

*'A
Model of
Christian Charity,'
sermon by John Winthrop
aboard the Arbella ~ 1630*

We must entertain each other in brotherly affection;
we must be willing to abridge ourselves of our
superfluities for the supply of others' necessities;
we must uphold a familiar commerce together in
all meekness, gentleness, patience, and liberality.

We must delight in each other,
make each others' condition our own,
rejoice together, mourn together,
labor and suffer
together;

always having before us our commission and
community in the work, our community
as members of the same body. of Israel is among

We shall find that the God of Israel is among
us, when He shall make us a praise and a glory
that men shall say of succeeding plantations
"The Lord make it like that of New England."

**WE
SHALL BE AS A
CITY UPON A HILL ;
THE EYES OF ALL
PEOPLE ARE UPON US.**