

Problem: **Always Wanting to Be First**

"Sitting down, Jesus called the Twelve and said, 'If anyone wants to be first, he must be the very last and the servant of all.'"

Mark 9:35

Problem: **Lashing Out In Anger**

"In your anger do not sin': Do not let the sun go down while you are still angry, and do not give the devil a foothold."

Ephesians 4:26-27

Problem: **Gossip**

"Avoid godless chatter, because those who indulge in it will become more and more ungodly."

2 Timothy 2:16

Problem: **Wanting to Give Up**

"The sluggard craves and gets nothing, but the desires of the diligent are fully satisfied."

Proverbs 13:4

Problem:

Thinking He or She Knows Everything

"The way of a fool seems right to him but a wise man listens to advice."

Proverbs 12:15

Problem:

Assuming the Worst in Others or a Situation

"He who seeks good finds goodwill, but evil comes to him who searches for it."

Proverbs 11:27

Problem:

Wanting to Do What Other Kids Are Doing

"Everything is permissible for me'—but not everything is beneficial. 'Everything is permissible for me'—but I will not be mastered by anything."

1 Corinthians 6:12

Problem:

Not Wanting to Help Someone

"Therefore, as we have opportunity, let us do good to all people"

Galatians 6:10a

Problem: **Not Wanting to Do a Good Job**

"Serve wholeheartedly, as if you were serving the Lord, not men, because you know that the Lord will reward everyone for whatever good he does whether he is slave or free."

Ephesians 6:7-8

Problem: **Not Wanting to Share**

"Give to the one who asks you, and do not turn away from the one who wants to borrow from you."

Mathew 5:42

Problem: **Arguments that Lead to Yelling**

"A gentle answer turns away wrath, but a harsh word stirs up anger."

Proverbs 15:1

Problem: **Bragging**

"For whoever exalts himself will be humbled, and whoever humbles himself will be exalted."

Mathew 23:12

Problem: **Worrying About Appearances**

"Your beauty should not come from outward adornment, such as braided hair and the wearing of gold jewelry and fine clothes. Instead, it should be that of your inner self, the unfading beauty of a gentle and quiet spirit, which is of great worth in God's sight.."

1 Peter 3:3-4

Problem: **Not Respecting Authority Figures**

"Obey your leaders and submit to their authority. They keep watch over you as men who must give an account. Obey them so that their work will be a joy, not a burden, for that would be of no advantage to you."

Hebrews 13:17

Problem: **Refusing to Listen to Parents**

"Listen . . . to your father's instruction and do not forsake your mother's teaching."

Proverbs 1:8

Problem: **Arguing About Nothing**

"Don't have anything to do with foolish and stupid arguments, because you know they produce quarrels."

2 Timothy 2:23

Problem: **Talking Bad about Another Person**

Do not let any unwholesome talk come out of your mouths, but only what is helpful for building others up according to their needs, that it may benefit those who listen.

Ephesians 4:29

Problem: **Not Listening to Parents**

"Honor your father and mother"—which is the first commandment with a promise— "that it may go well with you and that you may enjoy long life on the earth."

Ephesians 6:2-3

Problem: **Always Wanting More**

"Keep your lives free from the love of money and be content with what you have"

Hebrews 13:5a

Problem: **Wanting To Give Up**

"Let us not become weary in doing good, for at the proper time we will reap a harvest if we do not give up."

Galatians 6:9

Problem: Kids Who Think They Know It All

“Listen to advice and accept instruction, and in the end you will be wise.”

Proverbs 19:20

Problem: Refusing to Forgive Others

“Hatred stirs up dissension, but love covers all wrongs.”

Proverbs 10:12

Problem: Not Wanting to Share a Toy or Clothing Item, Even if They Aren't Using It

“Do not withhold good from those who deserve it, when it is in your power to act.”

Proverbs 3:27