

¹⁵ If your brother or sister sins,
go and point out their fault,
just between the two of you.

If they listen to you,
you have won them over.

¹⁶ But if they will not listen,
take one or two others along,
so that 'every matter may be
established by the testimony
of two or three witnesses.'

¹⁷ If they still refuse to listen,
tell it to the church;
and if they refuse to listen
even to the church, treat them as you
would a pagan or a tax collector.

18 Truly I tell you, whatever you bind on earth will be bound in heaven, and whatever you loose on earth will be loosed in heaven.

¹⁹ Again, truly I tell you that if two of you on earth agree about anything they ask for, it will be done for them by my Father in heaven.

²⁰ For where two or three gather
in my name, there am I with them.