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| Christ the Center When we are born again, the old life is replaced with the new life (2 Cor. 5:17) because Christ has begun to live in and through us (Galatians 2:20). God creates within us the desire to do what He wants us to do in order to glorify Him. The Word God uses His Word to teach, correct, rebuke and instruct us so that we will be equipped to do His works and will (2 Tim. 3:16-17). Therefore, we must meditate on His Word, day and night, so that we can obey and become spiritually healthy (Joshua 1:8). Prayer Prayer is the natural response to God as we hear Him speak to us through His Word. Prayer trains our hearts and minds to become peaceful and see God work powerfully in and around us (John 15:7; Phil. 4:6-7). Fellowship God had directed Christians to build each other up through interdependence and loving relationships with each other (Heb. 10:24-25). Gathering as the Body of Christ draws us close to God and glorifies Him as we use the gifts He has given (1 Cor. 12). Witnessing God has given believers the joy and responsibility of telling the world about the good news of Christ’s work on earth (Matt. 4:19). Sharing about God’s amazing grace is the natural outflow of a rich, vibrant life in Christ (Romans 1:16). Obedience Some acts of obedience are internal; such as, attitudes, habits, motives, values and thoughts. Other acts of obedience are easier to see, for they are outward behaviors. We are called to love God in obedience with our hearts and our lives (John 14:21; Romans 12:1-2).  When Christ is the center of your life, you will be able to obey His commands; thus, showing your love for Him. Obedience will keep your life in motion in a way that will glorify God and be a blessing to others. By listening to God (the Word) and talking to God (prayer) while keeping connected with Christians (fellowship), you will then be an effective witness to the gospel of Christ. |
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