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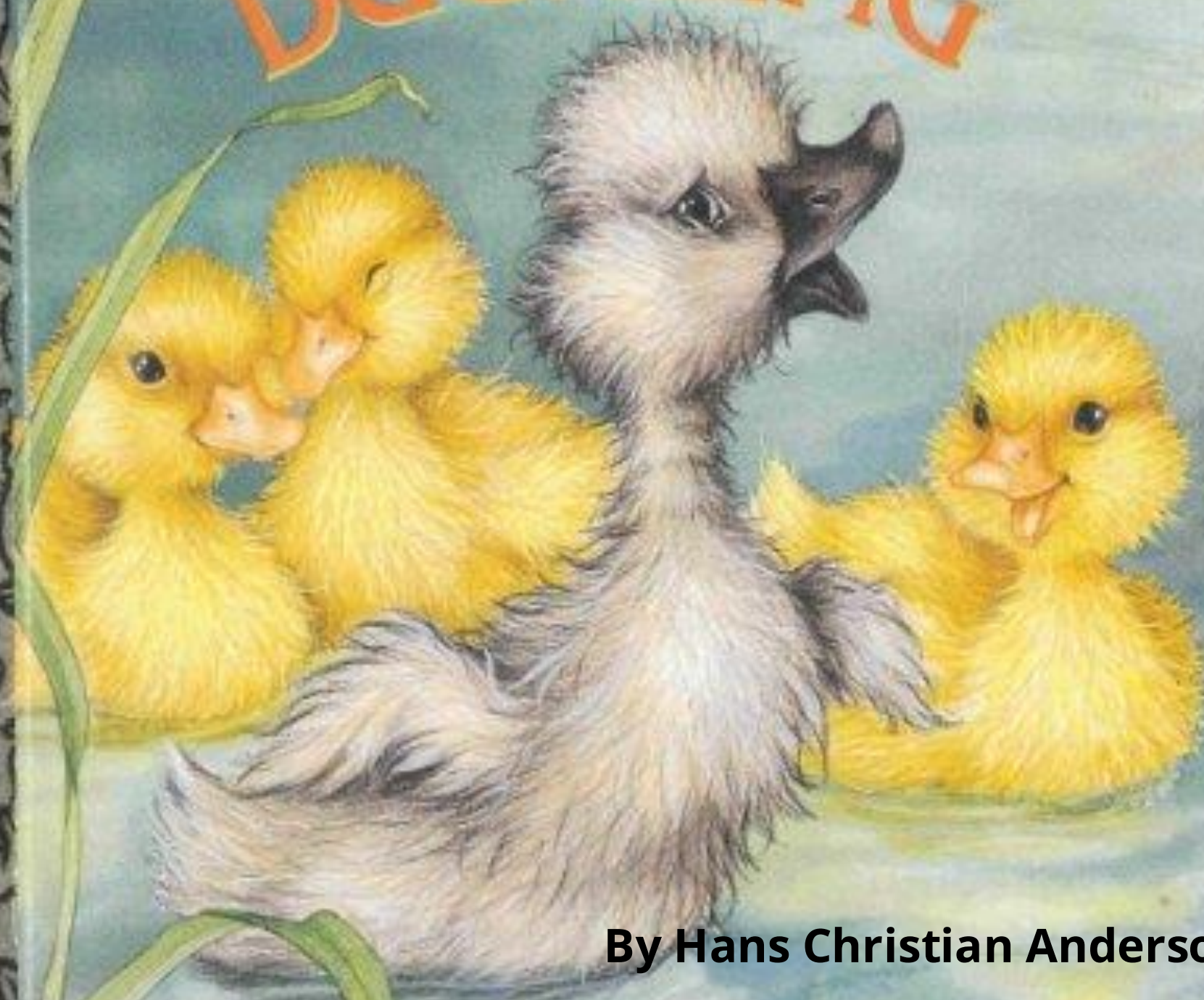
