

## Lance Christie

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**From:** Lance Christie <lance.christie@upbteam.com>  
**Sent:** 21 October 2016 22:01  
**To:** 'Garth Christie'  
**Subject:** RE: Control

Garth,

The reason that you want others present is that you don't trust me. That's very evident, even from the below.

Matthew 18 - which the Leeds brethren used in assembly when my matters were brought up recently - says "between thee and him alone"

Let's try the scriptural way and then if we can't achieve reconciliation, we can bring "2 or 3 besides". That could include our wives if you think they're best equipped to deal with matters that have already come to assembly

It's a pity we have to resort to Matthew 18 at all but that was the way you presented my matters to the brethren so I suppose we have to respect that. Presumably that's because of the seriousness of the offence, otherwise things could have been settled on the basis of Galatians 6 v 1

When can we meet?

I look forward to your reply

Best Regards

Your brother Lance

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**From:** Garth Christie [mailto:Garth.Christie@hazel4d.com]  
**Sent:** 21 October 2016 20:46  
**To:** Lance Christie  
**Subject:** RE: Control

Lance

No problem having a meeting with you but suggest at least our wives are present. I have got pretty fed up with strong statements from you supposedly quoting me that not accurate so would like others present.

When would you like to meet?

Best Regards,

Garth Christie

To reduce it all to a light comment like "we're all a bit nuts" does not wash with me, Garth. It gets serious if your assessment of anyone's ability to contribute meaningfully is prejudiced by your view of their mental state.

From a legal point of view, I can understand it - that's Ced's problem. But not among brethren please.

Hopefully this will cause you to have the private meeting with me that I have been longing for for 2 years now. You've been choosing to misunderstand and misrepresent me, Garth, with devastating consequences

We all have weaknesses. It's up to you whether you choose to destructively expose another's weaknesses or choose to constructively build others up by making the most of their good points

I look forward to hearing from you with a view to resolving outstanding issues between us

Best regards,

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