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Therefore, put to death what belongs to your earthly nature: sexual immorality, impurity, lust, evil desire, and greed, which is idolatry.

Colossians 3:5

But now, put away all the following: anger, wrath, malice, slander, and filthy language from your mouth.

Colossians 3:8

Therefore, as God's chosen ones...

Colossians 3:12

For he chose us in him before the creation of the world to be holy and blameless in his sight. In love he predestined us for adoption to sonship through Jesus Christ, in accordance with his pleasure and will—

Ephesians 1:4-5

Therefore, as God's chosen
ones, holy and dearly loved

Colossians 3:12

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...put on compassion, kindness, humility, gentleness, and patience, bearing with one another and forgiving one another if anyone has a grievance against another. Just as the Lord has forgiven you, so you are also to forgive.

Colossians 3:12-13

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Others-centered commitment

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Colossians 3:14

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Biblical Love = self-sacrificing, caring commitment which shows itself in seeking the highest good of the one loved.

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Others-centered commitment

Above everything else, Christians should seek the highest good of others through self-sacrifice and commitment to their best, which will create unity.

Colossians 3:14

So he got up from supper, laid aside his outer clothing, took a towel, and tied it around himself. Next, he poured water into a basin and began to wash his disciples' feet and to dry them with the towel tied around him.

John 13:4-5

So if I, your Lord and Teacher,
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example, that you also should
do just as I have done for you.

John 13:15

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A peaceful heart

And let the peace of Christ, to which you were also called in one body, rule your hearts.

Colossians 3:15

“Peace” =

- to be bound, joined, and weaved together.
- assured, confident and secure in the love and care of God.
- to know that God will take care of you no matter the problem, or circumstance.

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And let the peace of Christ, to which you were also called in one body, rule your hearts. And be thankful.

Colossians 3:15

A Christian “wears” ...

Encouraging words for others

Let the word of Christ dwell richly among you, in all wisdom teaching and admonishing one another through psalms, hymns, and spiritual songs, singing to God with gratitude in your hearts.

Colossians 3:16

And whatever you do, in word
or in deed, do everything in the
name of the Lord Jesus, giving
thanks to God the Father
through him.

Colossians 3:17

