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THE HOME NEEDS THE CHURCH

*For use with video series
Real Hope for Your Home:
Practical Applications*

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Key Idea

We cannot live the Christian life alone. Homes need the support of the church!

Take a few minutes to evaluate how much you depend on your church for support. The point is not to heap guilt if you are not seeking help. Quite the contrary. We want you to realize the possibilities for support. Sometimes we are so busy that we overlook these and suffer because of it.

Table D describes our relationships in the church. What strikes you? How does how you live either prove or disprove your feeling about the church's actual role in the life of your family?

TABLE D - Positive Qualities of Household Relationships

Quality	Reference	Citation: One Another (O.A.) Each Other (E.O.)
Accept	Romans 15:7	Accept O.A. just as Christ has accepted you
Admonish	Col. 3:16	Teach and Admonish O.A. with all wisdom
Agree	1 Cor. 1:10	Agree with O.A. so that there may be no division
Bear	Gal. 6:2	Bear O.A. burdens and thereby fulfill the law of (NASB)
	Eph. 4:2	Be humble, gentle, patient, Bearing with O.A. in love
	Col. 3:13	Bear with, forgive grievances against O.A.
Build Up	Romans 14:19	Pursue...peace...and the building up of O.A. (NASB)
	1 Thes. 5:11	And Build E.O up with these words
Care	1 Cor. 12:25	Members may have same care for E.O. (NASB)
Comfort	1 Thes. 4:18	Therefore, Comfort O.A. (NASB)
Compassionate	Eph. 4:32	Be kind and Compassionate to O.A.
Confess	James 5:16	Confess your sins to E.O.
Devotion	Romans 12:10	Be devoted to O.A. in brotherly love
Encourage	1 Thes. 5:11	Therefore, Encourage O.A.
	Heb. 3:13	But Encourage O.A. daily
	Heb. 10:24	But let us Encourage O.A.
Fellowship	1 John 1:7	We have Fellowship with O.A.
Forgiving	Eph. 4:32	Be kind and compassionate to O.A. Forgiving E.O.
Greet	Romans 16:16	Greet O.A. with a holy kiss
	1 Cor. 16:20	Greet O.A. with a holy kiss
	2 Cor. 13:12	Greet O.A. with a holy kiss
	1 Peter 5:14	Greet O.A. with a holy kiss of love
Harmony	Romans 12:16	Live in harmony with O.A.
	1 Peter 3:8	Live in harmony with O.A.
Honor	Romans 12:10	Honor O.A. above yourselves
Hospitality	1 Peter 4:9	Show hospitality to O.A.
Humility	1 Peter 5:5	Clothe yourselves with humility toward O.A.
Instruct	Romans 15:14	Competent to Instruct O.A. (Note: Competence)
Kind	Eph. 4:32	Be Kind and compassionate to O.A.
Love	John 13:34	Love O.A. as I have loved you
	John 13:35	Will know you are my disciples by your love for O.A
	Romans 13:8	Let no debt remain...except to Love O.A.
	1 Thes. 3:12	May the Lord make Love increase and overflow for E.O.
	1 Thes. 4:9	Been taught by God to Love E.O.
	1 Peter 1:22	Love O.A. deeply from the heart
	1 John 3:11	The message you heard...we should Love O.A.
	1 John 3:23	Love O.A. as He has commanded us
	1 John 4:7	Let us Love O.A. for love comes from God
	1 John 4:11	Since God so loved us, we also ought to Love O.A.
	1 John 4:12	But if we Love O.A. God lives in us
	2 John 1:5	I ask that we Love O.A.
Meeting	Heb. 10:25	Let us not give up Meeting together
Members	Eph. 4:25	Speak truth for we are Members of O.A. (NASB)
Peace	1 Thes. 5:13	Live in peace with E.O.
Pray	James 5:16	Pray for E.O.
Regard	Phil. 2:3	Regard O.A. as more important than yourselves (NASB)
Same Mind	Romans 15:5	Be of the same mind with O.A. (NASB)
Serve	Gal. 5:13	Rather, Serve O.A.
Speak	Eph. 5:19	Speak to O.A. with psalms, hymns, spiritual songs
Spur	Heb. 10:24	Spur O.A. on toward love and good deeds
Submit	Eph. 5:21	Submit to O.A. out of reverence for Christ
Teach	Col. 3:16	Teach and admonish O.A. with all wisdom
Wait	1 Cor. 11:33	When you come together to eat, Wait for E.O.
Wash	John 13:14	Wash O.A. feet

Church Support Survey

- Who in your church is praying for you, your spouse and children on a regular basis?

Write their name and phone/text number here

- Who can you call in a pinch for help?

Write their name and phone/text number here

- Who knows the deeper struggles you face personally, and that your family faces?

Write their name and phone/text number here

- Who do you go to for advice and counsel?

Write their name and phone/text number here

- Who holds you accountable for your spiritual walk and your leadership at home?

Write their name and phone/text number here

- Is there a practical need you have right now that you could take to the church for help?
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