

A Beautiful Bride

Acts 2:42-47, 4:32-35

Introduction

“Let us rejoice and be glad and give Him glory! For the wedding of the Lamb has come, and His bride has made herself ready.”
Revelation 19:7

Four Characteristics that Will Make GPCCC Attractive to an Unbelieving World:

1. L _____ that L _____ Vs. 42a
“They were continually devoting themselves to the Apostle’s teaching. . .”

2 Kings 22:8, 11; 23:2
II Tim 3:16,17

2. F _____ that F _____ Vs. 42b
“And to fellowship. . .”

Greek - Koinonia

While fellowship’s primary focus is on the _____ relationship between members, its ties must be based on the _____ relationship to God.

It is how we treat one another that makes us _____ or _____.

Allelon – “One another”

3. W _____ that W _____
“To the breaking of bread and to prayer. . .praising God.”

The definition of worship: An _____ response to God whereby we declare His _____.

4. S _____ that S _____

“Selling their possessions and goods, they gave to anyone as he had need. . .”

Serving in the body is a sacrifice:

It costs _____, it costs _____, but most of all, it costs _____.

“I urge you brethren, by the mercies of God to present your bodies a living sacrifice holy and acceptable unto God which is your spiritual service of worship.” *Romans 12:1*

“For even the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve, and to give His life a ransom for many.”

Mark 10:45

The Result

“The Lord was adding to their number day by day those who were being saved.”

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How well do you know your Bible?

- Could you quote John 3:16?
- What is the fruit of the Spirit?
- Can you name the New Testament books in order?
- Can you give the message of salvation using Scriptural references?
- Have you read through the entire Bible?
- Are you regularly attending a Bible study or Spiritual Growth Class?
- What Christian outside resources have you read in the last year?

How’s your prayer life? Scale from one to ten. If you scored below a five, what’s lacking?

What did you learn in your quiet times last week?

Commit to spending at least 15 minutes reading and praying per day this week. Share what you learned with someone else.