- I. The Parties Involved (1-3)
  - A. The Mediator: Paul
  - B. The Offended: Philemon
  - C. The Offender: Onesimus
  - D. The Others Impacted: Apphia, Archippus, and the Church

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- II. The Prerequisites Required (4-7)
  - A. Faith in Jesus Christ
  - B. Love for Other Believers
  - C. Zeal for Christian Fellowship
  - D. Desire for Christ's Glory

- III. The Pattern Demonstrated (8-19)
  - A. The General Appeal for Reconciliation (8-11)
  - B. The Specific Ingredients of Reconciliation (12-19)
    - 1. A Biblical Expression of Repentance (12-14)
    - 2. A Careful Consideration of Providence (15-16)
    - 3. A Gracious Restoration of Relationship (17)
    - 4. A Sincere Discussion of Restitution (18-19)

- V. The Prompting Given (19-25)
  - A. The Debt We Owe (19)
  - B. The Blessing We Become (20)
  - C. The Obedience Christ Commands (21)
  - D. The Accountability We Have (22)
  - E. The Relationships We Share (23-24)
  - F. The Grace We Receive (25)