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Bible Study Outline

11:00 AM

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Subject: "Building Healthy and Meaningful Relationships" Part V

Introduction: The success of many of the Star Wars of the bible, such as Moses, Joshua, David, Nehemiah, Solomon, Jesus, Peter, and Paul, can directly be attributed to the relationships they established. There is an old proverb that says, "Show me your friends and I'll tell you who you are."

Author Clint Swindell, in an article published in Forbes magazine entitled, "Surround Yourself With The Right People," recommended action items to help individuals surround themselves with the right people. Swindell suggested one should, "analyze your crew, filter out the negativity, and dedicate time to the relationship." During the third quarter of this year, our bible study will focus on various biblical characters who will assist us in ascertaining spiritual and biblical advice, as it relates to building healthy relationships.

Scriptures: 1 Samuel 20:28-42

Points to Ponder: "When you are building healthy and meaningful relationships,..."

- You do not allow other people to control or manipulate your relationship for their own selfish agenda.
- There is mutual respect for one another regardless of titles.
- Your word should mean something.