**Needed Correction
Acts 18:23-19:10 (page 794)**

**Main Truth**
God uses believers to lovingly correct believers.

**Structure Thoughts**

**23After spending some time there, he departed and went from one place to the next through the region of Galatia and Phrygia, strengthening all the disciples. 24Now a Jew named Apollos, a native of Alexandria, came to Ephesus. He was an eloquent man, competent in the Scriptures. 25He had been instructed in the way of the Lord. And being fervent in spirit, he spoke and taught accurately the things concerning Jesus, though he knew only the baptism of John.**

**26He began to speak boldly in the synagogue, but when Priscilla and Aquila heard him, they took him aside and explained to him the way of God more accurately.  27And when he wished to cross to Achaia, the brothers encouraged him and wrote to the disciples to welcome him. When he arrived, he greatly helped those who through grace had believed, 28for he powerfully refuted the Jews in public, showing by the Scriptures that the Christ was Jesus.**

**Proverbs 27:17**

**Matthew 7:5**

**Proverbs 12:15**

**1And it happened that while Apollos was at Corinth, Paul passed through the inland country and came to Ephesus. There he found some disciples. 2And he said to them, “Did you receive the Holy Spirit when you believed?” And they said, “No, we have not even heard that there is a Holy Spirit.”  3And he said, “Into what then were you baptized?” They said, “Into John's baptism.”  4And Paul said, “John baptized with the baptism of repentance, telling the people to believe in the one who was to come after him, that is, Jesus.”**

**5On hearing this, they were baptized in the name of the Lord Jesus.  6And when Paul had laid his hands on them, the Holy Spirit came on them, and they began speaking in tongues and prophesying.  7There were about twelve men in all.**

**8And he entered the synagogue and for three months spoke boldly, reasoning and persuading them about the kingdom of God.  9But when some became stubborn and continued in unbelief, speaking evil of the Way before the congregation, he withdrew from them and took the disciples with him, reasoning daily in the hall of Tyrannus. 10This continued for two years, so that all the residents of Asia heard the word of the Lord, both Jews and Greeks.**

**Take Home Question:**

**How should I respond to what I just learned about correction?**

**Themes in Acts:** Witness, Growing Church, Glory of God, Filling of the Holy Spirit, Boldness, Prayer, Persecution