









'We listen to the Word with humble reverence, anxious to understand it, and resolved to believe and obey what we come to understand.

We listen to the world with critical alertness, anxious to understand it too, and resolved not necessarily to believe and obey it, but to sympathise with it and to seek grace to discover how the gospel relates to it.'

John Stott







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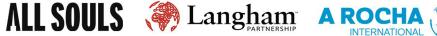
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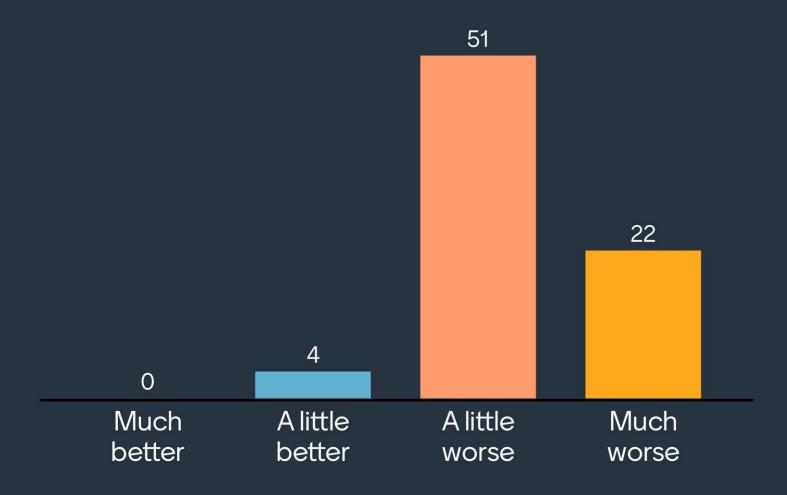






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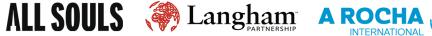


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# Over what do we disagree most fiercely?

(Write up to two areas of disagreement for the word cloud)









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How good at lovingly disagreeing in the public space (being gracious & salty) is the UK church?

<---Excellent---Okay---Poor---Terrible--->







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## **Loving Disagreement:** Christian Wisdom for a **Polarised World**

with Rev Dr Christopher Landau











Let your speech always be gracious, seasoned with salt, so that you may know how you ought to answer everyone.

Pursue Godly speech, inspired by the Spirit.

If it is possible, so far as it depends on you, live peaceably with all.

Cultivate the fruit of the Spirit.







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### As you reflect on what's been said, what are the 'shockers'

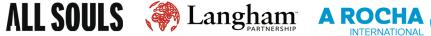
(a phrase, word, image or something from what's been said that resonates, stands out, or connects with you)

### and what are the 'blockers'?

(something from what's been said that raises questions for you)

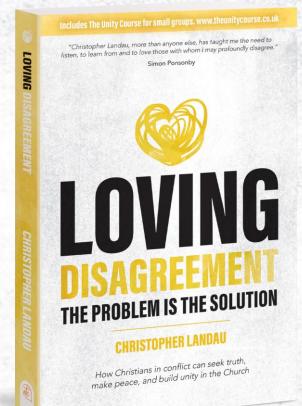
What's your question or comment for Christopher?













"Christopher Landau, more than anyone else, has taught me the need to listen, to learn from and to love those with whom I may profoundly disagree."

Simon Ponsonby



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