# HOW TO GET ALONG WITH OTHERS

## Leader's Guide: PD11-3

Lecture time: 35 min. Discussion time: approx. 35 min.

### Leader's Oral Opening Comments

- > This lecture the 3rd in a series of 3 discoveries about whom we really are and how that God created us.
- Strengths and weaknesses. This is what life is all about, isn't it? Often our strengths 'good points' are the very things that offend other folks. We tend to "overdo" it, overuse it, or measure others by it. Let's become gentle like Jesus who said: "I am gentle and meek."

#### Leader's Oral Closing Comments

This is all about turning our frustration with others into positive actions of gently leading them to the green pastures of Psalm 23. That is our divine job. Let us discuss that.

#### **Prayer instructions**

In your mind name all the pastors one by one that you know by name or face in your province. Think about their hurts — needs — (each person has 'hurts'). Mentally assign them a temperament and pray a blessing from that temperament over them. Like: "Pastor Michael — choleric — Lord give him the gift of compassion, tenderness, and kindness."

#### **Pass-out material instructions**

#### **Practical assignments**

Emphasize: Take time to meditate! Have you ever meditated quickly? That is an oxymoron, isn't it? Meditating takes time. Meditating is giving your guts — (the Bible says 'bowels') — to the other person. Pray that God would give you insights as you meditate.