

as they accept the Bible, which says the church is Christ's body, I say they either have a duty to unite organizationally with the other ~~xxxxxx~~ Christians or else to have a credible explanation to ~~xxxx~~ give of the reason they don't so unite. But just to go on~~x~~ as separate groups. without having an explanation of why they continue as separate groups, or without on the other hand, if they don't have an explanation seriously working toward getting together, that I say is something which is ~~xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx~~ utterly wrong.

I don't say that they have to unite together, but I say that they have to have a mighty good reason for not. It is not just being separate, therefore we should ~~xx~~ continue being separate. Our parents were, ~~xxxxxx~~ and we are, we should be, that is no valid reason. The question is , is there a reason for it, which ~~x~~ can be substantiated in the ~~xxxxxxx~~ light of the Scriptures. And I think that that is a matter which we need to think through pretty carefully to have reasons for, not only for our faith, but also for this. And we do not have it. I mean most Christians, even Christian leaders do not have it.

And so it is easy to see how, here is a man, who ~~xxxx~~ is a true Bible-believer and he believes the Bible and he believes in Christ, and he reads the Scripture and it says ~~xxxx~~ that Christ is the head of the body, the church, ~~xxxx~~ upon ~~xxxx~~ this rock I will build my church. And the gates of hell shall not prevail against it, and he is, let's say, he is one of the the leaders in an organization/ of a few thousand people. And these people, in his organization, have been separate, they have been a ~~xxxxxx~~ separate organization maybe 100 years, ~~x~~ maybe 500 years. And he is one of their leaders. And he is brought in contact with ~~xxxxxxx~~ people from other church organizations as the rank and file of his people are not. And as he comes in contact with real Christians in other organizations, the thought inevitably comes to him, Christ's body is not my particular ~~xxxxxx~~ denomination. Christ's body is all Christians in the world, well should I not join with these ~~xxxx~~ other people, should I not do everything I can to bring my group together with them. And ~~xxxxxxx~~ people talk of the scandal of denominations, they talk of the broken garment of Christ, they talk of these things, and what they say about these has a great