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Worship Inspired Scripture

Romans 8:38-39

NOTHING can separate us from God's love that is revealed in Christ Jesus. (John 3:16)

Ephesians 3:18-19

- God's love is so deep that He prays that we have the power to feel it/understand it.
- When we understand His love, we will be complete and full of the life and power received from God.

1 John 4:19 (NLT)

- "We love each other because he loved us first."
- Even if we don't fully understand the vastness of His love, we can be confident in Him and find hope.

Scripture

God is about multiplication, not division.

Acts 2:41-47

- The day of Pentecost: the Holy Spirit is upon the disciples and they bring about 3,000 to the church.
- As they continued to stand in unity and followed the teachings of the apostles, God continued to add to their fellowship.
- Use this demonstration of the first church as a model as to what we should be doing and how we should be fellowshipping together.

1 Corinthians 3:16-17

 Together we are the temple of God. We are being put together one by one (intentionally) to be a dwelling place for the Holy Spirit.

Ephesians 4:15-16

- We are the body of Christ and He makes everything fit together perfectly.
- As we do our own part, it allows the body to be healthy, growing and full of love.
- If something is in the body, we remove those things. It's not always easy, but it can be done.

- Ephesians 4:25 Be honest with one another so the body can continue to work together.
- Know what is right to understand what is wrong with early detection.

1 Corinthians 12:25-27

- Unity allows the church to come together in harmony. If one suffers, everyone suffers. If one is honored, everyone is glad.
- We are all part of the church God is building; the Body of Christ.

1 Corinthians 12:22-24

• It's not always the parts of the body that seem the most important that require the most attention. It can be the parts that seem the least important that may need more attention.

Romans 16:17

- Stay away from people that cause division and upset people's faith by teaching contrary to what we were taught and know to be the truth.
- This is a group effort. We are to be aware of what is healthy and what is unhealthy.

1 Corinthians 5:6-8

- "yeast" = sin
- When you have this sin inside, you have to get rid of it.
- 1 Corinthians 2:15 and Leviticus 10:10 We are not judging to condemn others, but to recognize what things truly are and have discernment as to how to deal with it properly.

Matthew 18:15-17

- Jesus commands us to address offenses with fellow believers in private, not immediately jump into gossiping about it with others.
 - If the person is receptive, you move on with unity restored.
- If the person is not receptive, try speaking with them again bringing along 2 or 3 witnesses.
- If they still aren't receptive, bring the offense to the church.
- If they still aren't receptive, they are to be removed and treated as a pagan.

Titus 3:10-11

- If people are causing division, give a 1st and 2nd warning to them about their actions (this is us extending a period of grace to them just as God extends it to us).
- Jude 1:22-23, Matthew 18:31-35