

BETTER AS A TEAM
Acts 2:42-47 (ESV)

And let us not neglect our meeting together, as some people do, but encourage one another, especially now that the day of his return is drawing near.

Hebrews 10:25 (NLT)

❖ The Truth of Today:

- God wants us TOGETHER... Satan wants us ISOLATED.

And they devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and the fellowship, to the breaking of bread and the prayers. ⁴³And awe came upon every soul, and many wonders and signs were being done through the apostles. ⁴⁴And all who believed were together and had all things in common. ⁴⁵And they were selling their possessions and belongings and distributing the proceeds to all, as any had need. ⁴⁶And day by day, attending the temple together and breaking bread in their homes, they received their food with glad and generous hearts, ⁴⁷praising God and having favor with all the people. And the Lord added to their number day by day those who were being saved."

Acts 2:42-47 (ESV)

❖ We are Better as a Team:

1. When we are devoted to HEARING God's Word.

And they devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching...

Acts 2:42a (ESV)

He read it aloud from daybreak till noon...

Nehemiah 8:3 (NIV)

"But the Advocate, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you all things and will remind you of everything I have said to you."

John 14:26 (NIV)

Iron sharpens iron, and one man sharpens another.

Proverbs 27:17 (ESV)

"A new commandment I give to you, that you love one another, even as I have loved you, that you also love one another. ³⁵By this all men will know that you are My disciples, if you have love for one another."

John 13:34-35 (NLT)

2. When we are devoted to FELLOWSHIP and SERVING with one another.

And they devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and the fellowship...

Acts 2:42a (ESV)

And all who believed were together and had all things in common. ⁴⁵And they were selling their possessions and belongings and distributing the proceeds to all, as any had need.

Acts 2:44-45 (ESV)

... And the Lord added to their number day by day those who were being saved.

Acts 2:47b (ESV)