



# Making Good Matches

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**Purpose: Sharpen our understanding of three hope categories**

We want to do some matching in this exercise. We have three categories as discussed in D2 Lesson 2. Match each of the forty words with a category. If you cannot figure one out, that is fine. Mark it special so you can go back to it later. It is best if you write the word in the proper column but drawing lines is also acceptable.

<h2 style="color: #008080; margin: 0;">LACK OF CONFIDENCE</h2>	<h2 style="color: #008080; margin: 0;">GOD-FOCUSED CONFIDENCE</h2>	<h2 style="color: #008080; margin: 0;">MISPLACED CONFIDENCE</h2> <p style="margin-top: 10px;"><b>Self-ambitious</b></p>
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- Critical      Anxious      Defiant      Liar      Immoral      Sad  
 Proudful      Argumentative      Lusts      Revengeful  
 Fearful      Doubtful      Angry      Self-hatred  
 Self-control      Faithful      Loving      Joyful  
 Despairing      Indecisive      Peaceful  
 Bitter      Deceiver      ~~Self-ambitious~~      Patience      Kindness      Reasonable  
 Insecure      Hateful      Good      Stressed      Despiteful      Gossiper  
 Envious      Backbiter      Merciful  
 Swearing      Hopeless      Jealous      Gentle      Worrisome      Depressed



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## Answer sheet

Please note the answers to the exercise 'Making Good Matches' below. Make sure you do the next assignment where you define what some of them mean. Add other words as they come to your mind.

### LACK OF CONFIDENCE

- Worrisome
- Despairing
- Sad
- Doubtful
- Depressed
- Anxious
- Fearful
- Hopeless
- Stressed out
- Indecisive
- Self-hate

### GOD-FOCUSED CONFIDENCE

- Loving
- Joyful
- Patient
- Kind
- Peaceful
- Faithful
- Good
- Faithful
- Self-control
- Merciful
- Gentle
- Reasonable
- Without hypocrisy

### MISPLACED CONFIDENCE

- Angry
- Lying
- Lustful
- Proudful
- Critical
- Argumentative
- Envy
- Jealousy
- Hatred
- Defiant
- Despiteful
- Self-ambitious
- Deceiver
- Bittern
- Revengeful
- Immoral
- Gossiper
- Backbiter
- Swears

“And the seed whose fruit is righteousness is sown in peace by those who make peace.” (James 3:18).

“But flee from these things, you man of God’ and pursue righteousness, godliness, faith, love, perseverance and gentleness. Fight the good fight of faith” (1 Timothy 6:11).