once you learn what the Bible really says about Christian unity, the next step is to obey God's will by applying what you learn to your everyday life. As you learn and obey these Biblical truths,

we believe the Holy Spirit will convict, encourage, and shape every aspect of your life with God and with other believers.



The final step in bringing about real change among believers is sharing what you have learned. Encourage your brothers and sisters in Christ to cultivate Biblical Christian unity. You can:

- Share our resources on social media or in person. The About section of our website contains a variety of options for you to use at no cost in educating other believers.
- Consider hosting seminars, meetings, and Vacation Bible School programs that teach Bible-based Christian unity.
- Teach Bible classes, develop sermons, and create lessons on the topic of being united in Christ from the many Bible-based resources available at
 BeUnitedinChrist.com.
- Invite those you know to visit our website and begin their own journey to learn what the Bible says about Christian unity.

By following these three easy steps — **Learn**, **Apply**, **Share** — you join with us in the Be United in Christ Outreach Ministry. We believe that promoting unity among God's people is an act of obedience to God's will and an act of love for your Christian brothers and sisters. The gospel is most clear to those who are lost when Christians are visibly united together in the love of the Lord Jesus Christ.

Want to learn more?

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- PowerPoint presentations
- Engaging videos introducing you to our ministry and resources
- Basic Resources available to you at no cost: Book Summaries, Exegetical Guides, and Bible Passage Collections
- Easy-to-use mobile app
- Extensive FAQ section