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“ A friend of mine used to remind me, “Faith is living without scheming.” Whenever I discover myself pushing and prodding, God says to me, “Take your hands off. Be still, and know that I am God.” ... A time will come when He will say, “All right, I will use your hands.” But until then, keep your hands off. Know that He is God. ”

Warren Wiersbe, Take Your Hands Off Devotion

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“ This was an act of aggression by Absalom to force Joab to act in his behalf with David, his father. Such a crime was serious, as it destroyed the livelihood of the owner and workers. It reveals that Absalom's heart was not repentant and submissive, but manipulative. ”

John MacArthur, MacArthur Bible Commentary

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3. You Are Scheming When You Undermine People (15:1-6)

“ Absalom’s clever approach made him able to subvert and divide David’s kingdom without saying any specific thing that could condemn him. If someone objected Absalom would simply say, “Tell me one specific thing that I have said or done.” ”

David Guzik, Enduring Word Commentary

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3. You Are Scheming When You Undermine People (15:1-6)

Let no corrupt word proceed out of your mouth, but what is good for necessary edification, that it may impart grace to the hearers.

Ephesians 4:29

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5. You Are Scheming When You Enlist People (15:10-12)

Also from among yourselves men will rise up,
speaking perverse things, to draw away the
disciples after themselves.

Acts 20:30

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Minister To One Another

- **Manifestations of the Spirit** (1 Corinthians 12:7-11)
 - word of wisdom
 - word of knowledge
 - faith
 - gifts of healings
 - working of miracles
 - prophecy
 - discerning of spirits
- **Share Verses With Each Other** (Colossians 3:16)
- **Pray For One Another** (James 5:16)