

**Valley Bible Church**  
**Sermon Notes for December 1, 1991**

**“Effectively Working in Concert with Christ’s Church”**  
**Romans 12: 3-8**  
**Part 2**

Introduction: As Christ’s ambassadors, we need to realize that the world will hate us.

Body:

1. We need a proper attitude.
2. The proper relationship to the church. The analogy of the human body is given.  
One body - Unity  
Many members - Diversity

Unity: We need to see ourselves as part of something greater. We need to get our attention off of ourselves. Christ has designed “this body”, the church, to go into this world and assault the strongholds of Satan.

We are Christ’s physical body now! The church is the body of Christ. We need to be part of this team. To be effective we must be a team player, working in conjunction with the rest of Christ’s body.

Diversity: Different but absolutely needing each other.