



Study Guide

Romans 12:9-10, Hebrews 3:1-19

"Glue Ourselves to What Is Good"

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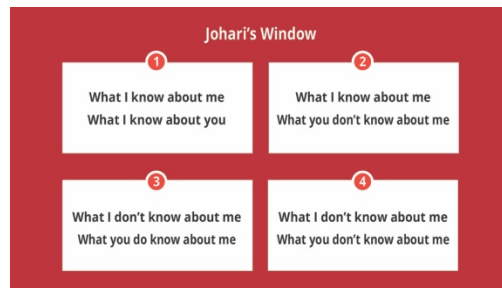
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Consult the Scriptures:

Romans 12:9, 10

Hebrews 3:1-19

(See also 1 Jn. 3:8, Rom. 8:13, Ps. 97:10, Prov. 18:21, Rom. 3:24-25)



Discuss:

1. Review *Johari's Window* (Above). What intrigues you and what terrifies you about this kind of relating?
2. What role does confrontation play with regard to our growth and maturity. What role does encouragement play? Why is it easier to compliment someone's shoes than it is to affirm something God is doing in their life?

3. Read Romans 12:9, 10 and discuss. How do these various exhortations relate to one another?
4. Can you think of a time where someone's encouragement really had a lasting, life-giving impact on you? (*ref: Prov. 18:21*)
5. Willis says, "*One of the best ways to fight sin is to cheer on godliness*" (P. 103). What does the author mean here? Do you agree?
6. Read Hebrews 3:1-19 (esp. vs. 13) and discuss. What is the author's point? How should we respond?
7. Willis says that "*Forgiveness is the glue of relationship.*" Why do you think that is?