

FELLOWSHIP WILL KEEP YOU

1. First Cor. 1:9 - Salvation is also a call to fellowship

- a. First John 1:3 Fellowship with the Lord and with one another; not the unfruitful works of darkness Eph. 5:11.
- b. Acts 2:40-42 Fellowship is part of God's plan to keep us

2. First Cor. 15:33 - Our associations impact and influence our life

- a. When God wants to bless you, He puts a person in your life; when satan wants to destroy you, he puts a person in your life
- b. Psalm 1:1; Acts 4:13 – We'll act and talk like who we run with or hang out with

3. Fellowship is evidence of the Spirit's working in us Eph. 1:5, 6, 21, 22

- All of what God did for us in Christ promotes togetherness; the spirit of the world promotes being alone Is. 5:8

4. Aside from a command, it is one of the practices of loving the brethren

Heb. 10:24, 25; 1 John 1:7; 1 John 2:10

- There are different levels of relating in the Church: friendly; fellowship; partnership; friendship