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a) What should be our response to the vulnerability of others?

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Read Ephesians 4 : 22 – 32

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Daniel is not prepared to compromise in prayer.

What do we take into consideration in deciding when it is right or not right for a Christian to compromise?

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