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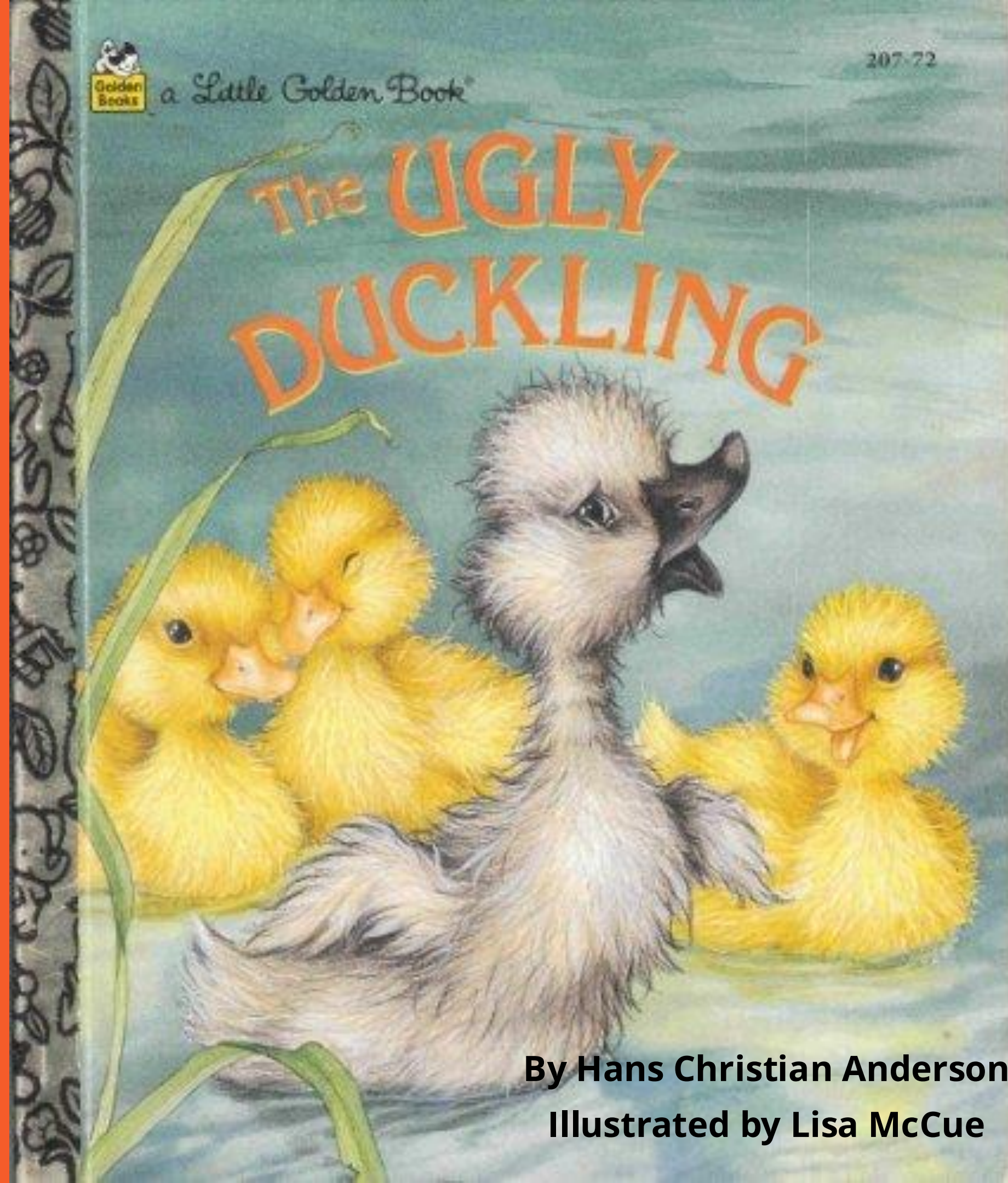
The UGLY DUCKLING



