

## Vital & Important Aspects Of A Good Relationship with Jesus (And Of A Good Marriage)

“ God who has **called** you into **fellowship** with his Son Jesus Christ our Lord is faithful.”  
- **I Corinthians 1:9**

“**Koinania**” fellowship: “the fullest possible **partnership** and **fellowship** with God, and with others in the church. **Intimate fellowship** with God and His Son Jesus produces this type of fellowship and unity in a church (and in a marriage & family). **Only God** can produce this genuine koinania fellowship, love, and unity. - Henry Blackaby

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| <p>- <b>Commitment</b><br/>(Be Faithful)<br/>(Eph. 5:31, Gen. 2:24)</p>     | <p>- Deuteronomy 5:7-9<br/>- Psalm 100:5<br/>- I Chron. 28:9<br/>- Jer. 2:1-2; 3:6, 12-14, 19-20</p> | <p>- Revelation 2:2-5<br/>- Acts 2:42... (“they <b>devoted</b> themselves...”)<br/>- John 21:16</p> |
| <p>- <b>Love</b><br/> (“Agape” Love)<br/>(Eph. 5:25)</p>                    | <p>- Deuteronomy 6:5<br/>- 2 Cor. 5:9, 14-15<br/>- Galatians 2:20<br/>- I Timothy 1:12-14</p>        | <p>- John 15:13<br/>- Luke 9:23<br/>- I John 5:3</p>  |
| <p>- <b>Respect, Honor</b><br/>(Reverence)<br/>(Eph. 5:33, I Peter 3:7)</p> | <p>- Psalm 25:12-14<br/>- Psalm 100<br/>- I Chron. 28:9</p>  | <p>- Luke 11:1-2<br/>- Acts 2:43, 47<br/>- I Samuel 2:30</p>  |
| <p>- <b>Trust</b><br/>(Faith)</p>   | <p>- Proverbs 3:5-6<br/>- Psalm 22:4-5<br/>- Psalm 62:5-8</p>  | <p>- Psalm 91:1-2, 14-16<br/>- Hebrews 11:6, 1<br/>- Isaiah 55:8-9</p>                              |
| <p>- <b>Communication (2 way):</b><br/>- <b>Speak (Prayer)</b></p>          | <p>- Acts 1:14, 2:42,...<br/>- Colossians 4:2<br/>- Matthew 7:7</p>                                  | <p>- I John 5:14-15<br/>- I Thessalonians 5:16-18</p>   |
| <p>- <b>Listen (God Speaks)</b></p>   | <p>- John 10:10-11, 27<br/>- I Kings 19:11-12<br/>- Ecclesiastes 5:1<br/>- Luke 11:28</p>            | <p>- I Samuel 3:10<br/>- Psalm 46:10<br/>- Luke 10:38-42</p>  |
| <p>- <b>Time, Effort To Know Each Other</b></p>                             | <p>- <u>John 17:3</u><br/>- Exodus 33:13, 17-18<br/>- Matthew 11:25-27</p>                           | <p>- Luke 10:38-42<br/>- Luke 6:12-13<br/>- Philippians 3:8, 10</p>                                 |
| <p>- <b>Honesty</b></p>   | <p>- Psalm 62:8<br/>- I Samuel 1:10-16<br/>- Psalm 13</p>  | <p>- Psalm 22:1-2, 6-7, 14-15<br/>- Psalm 51:2-4, 10-12</p>   |

“ Do you \_\_\_\_\_ take Jesus to be your Lord, Master, Savior, and Friend; to love, honor, cherish, and obey; for better or for worse, for richer or for poorer, in health or in sickness; even in death never to part ?”