



Elgin Evangelical Free Church - March 12, 2023

I. Putting on = Pleasing God!

A. Be reminded of your Status – 4:20

B. Be reminded of your Purpose – 4:24

C. Be reminded of your RELATIONSHIP – 4:30

II. Putting on = Rejecting Falsehood – 4:25a

A. It violates God's character

B. It separates Christ's Body

C. It contradicts the Believer's Salvation

III. Putting on = Embracing Truth – 4:25b

A. Truth in Communication

B. Truth without Exception

C. Truth within Relationship

PUT ON THE NEW MAN (Part Two)

Ephesians 4:25

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Our verse from the message:

“Therefore, having put away falsehood, let each one of you speak the truth with his neighbor, for we are members one of another.” Eph. 4:25
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1. Let’s review. This section is about “walk no longer just as the Gentiles walk.” Give a summary of verses 17-24.
2. “Put away falsehood” seems to be a specific way that we talked before knowing Christ. What are the lies, untruths, or deceits that are common in the everyday conversations of those who don’t know Christ? Think from the heart— motivations, attitudes, words, etc.
3. What are the falsehoods or lies that we speak in our church and Christian culture?
4. Who is your neighbor?
5. Why are we reluctant to speak truth to our neighbor? To fellow Christian? To our family?
6. The reason we can speak truth is because we are members of one body, the family of God. How does this help us to speak the truth to one another?

7. Think about your family backgrounds and upbringing. What from your background, hinders you from speaking the truth? Are there certain kinds of people that hinder you?

8. We all agree that we are to speak truth to one another. So, what are your thoughts and suggestions on how we can do this?