



“THIS IS A FOOTBALL...”
FORMER RIVALS TURNED TEAMMATES

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1. People are naturally rivals with God and with each other

Ephesians 2:11-12

2. Jesus brings peace to our rivalry with God and each other

Ephesians 2:13-18

Isaiah 49:6

3. To be “in Jesus” means that we live together in unity

Ephesians 2:19-22

“We cannot tout what Jesus did in tearing down these barriers while we keep perpetuating them ourselves.”

John Stott

Who are you, though once excluded from Christ and now included “in Him,” excluding from God’s household? Based on what?

This Week’s Gameplan:

“Remember that Jesus brought peace to your rivalry with God & others”