

Week #1: In Your Relationships...

...Jesus answered him, "The first of all the commandments is: 'Hear, O Israel, the Lord our God, the Lord is one. And you shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your mind, and with all your strength.' This is the first commandment. And the second, like it, is this: 'You shall love your neighbor as yourself.' There is no other commandment greater than these..." **Mark 12:28-34**

INGREDIENTS OF HEALTHY RELATIONSHIPS:

1. Be an _____!

But encourage one another daily, as long as it is called today, so that none of you may be hardened by sin's deceitfulness. Hebrews 3:13 NIV

A soft answer turns away wrath, but a harsh word stirs up anger. Proverbs 15:1 NKJV

Death and life are in the power of the tongue, and those who love it will eat its fruit. Proverbs 18:21 NKJV

When there is a _____ in our relationship do I think the _____ of that person?

2. Do we create a culture in our relationships where there is room for _____?

Can You See Him?

“At my first defense no one stood with me, but all forsook me. May it not be charged against them.”
2 Timothy 4:16 NKJV

Then he knelt down and cried out with a loud voice, “Lord, do not charge them with this sin.” And when he had said this, he fell asleep. Acts 7:60 NKJV

Then Jesus said, “Father, forgive them, for they do not know what they do. And they divided His garments and cast lots. Luke 23:34 NKJV

We have to give people room to _____ and _____ their mistakes.

A good indicator to where we are in our relationship with God is our ability to _____.

It's impossible for us to _____ others apart from an _____ relationship with Christ.

3. Can the people I do life with see _____ in me?

You are our epistle written in our hearts, known and read by all men. 2 Corinthians 3:2 NKJV

Imitate me, just as I also imitate Christ.
1 Corinthians 11:1 NKJV