

# MARKHAM MISSIONARY CHURCH

Sunday, March 7, 2010 – 10:45 a.m.

Pastor David Crouse

*"Love That Counts"*

Romans 14: to 15:6

## HUMANS ARE PRONE TO BEING JUDGMENTAL

- Our goal is to be a community of acceptance
- Accept those who are weak
- Avoid legalism

## TWO DISPUTABLE MATTERS WERE FOOD AND SACRED DAYS

- Old Testament food laws important to Jews
- Jesus declared all foods clean
- Evangelical churches have less legalism now
- Sacred days were also important

## EACH OF US WILL GIVE ACCOUNT TO GOD

- There is a right and wrong in our attitudes
- The strong are to clear the path for the weak

## THE GUIDING PRINCIPLE IS PEACE AND MUTUAL EDIFICATION

- The dominant criteria are righteousness, peace and joy
- Talk only to God
- Follow the example of Christ

## ENDURANCE AND ENCOURAGEMENT BASED ON SCRIPTURE GIVE US HOPE