



THE BIG-HEARTED BELIEVER

Philippians 4:5

THE COMMAND TO BE BIG-HEARTED ("REASONABLE")

What does "reasonableness" mean? (*1 Tim. 3:3; Tit. 3:2; Jas. 3:17*)

A character quality of Christ (*2 Cor. 10:1; 1 Pet. 2:21-23*)

THE BELIEVER'S BIG-HEARTED POSTURE

Stand Firm (*4:1*)

Stand Together (*4:2*)

Yield Ground (*4:5*)

Jump Up (*4:4*)

Kneel Down (*4:6*)

BEING BUDGED TOWARD BEING BIG-HEARTED

"The Lord is at hand" -- His return is near (*4:5*)

"The Lord is at hand" -- He's near enough to help (*Psa. 145:18-20*)

Pathway Principle

Christians are to be like Christ by being big-hearted even toward those who are mistreating you.