



Be a Peacemaker.
Transform Your Relationships.™

THE RELATIONALLY WISE LEADER

ONE CHALLENGE ALL ORGANIZATIONS FACE

God's design for our churches, ministries and organizations is that they would be communities of redeemed and transformed people who reflect his glory by loving one another as he has loved us (John 13:34-35).

As we see in Scripture and in our own lives, however, our relationships are frequently strained or broken.

The number one cause of lost friendships, divorces, leader burnout or forced exits, staff turnover and division is not theological differences, financial mismanagement, or even moral failure.

The number one cause, by far, of all these events is unresolved personal conflict.

YOU ARE A KEY PART OF GOD'S SOLUTION

As a Christian leader, you can be used by God to counter the division and destruction of conflict by serving him and the people around you as a peacemaker, a conciliator and a model of relational wisdom.

The key to fulfilling this role is to be an example and channel of the redeeming, transforming and reconciling power of the gospel of Christ.

As God's grace transforms and flows through you, you can develop skills that enable you to teach, model and practice relational wisdom and peacemaking in ways that instruct others and inspire them to follow your example.

You can begin by discipling your leadership team and then together you can strengthen the relational skills of your entire organization.

MODEL RELATIONAL WISDOM®

Relational wisdom, in essence, is the desire and ability to live out Jesus' two Great Commandments, namely, to love God with all your heart and to love your neighbor as yourself.

Relational wisdom may be defined as your ability to discern emotions, interests and abilities in yourself and others, to interpret this information in the light of God's Word, and to use these insights to manage your responses and relationships successfully.

MODEL RELATIONAL LEADERSHIP

RW360 has mediated hundreds of conflicts. Most of these cases were triggered or escalated by leaders who were unskilled in emotional intelligence and peacemaking and made a series of well-intended but clumsy relational decisions.

The following list describes just some of the relational skills that would have prevented most of these conflicts. Your leaders can learn these skills and more during the training:

- Relational leaders model humility, teachability and flexibility.
- Relational leaders develop and model empathy and compassion.
- Relational leaders are both approachable and accountable.
- Relational leaders practice clarity plus charity.
- Relational leaders know how to defuse explosive meetings.

THE FRUIT OF RELATIONALLY WISE LEADERSHIP

- Your people can experience greater unity, productivity and enduring relationships.
- RW strengthens your ability to harness the power of emotions and use it for good.
- RW enhances your ability to solve problems, be a peacemaker and resolve conflict.
- Reduce member and staff turnover, strengthen families and improve productivity.
- Best of all, God will be glorified as others witness the transforming power of the gospel and are drawn to Jesus, his gospel and his church.

TAKE THE NEXT STEP: SCHEDULE A CALL

[Schedule a Free Zoom Meeting with RW360](#) to answer your leaders' questions and to begin the process of developing a custom plan for strengthening the relational culture of your organization.

Your journey toward building a highly relational organization can begin with this simple step.