BECOMING A PART OF A DREAM TEAM

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"But you must always behave in a way that is worthy of the gospel of Christ...standing firm and united in spirit, <u>battling</u>, as a <u>TEAM</u> with a single aim, for the faith of the gospel." (Philippians 1:27, NJB)

THE QUALITIES OF A DREAM T-E-A-M

TRUST.

"Many people claim to be loyal, but it is hard to find a trustworthy person." (Proverbs 20:6, NCV)

How to Build Trust

1. By being **CONSISTENT**.

"Whoever can be trusted with very little can also be trusted with much, and whoever is dishonest with very little will also be dishonest with much." (Luke 16:10, NIV)

2. By being CONFIDENTIAL.

"A gossip tells everything, but a true friend will keep a secret." (Proverbs 11:13, CEV)

3. By being **COLLABORATIVE**.

"From Paul and Timothy, slaves of Christ Jesus, to all the saints in Christ Jesus who are in Philippi, with the overseers and deacons." (Philippians 1:1, NET)

EMPATHY.

"Finally, all of you, be like-minded, be sympathetic, love one another, be compassionate and humble." (1 Peter 3:8, NIV)

How to Show Empathy

1. By LISTENING.

"Everyone should be quick to listen, slow to speak and slow to become angry," (James 1:19b, NIV)

2. By LEARNING.

"Though good advice lies deep within the heart, a person with understanding will draw it out." (Proverbs 20:5, NLT)

3. By LOVING.

"Rejoice with those who rejoice, and weep with those who weep." (Romans 12:15, NASB95)

ACCOMMODATION.

"...Always do the right thing. Be faithful, loving, and easy to get along with..." (2 Timothy 2:22, CEV)

What We Need to Accommodate

1. People's **IDEAS**.

"The intelligent man is always open to new ideas. In fact, he looks for them." (Proverbs 18:15, The Living Bible)

2. People's PERSONALITIES.

"Train up a child [in keeping with his individual bent]..." (Proverbs 22:6, AMP)

3. People's GIFTS.

"Apollos and I are working as a team, with the same aim, though each of us will be rewarded for his own hard work." (1 Corinthians 3:8, The Living Bible)

MISSION.

"Make me truly happy by agreeing wholeheartedly with each other, loving one another, and working together with one mind and purpose." (Philippians 2:2, NLT)

Alignment happens when everyone knows their ROLE in the WHOLE toward the GOAL.

- 1. The Goal: To bring hope and healing to HEARTS and HOMES.
- 2. The Whole: How every TEAM plays a crucial part.
- 3. My Role: How every member MATTERS.

"Just as there are many parts to our bodies, so it is with Christ's body. We are all parts of it, and it takes every one of us to make it complete, for we each have different work to do. So we belong to each other, and each needs all the others." (Romans 12:4–5, The Living Bible)

ACTION STEPS

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