

Teaching Series: Happy Time: 5.8.16

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Matthew 5:9, "Blessed are *the peacemakers*, for they will be called children of God."

### THREE WAYS GOD SAYS YOU CAN BE A PEACEMAKER

#### 1. Help others restore their broken relationship

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2 Corinthians 5:18, "...God...reconciled us to himself through Christ and gave us the ministry of reconciliation..."

#### 2. Try and restore a broken relationship you have

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##### a. Take the \_\_\_\_\_.

Matthew 5:23-24, "...if you are offering your gift at the altar and there remember that your brother or sister has something against you, leave your gift there in front of the altar. First go and be reconciled to them; then come and offer your gift."

##### b. Confess \_\_\_\_\_.

Matthew 7:3-5, "Why do you look at the speck of sawdust in your brother's eye and pay no attention to the plank in your own eye? <sup>4</sup>How can you say to your brother, 'Let me take the speck out of your eye,' when all the time there is a plank in your own eye? <sup>5</sup>You hypocrite, first take the plank out of your own eye, and then you will see clearly to remove the speck from your brother's eye."

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### 3. Help others restore their broken relationship

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Job 9:33, "If only there were someone to mediate between us, someone to bring us together..."

#### FIVE STEPS FOR BRINGING OTHERS TOGETHER

Step #1: Meet

Step #2: \_\_\_\_\_

Step #3: Assess

Step #4: Direct

Step #5: \_\_\_\_\_