

WINNING WITH EACH OTHER | WEEK 3

WIN AT HOME

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THE GREATEST WIN | MY HOME EXISTS TO SERVE THE LORD

Joshua 24:15 (ESV) *choose this day whom you will serve... But as for me and my house, we will serve the LORD."*

WILLPOWER DOESN'T WORK, BUT JESUS DOES

Luke 10:38-42 (ESV) ³⁸ Now as they went on their way, Jesus entered a village. And a woman named Martha welcomed him into her house. ³⁹ And she had a sister called Mary, who sat at the Lord's feet and listened to his teaching. ⁴⁰ But Martha was distracted with much serving. And she went up to him and said, "Lord, do you not care that my sister has left me to serve alone? Tell her then to help me." ⁴¹ But the Lord answered her, "Martha, Martha, you are anxious and troubled about many things, ⁴² but one thing is necessary. Mary has chosen the good portion, which will not be taken away from her."

WHAT'S MORE IMPORTANT, SERVICE OR FELLOWSHIP?

THE ANSWER IS BOTH

Matthew 20: 26-28 (ESV) ²⁶ It shall not be so among you. But whoever would be great among you must be your servant, ²⁷ and whoever would be first among you must be your slave, ²⁸ even as the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many."

WE MUST PRIORITIZE PEOPLE OVER PERFECTION

MOST RELATIONSHIPS GET STUCK IN A

TRANSACTIONAL RELATION PATTERN

Luke 18:11-12 (NIV) ¹¹ The Pharisee stood by himself and prayed: 'God, I thank you that I am not like other people—robbers, evildoers, adulterers—or even like this tax collector. ¹² I fast twice a week and give a tenth of all I get.'

"To be loved but not known is comforting but superficial. To be known and not loved is our greatest fear. But to be fully known and truly loved is, well, a lot like being loved by God. It is what we need more than anything. It liberates us from pretense, humbles us out of our self-righteousness, and fortifies us for any difficulty life can throw at us."

-Timothy Keller, *The Meaning of Marriage*

HOW TO WIN WITH EACH OTHER: DEVELOP AN ENVIRONMENT WHERE INTIMACY CAN FLOURISH

• CREATE SPECIAL EXPERIENCES

- **Luke 10:38** *Now as they went on their way, Jesus entered a village. And a woman named Martha welcomed him into her house*

• CARVE OUT TIME TO BE FULLY PRESENT

- **Luke 10:39b** *Mary, who sat at the Lord's feet and listened to his teaching*

• CHOOSE AFFECTION OVER ANNOYANCE

- **Luke 10:41a** *But the Lord answered her, "Martha, Martha*

"The most important thing in your life is not what you do; it's who you become. That's what you will take into eternity."

-Dallas Willard

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One of the greatest feelings, is knowing we are winning at home. The truth is we can be winning at many areas of life, but if we are not winning at home, we are losing. God calls us to be a no ordinary family. And it starts at home. This series will help you win where it matters most every day — the center of your family life and relationships are your biggest opportunity to impact your community.

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