



RELATING AND DATING WITH GOD'S SIMPLE PLAN

Week Four

October 13

INTRO

We will be doing this series until the end of November. We be focusing on our relationships and trying to discern what God's desire is for all our relationships... not just dating, but our relationships with our parents, family, friends, ourselves and others. Throughout the whole series we will be looking at four foundational things that we need to keep in all our relationships if we are going to keep them free from complications. The first four weeks we will be unpacking these four things.

GETTING STARTED

The first week, the first first foundational thing we looked at was our priorities. One Thing.

The second week we are looked humility and self-lessness and dying to self and taking up our crosses. Cling to the cross

Last week the third footing was honesty and truth. Live in the Light

This week we are looking at faith/trust. Rest in the Lord

SCRIPTURE

- Pslam 95 - *Following, worshipping, obeying, trusting God and entering His rest*
- Hebrews 4 - *Entering God's rest*

QUESTIONS

Review

1. How is it going living for ONE THING?
2. How have you been Clinging to the Cross? What has that looked like this last week?

3. How has truth and honesty been more present in your life this past week? What has Living in the Light looked like for you?

This Week...

3. The first foundation was “Live for ONE THING.” The second foundation for Simple Love is “Cling to Cross.” The third is “Living in the Light.” The fourth is Resting in the Lord. What does this mean?

4. How are faith, trust, obedience and rest connected?

5. What do you think it looks like to enter God’s rest?

6. What keeps us from entering God’s rest?

7. Stop and think for moment... answer honestly... would you rather rest and let God take care of things or would you rather take care of everything yourself?

8. What gets in the way of resting in the Lord? What can you do about this? What are some things that will help you keep resting in the Lord?

8. Everyone was given a card with some questions on it that can help us discern if we are truly resting in the Lord. Go over these questions, how can asking ourselves these questions help us each day?

-What am I trusting God with?

-What is an area of my life where do I not want to give control to God? Why?

-What can I give over to God this week?

-What can I do to make sure I do not take it back after I trust it to God?

APPLICATION

Last Week

Take the challenge to bring all of your life and your relationships in the Light!

Two Weeks Ago

Cling to the Cross and Cling to the little crosses... what will that look like this week?

Three Weeks Ago

What could keep you from keeping God as your number priority... What will you do about this?