

HANDLING CONFLICT



SOMEONE OFFENDS ME

Tell other people all about it.

OR

Go directly to God about it in prayer.

Listeners will think lesser about my offender.

He listens to me and gives me His (better) perspective.

Realize that I was in the wrong.

I have:

- Caused others to sin.
- Created division in a relationship.
- Made myself more upset by re-hashing the details over and over.
- Clearly and willfully disobeyed God's Word.

Go back to them, communicate clearly, and seek reconciliation.

I have:

- Honored God, valued unity, and strengthened the love and maturity of the family of God around me.

Repent and ask for forgiveness from them.

I have:

- Honored God, humbled myself, and maintained the unity that shows God's love to others.