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Week 2:

“Transformed by the Spirit”



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Two Key Questions

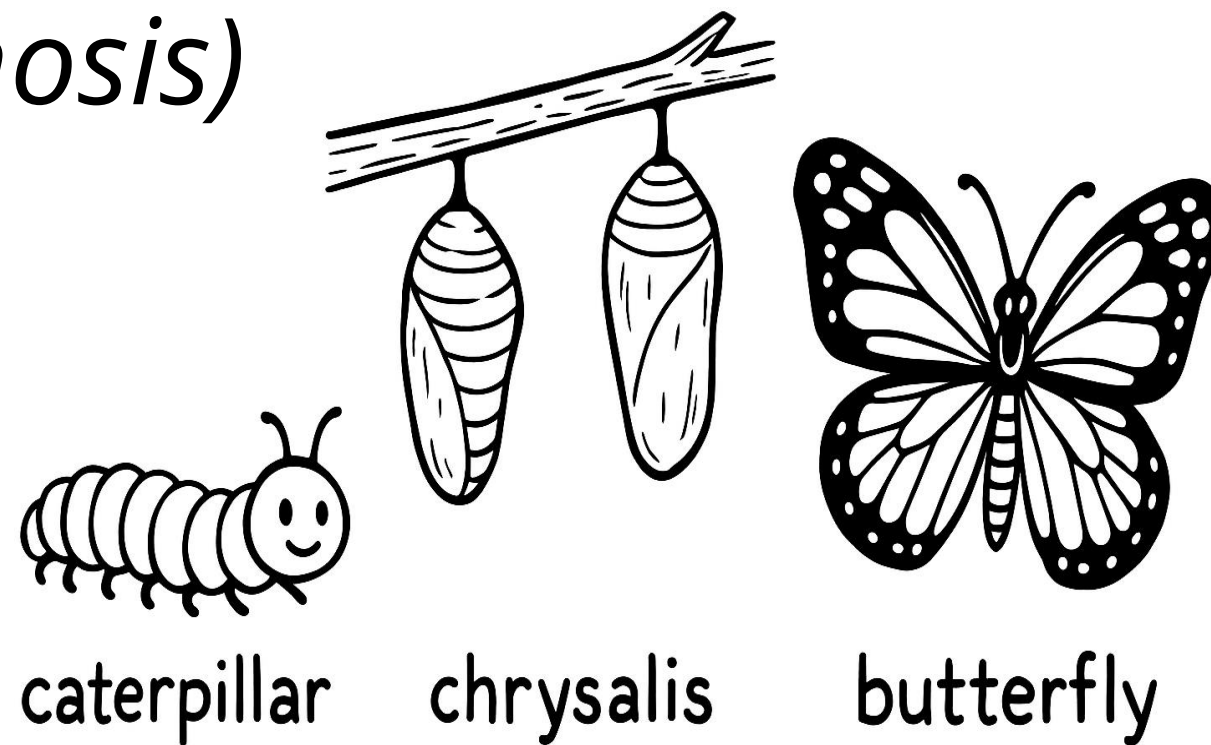
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*¹Therefore, I urge you, brothers and sisters, in view of God's mercy, to offer your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and pleasing to God—this is your true and proper worship. ² **Do not conform** to the pattern of this world, but **be transformed** by the renewing of your mind. Then you will be able to test and approve what God's will is—his good, pleasing and perfect will.*



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“Spiritual Formation isn’t just a follower of Jesus thing, it’s a human thing. We are all being formed every minute of the day. We are all becoming someone -intentional or unintentional, conscious or subconscious, deliberate or haphazard; we are all in the process of becoming a person.

John Mark Comer – Practicing the Way

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“Every time you make a choice you are turning the central part of you, the part of you that chooses, into something a little different from what it was before...”

C.S. Lewis – Mere Christianity. 2001 Ed. (P.92)

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Matthew 7:19-21

¹⁹ Every tree that does not bear good fruit is cut down and thrown into the fire. ²⁰ Thus, by their fruit you will recognize them. ²¹ “Not everyone who says to me, ‘Lord, Lord,’ will enter the kingdom of heaven, but only the one who does the will of my Father who is in heaven.



2. How the Holy Spirit brings Transformation?

- **Power** (Acts 1:8)
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- **People**/Community (Acts 2:42-47)

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*But **you** will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on **you**; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth."*

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“Without the Holy Spirit, Christian discipleship would be inconceivable, even impossible. There can be no life without the life-giver; no understanding without the Spirit of truth; no fellowship without the unity of the Spirit; no Christlikeness of character apart from his fruit; no effective witness without his power. As a body without breath is a corpse, so the church without the Spirit is dead.”

John Stott – The message of Acts (P.60)

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- **How are you going? Are you working out your salvation with fear and trembling (Phil 2:12-13)?**

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- **There are approx. 59x “*one another*” commandments in the New Testament.**



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Two ways to respond

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2. Repent+Believe