

7. Read Gen. 4:17-22. Do you allow or see the pursuit of personal achievement to destroy your relations of community such as your family? What is it?

8. Read Colossians 1:12; Eph. 4:11&12. Do you allow a separatist leadership mindset to limit you in ministry? What and why?

9. Read Matthew 22:37-39. Do you allow the loss of purpose to destroy your relational community such as in your family?

## Becoming Attractive—Part Three

Prioritize wisely. (Acts 2:42-47)

1. Heaven to earth communication. (Prayer) (Acts 2:42)
2. Apostolic teaching. (Discipleship) (Acts 2:42)
3. Biblical **community**. (Acts 2:42)

a. Community centers around **relationships**. (Acts 16:31)

1) **God**. (Psalm 139:1-4)

2) **Self**. (Matthew 22:37-39)

3) **Others**. (Proverbs 27:17)

b. Community groups are centered around these three relationships for the purpose of fulfilling the great commission through the process of **edification**. (Matt. 16:18; I Thess. 5:11; Eph. 4:15&16; Gal. 6:1; I Corinthians 12:1; I Corinthians 14:3-5, 12, 17 & 26.)

c. Biblical community is destroyed by:

1) **Sin**. (Genesis. 3:10; Genesis. 4:6; I Corinthians. 13:3)

2) A pursuit for personal **achievement**. (Genesis 4:17-22)

3) A **separatist** leadership **mentality**. (Col. 1:12; Eph. 4:11&12)

4) Loss of **purpose**. (Matt. 22:37-39)

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## FOOD FOR THOUGHT

For the week of January 24, 2010

(Questions and Scriptures for further study)

1. Read Acts 16:31. Using communicating at least one hour per week as the standard, who is in your oikos relationships? Do you believe they can be saved?

2. God has created us to live interconnecting with three relationships. If one is out of balance it affects the others. The fuel that drives our oikos is God. Read Psalm 139:1-4. How are you doing in this relationship?

3. Read Matthew 22:37 & 38. How do you value yourself? What are you doing to strengthen yourself? Do you feel you have a healthy self image? Have you put away all your past baggage? Are you still working on them?

4. Read Proverbs 27:17. Do you have any unhealthy relationships with others? What and why? Remember bad relationships stem from a bad relationship with God and self either on your end of theirs.

5. Read Matthews 16:18; I Thess. 5:11; Eph. 4:15&16; Gal. 6:1; I Corin. 12:1; I Corin. 14:3-5,12,17 & 26. Are you in a group that edifies you and you edify others for the purpose of fulfilling the great commission?

6. Read Gen. 3:10; Gen. 4:6; I Corin. 13:3. Do you allow or see sin destroying your relations of community such as your family? What is it?