

My Church
We not Me
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Key Thought: People do not remember our words, they remember how we made them _____.

Matthew 16:18 “I will build **my church**, and the gates of Hades will not overcome it.”

Key Thought: You do not create culture, you _____ culture.

Mark 4:26-29 He also said, “This is what the kingdom of God is like. A man scatters seed on the ground. Night and day, whether he sleeps or gets up, the seed sprouts and grows, though he does not know how. All by itself **the soil produces** grain—first the stalk, then the head, then the full kernel in the head. As soon as the grain is ripe, he puts the sickle to it, because the **harvest** has come.”

Ecclesiastes 4:8-12 There was a man all **alone**; he had neither son nor brother. There was **no end to his toil**, yet his eyes were not content with his wealth. “For whom am I toiling,” he asked, “and why am I depriving myself of enjoyment?” . . . **Two are better** than one, because they have a good return for their **labor**: If either of them **falls down**, one can help the other up. But pity anyone who falls and has **no one to help them up**. Also, if two lie down together, they will keep warm. But how can one keep warm alone? Though **one** may be **overpowered**, **two** can **defend themselves**. A cord of three strands is not quickly broken.

Romans 12:5 And since we are all one body in Christ, **we belong to each other**, and each of us needs all the others.

Four Quadrants of our life:

1. _____: I know and you know.

Matthew 23:5 “Everything they do is done **for people to see**: They make their phylacteries wide and the tassels on their garments long.”

Matthew 23:27 “Woe to you, teachers of the law and Pharisees, you hypocrites! You are like **whitewashed tombs**, which look **beautiful** on the **outside** but on the **inside** are full of the bones of the **dead** and everything **unclean**.”

2. _____: I know but you don’t know.

2 Corinthians 4:2 We have put away all things that are **done in secret** and in shame. We do not play with the Word of God or use it in a false way. Because we are **telling the truth**, we want men’s hearts to **listen to us**. God knows our desires.

James 5:16 **Confess** your sins **to each other** and **pray** for each other so that you may be **healed**.

Colossians 4:12 Epaphras, who is one of you and a servant of Christ Jesus, sends greetings. He is always **wrestling in prayer for you**, that you may stand firm in all the will of God, mature and fully assured.

3. _____: I don’t know but you know.

Proverbs 27:6 **Faithful** are the **wounds of a friend**, but the kisses of an enemy are deceitful.

Hebrews 3:12-13 **See to it**, brothers and sisters, that none of you has a sinful, unbelieving heart that turns away from the living God. But **encourage one another daily**, as long as it is called “**Today**,” so that none of you may be hardened by sin’s deceitfulness.

4. _____: I don’t know and you don’t know.

Proverbs 27:17 As iron sharpens iron, so **one person sharpens another**.

Colossians 2:19 . . .the whole body, **supported** and **held together** by its ligaments and sinews, **grows** as God causes it to grow.

Key Thought: Be in a _____. Be on a _____.

Walk Away: Be us, be _____. Be part of a group.