Help Us Accept Each Other (UMH, #560, vv. 1, 4)

Help us accept each other as Christ accepted us;
Teach us as sister, brother, each person to embrace.
Be present, Lord, among us, and bring us to believe
We our ourselves accepted and meant to love and live.

Lord, for today’s encounters with all who are in need,
Who hunger for acceptance, for righteousness and bread,
We need new eyes for seeing, new hands for holding on;
Renew us with your Spirit; Lord, free us, make us one.

Calendar Coming Up:

May 24 – Special Class led by David Worthington – The New Room
May 31 – Romans 15:14-33
June 7 – Romans 16

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ACCEPT ONE ANOTHER (15:1 - 13)

(15:1-3) We who are ____________ ought to ____________
the ____________ and ____________ our ____________.

WHY? *** ____________________

(15:4) For everything that was ____________ is to
______________ us so that through ____________ and
______________ we might have ____________.

(15:5-6) May God give us the ____________
according to ____________ so that with one ____________
and one ____________ we may ____________ God.

(15:7 – 9a) ____________ one another … for the
__________ of God. For ____________ has
become a ____________ of the ____________ …
to confirm the ____________ of the ____________ …
in order that the ____________ might ____________ God.

(15:9b – 12) *** ____________ *** ____________
*** ____________ *** ____________

(15:13) May the God of ____________ fill you with
all ____________ and ____________ as you
__________ in him so that you may overflow with
__________ by the ____________ of the
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KEY WORDS

- ACCEPT/RECEIVE/ WELCOME
- ACCORD
- BEAR WITH
- BELIEVE/TRUST
- CHRIST (2x)
- CIRCUMCISED
- ENCOURAGEMENT
- GLORIFY (2x)
- GLORY
- HOLY SPIRIT
- HOPE (3x)
- JOY
- MOUTH

HEBREW SCRIPTURES

- Psalm 66:9
- 2 Samuel 22:50

- NATIONS
- NEIGHBOR
- PATIENCE
- PATRIARCHS
- PEACE
- PLEASE
- POWER
- PROMISES
- SAME MIND
- SERVANT
- STRONG
- TEACH
- WEAK
- WRITTEN

- Deuteronomy 32:43
- Psalm 117:1
- Isaiah 11:10