

AWESOME BUILDING GREAT RELATIONSHIPS

MESSAGE 4: FINDING THE LOVE OF YOUR LIFE

Parts 1-3

"The righteous chooses his friends carefully."

PROVERBS 12:26

CORRECTING 2 MYTHS

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"MUST HAVES"

1. WE MUST HAVE

"Stop forming inappropriate relationships with unbelievers. Can right and wrong be partners? Can light have anything in common with darkness?... Can a believer share life with an unbeliever?"

2 CORINTHIANS 6:14-15 (GW)

"Do not unite yourself with an unbeliever; they are not fit mates for you."

2 CORINTHIANS 6:14 (NEB)



"I want us to <u>help each other</u> with the faith we have. Your faith will <u>help me</u>, and my faith will help <u>you</u>."

ROMANS 1:12 (NCV)

2. WE MUST HAVE

"Can two people walk together without agreeing on the direction?"

AMOS 3:3 (NLT)

"For we are God's workmanship, created in Christ Jesus to do good works, which God prepared in advance for us to do."

EPHESIANS 2:10 (NIV)

"Each of you has received a gift from God for serving others. Now you must be faithful to develop and use that gracious gift from God!"

1 PETER 4:10 (NCV)

"Brothers and sisters, you are holy partners in a heavenly CALLING."

HEBREWS 3:1A (GW)

3. WE MUST BOTH BE

A PARTIAL CHECKLIST OF EMOTIONAL HEALTH

"Do not make friends with a hot-tempered man! Do not associate with one easily angered."
PROVERBS 22:24 (NIV)

"Don't associate with people who drink too much, or stuff themselves with food."
PROVERBS 23:20 (TEV)

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"Make sure you all have experienced the grace of God so that <u>bitterness</u> doesn't take root and grow, because that <u>causes much trouble</u> and will corrupt you."

HEBREWS 12:15

"If you curse your father or mother, the lamp of your life will be snuffed out."

PROVERBS 20:20 (NLT)

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"Selfish people cause trouble."

PROVERBS 28:25

"People who <u>do not get along with others</u> are only interested in themselves; they will disagree with what everyone else knows is right."

PROVERBS 18:1 (TEV)

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"A greedy man brings trouble to his family."

PROVERBS 15:27

"Don't eat at the table of a stingy person."

PROVERBS 23:6 (TEV)

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"A generous man will prosper; he who refreshes others will himself be refreshed."

PROVERBS 11:25 (NIV)

"A kindhearted woman gains respect... and a kind man benefits himself, but cruel people bring trouble on themselves."

PROVERBS 11:17



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"A righteous person lives on the basis of his integrity. His children <u>will be blessed</u>, even after he is gone."

PROVERBS 20:7

ENDING A DEAD-END DATING RELATIONSHIP

"In the end, people appreciate frankness more than flattery."

PROVERBS 28:23 (NLT)