Treat Everyone With Respect

When we develop the right attitude towards Father's instructions to us, we'll comply with them because <u>his desires are our desires</u>. Of course, that point of compliance will only come easily when we're in a deeper level of oneness with him than what we automatically are in when we first come into the Kingdom.

Having left religion and legalism behind, along with compliance with a holy book, we're moving on in a love relationship with the Trinity who instruct us on a daily basis. These instructions are given to us personally for our benefit, as are the ones that are shared corporately. Here's a shared one for us to implement:

"" Set your heart, mind and determination to treat everyone with the same respect that you desire for yourself. Be sure to reflect My character and nature in everything you do," says the Lord. "Release yourself from prejudice and judging others from your place of strength to their position of weakness.""³

This isn't a command, rule or law – it's an instruction – coming from Father's heart of unconditional love and full acceptance. Any legalese that a reader sees in it will actually come from legalism within them, not the instruction itself

For our own benefit, Father wants us to respect others in the same way that we want to be respected by those we connect with. This isn't a foreign concept, as the Kingdom is a kingdom of honour,⁴ and honouring others is of paramount importance in it. There's honour within the Trinity and they receive it from all spiritual beings. They honour us as their imagers, and they expect us to honour all other imagers, in like manner.

When Father stated above that he desires us to "reflect my character and nature in everything you do", he was saying (in context) that respect and honour are part-&-parcel of his nature. As his imagers, we need to reflect that in our character, which is why he's given us this teaching.

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