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A Flaw in the Manual

Introduction

LifeLine Productions is dedicated to presenting the Gospel message and Biblical truths in an entertaining and thought-provoking form. We aim to plant seeds in the hearts of those who do not know Jesus Christ as Savior, and to challenge and encourage believers to a stronger walk with their Lord.

We are thankful to you for ordering this script. It is our prayer that your drama group, youth group or whatever type of group you have will be effective with this material and that God will use our collective work for His good. You are on the front-line; you have the opportunity through your performance to touch someone and lead them to Christ. May God bless your faithfulness in this task.

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Heaven: Hello, this is Heaven. May I help you?

Caller: Uh, yeah. I think I found a flaw in your manual.

Heaven: You mean the Bible?

Caller: Yes. You know that section that says "so in everything do unto others as

you would have them do unto you"?

Heaven: Matthew, chapter 7, verse 12?

Caller: Uh, sure. Now when you say "everything" does that mean "everything"

or are there exceptions?

Heaven: What is there about the word "everything" that you don't understand sir?

Caller: Well, I have this really obnoxious brother-in-law and I would love to just

take some chicken feathers and some hot chocolate syrup and just...

Heaven: Sir, ah sir!

Caller: I'm sorry. Surely there's just got to be an exception to that rule.

Heaven: Trust me sir.

Caller: How about a loophole?

Heaven: There is a very good reason why there's no exception in that section.

Caller: I don't think whoever wrote that ever met my brother-in-law.

Heaven: Regardless sir, that section is a part of God's standard for how we are to

treat others. We can not apply His standard only when it is convenient.

Announcer: It's easy to think our circumstances are unusual, but are you willing to

obey God even when it's tough?