

Series: Entertaining Angels
Sermon: Gaius VS Diotrephes
Bible Verses: 3 John
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John was _____ happy, _____, and _____ when he heard how Gaius was living.

Why was John so happy? Verse 3 tells us:

1. Gaius was "faithful to the truth" - in other words he still _____ Jesus and good _____.

Why was John so happy? Verse 3 tells us:

2. Gaius was "walking in truth" - in other words he was living his faith with _____ and not being a _____ who believed one thing but did something else.

Question: What were the actions Gaius had that proved he was "walking in faith"?

One Answer: _____ to _____.

Gaius welcomed strangers just like they were his own _____ and _____.

Diotrephes will _____ strangers.

Faithful Christians _____ strangers and make them feel at home; gossips and _____ people do not.

Simple ideas:

- At Church, I should treat strangers like a friend coming to _____; take them to Hebrews, sit with them.

- Keep the Church _____ so strangers feel comfortable, and not like they wandered into a _____.

- Shake their hand, but don't _____ it like your trying to stop the blood flow.

... and more, but hopefully you get the picture!

Serious Stuff: A lack of hospitality is referred to as _____ in the book of 3 John.

If I welcome people it is an indicator that I know God, because God has welcomed me.