

THE PRACTICE OF CHRISTIAN BROTHERHOOD

1. The Basis of our being called “brethren” Hebrews 2:12
 - a. It is the Lord Jesus who calls believers “brethren” Hebrews 2:11
 - b. He sanctifies
 - c. We are sanctified
 - d. He is not ashamed to call us His “brethren” Hebrews 2:11
2. The deeply moving Example of Jesus identifying with us
 - a. He donned “flesh and blood”
 - b. Because we are flesh and blood
 - c. He fought the devil on our behalf as our Brother-in-arms
 - d. He had to be made like His brethren that He might be a merciful and faithful High Priest
 - e. He is able to come to our aid Hebrews 2:15-18
3. Immediate use/application of the term “Brethren”
 - a. Therefore, holy brethren Hebrews 3:1
 - b. Beware, brethren Hebrews 3:12
 - c. Challenge to hold fast to the Lord because we are partakers of Christ (brotherhood) Hebrews 3:14
4. Consistent Appeal to Brotherhood
 - a. Boldness to enter the Holiest Hebrews 10:19
 - b. Brotherly Love Hebrews 13:1
 - c. Appeal to bear with the word of exhortation Hebrews 13:22

BIBLE MEMORY WORK

For both He who sanctifies and those who are being sanctified are all of one,
For which reason He is not ashamed to call them brethren.

Hebrews 2: 11