



Jeff Brawner | Part 5: Resolving Unexpected Issues!

[1] Understanding Our Conflict \_\_\_\_\_ Is A Key To Resolving It!

Hosea 4:6 (NIV) (God says) -- My people are destroyed from lack of knowledge.

#1 - Conflict happens because of battling \_\_\_\_\_!

James 4:1 (NIV) -- What causes fights and quarrels among you? Don't they come from your desires that battle within you?

#2- Conflict happens because of \_\_\_\_\_!

Genesis 3:16 (NLT) -- God said to the woman ... "you will desire to control your husband, but he will rule over you."

#3 - Conflict happens because of \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_! (Genesis 37:3-8)

#4 - Conflict happens because of \_\_\_\_\_ that are no one's fault!

#5 - Conflicts happen because of \_\_\_\_\_ issues!

Psalm 19:12 (NIV) Who can discern his errors? Forgive my hidden faults.

[2] Understanding Our Conflict \_\_\_\_\_ Is A Key To Resolving It!

- #1 - There are \_\_\_\_\_-type people!
#2 - There are \_\_\_\_\_-type people!
#3 - There are \_\_\_\_\_-type people!
#4 - There are \_\_\_\_\_-type people!
#5 - There are \_\_\_\_\_-type people!

[3] Using A Conflict \_\_\_\_\_ Is A Key To Resolving It!

#1 - \_\_\_\_\_ about the conflict before talking about it with anyone else!

James 1:5 (Message) If you don't know what you're doing, pray to the Father. He loves to help. You'll get his help, and won't be condescended to when you ask for it.

#2 - Plan a \_\_\_\_\_ conference!

Romans 12:18 (NIV) -- If it is possible, as far as it depends on you, live at peace with everyone.

- Select the best time to deal with the conflict!
• Make your highest goal "reconciliation" not "resolution!"
• Communicate in such a way that it will be easy for your spouse/family member to respond! (Use "feeling" and "I" statements)
• Work toward a win/win solution!
• If you can't work it out, get outside help! (Matt. 18:15-16)
• Do what you can to live in peace, surrender what you can't do!