**Colossians 3 12-17**

**“Conflict Opportunity”**

**Discussion Questions**

1. When facing a conflict people have a tendency either to escape or attack. What is your typical or default tendency?
2. What struck you as challenging, helpful, or troubling in the message?
3. Read Deuteronomy 7:7-8. Why did God choose Israel? Why did he choose us?
4. Why is it so important for us to believe this?
5. Look over the attributes listed in our passage. Name them. Which are the easier one’s for you to “clothe” yourself in and which are the harder ones?
6. If you can, watch again the video clip from Cinderella Man. Talk about how you observed Russell Crowe’s character playing out the traits found in our text. [Click here to see the clip](http://www.wingclips.com/movie-clips/cinderella-man/stealing-sausage).
7. Read Galatians 2:20. How does this passage help us to understand how we go about clothing ourselves in these things?
8. Confess together and ask for prayer for the ways we have failed (we ALL have) to clothe ourselves in these Christlike attributes.
9. Consider asking someone to help you by admonishing you and teaching you to live out these Christ honoring Spirit filled responses.