

completely. Committed. Follower.



fan vs. follower



Speed Dating

ROUND 1



- What's your name?
- Where do you go to school and what grade are you in?
- Do you play sports? What are they?
- What's your favorite movie?
- What is your favorite drink on a hot summer day?
- Are you an early bird or a night owl?
- What did you eat for breakfast?
- What's your favourite TV show?

ROUND 2



- What's the best thing you've got going in your life right now?
- If you could, what would you change about yourself?
- Share the reason the last time you cried.
- What is your biggest insecurity?
- What's the hardest struggle you have had to face?
- What is your biggest fear in life?
- When was the last time you laughed so hard?



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- A feeling of **being close**, and emotionally **connected** and **supported**.
- Involves **being open** and talking through your thoughts and emotions.
- Requires letting your guard down or being vulnerable.
- Something that is **built up over time** and requires **patience** and **effort**.
- Is achieved when we become **close** to someone else and are reassured that we are **loved** and **accepted** for who we are.



Know about Him or Have intimacy with Him?



Luke 7:36-50

Jesus Anointed by a Sinful Woman



Fans can sometimes confuse knowledge of the scriptures to intimacy with Jesus.



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Yada "To know or to be known"



Psalm 139 You have searched me, Lord, and you know

me. You know when I sit and when I rise; you perceive my thoughts from afar. You discern my going out and my lying down; you are familiar with all my ways. Before a word is on my tongue you, Lord, know it completely.







"AESTHETIC EXPERIENCES"











- When was the last time you had an encounter with Jesus like this woman did?
- When was the last time you poured yourself out like she did?
- When was the last time tears streamed down your face as you expressed your love for him?



Small Group Questions:

- Would you say you know about God or know God?
- Do you think it's possible to really know God? Why or why not?
- What is the difference between knowing about God and knowing God?
- How would someone passionately pursue knowing Christ? How will you pursue Him this week?
- What are some things a person who really wants to know God might do to get to know Him more?
- Have you given Jesus more your heart or your head?