

It is a special privilege to be singled out in a crowd to be greeted first. Many times it is the person you are celebrating on a special occasion; the one with the birthday or the one being honored. Sometimes you make a B-line to that person you haven't seen in forever! Whatever the reason, the bible talks about "loving one another in brotherly affection. Outdo one another in showing honor," Romans 12:10. It is amazing how a small act like that can have an effect on someone and make a person feel valued, seen, missed even. When my husband takes the time to kiss me goodbye each day I feel like the day has started off in a good way. The opposite is also true. In the evening, when he comes home it is my greatest delight to meet him at the door, and outdo him with "brotherly affection and holy kisses." He knows I am happy to see him.

This week, make an effort to outdo one another in brotherly affection. Make sure you kiss each other hello and goodbye, as often as you can. The bible commands it!



*Greet one another with a holy kiss.
2 Corinthians 13:12*