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- We are to be _____. *Romans 12:14-16*
- We are to show _____ _____. *Romans 12:10*
- We should have a _____ _____. *Ephesians 4:31-32*
- We are to be _____. *Ephesians 2:8-10; Micah 6:8*
- We do not repay evil with _____, but with _____. *Romans 12:17-21*
- We are to be _____ for what is good. *Titus 2:11-14*

Honoring Christ as Lord with our lives...

- We honor Christ when we put our _____ in Him!
- We honor Christ by _____ Him!
- We need to _____ _____ to tell others about the hope we have because of Jesus.
- We do that with _____ and _____ with a good conscience.

Our Hope In Christ

- Our Hope in Christ is _____.
- Our Hope in Christ is _____.
- Our Hope in Christ is _____.
- Our Hope in Christ is to be shared with _____ and _____.

→ *What/Who are you putting your hope in?*

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- We have unity of mind. *Philippians 2:1-4*
- We are to be sympathetic. *Romans 12:14-16*
- We are to show brotherly love. *Romans 12:10*
- We should have a tender heart. *Ephesians 4:31-32*
- We are to be humble. *Ephesians 2:8-10; Micah 6:8*
- We do not repay evil with evil, but with blessing. *Romans 12:17-21*
- We are to be zealous for what is good. *Titus 2:11-14*

Honoring Christ as Lord with our lives...

- We honor Christ when we put our hope in Him!
- We honor Christ by trusting Him!
- We need to always be ready to tell others about the hope we have because of Jesus.
- We do that with gentleness and respect with a good conscience.

Our Hope In Christ

- Our Hope in Christ is fearless.
- Our Hope in Christ is well-defended.
- Our Hope in Christ is reasonable.
- Our Hope in Christ is to be shared with gentleness and respect.

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