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**Resolving Conflict**  
**My Weird Family - 4**  
Pastor Michael Rochelle  
April 23 & 24, 2016

“We have no more joy in our hearts; our dancing has turned to sadness.” Lamentations 5:15 (NCV)

### Natural Reactions To Conflict

- Avoid
- Antagonize
- Attack
- Ambush
- Argue

### Biblical Responses To Conflict

“But the wisdom from above is first of all pure. It is also peace loving, gentle at all times, and willing to yield to others. It is full of mercy and good deeds. It shows no partiality and is always sincere. And those who are peacemakers will plant seeds of peace and reap a harvest of righteousness.”

James 3:17–18 (NLT)

The Peace Maker

The Pacifist

- **Attack the Problem not the person**  
“And a tiny rudder makes a huge ship turn wherever the pilot wants it to go, even though the winds are strong. So also, the tongue is a small thing, but what enormous damage it can do.” James 3:4 (TLB)
- Recognize **the root causes of conflict**  
“But about the feuds and struggles that exist among you - where do you suppose they come from? Can't you see that they arise from conflicting passions within yourselves? You crave for something and don't get it, you are jealous and envious of what others have got and you don't possess it yourselves. Consequently in your

exasperated frustration you struggle and fight with one another.” James 4:1-3 (Ph)

Frustration

Hurt

Insecurity

- Learn to Listen  
“Everyone should be quick to listen, slow to speak and slow to become angry ...” James 1:19 (NIV)
- Seek Wise Counsel  
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“If any of you lacks wisdom, he should ask God who gives generously to all without finding fault, and it will be given to him.” James 1:5 (NIV)

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