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Relationship
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Rita Springer

**Bible Verses:**

Ephesians 3:14-19

"For this reason I bow my knees before the Father, from whom every family in heaven and on earth is named, that according to the riches of his glory he may grant you to be strengthened with power through his Spirit in your inner being, so that Christ may dwell in your hearts through faith—that you, being rooted and grounded in love, may have strength to comprehend with all the saints what is the breadth and length and height and depth, and to know the love of Christ that surpasses knowledge, that you may be filled with all the fullness of God."

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**Session 1:**

Church without fellowship isn't really church. When we try to "do ministry" in a vacuum, we're missing out. There are a myriad reasons for wanting out of relationships, but our lives are richer when we invite people in. We experience similar abundance when we invite God in. During this session, Rita Springer shares from her heart about the importance of cultivating relationship with God first and His people second.

"I believe that worship or relationship with God is a progressive state..."

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Think about when you were saved. How has your relationship with God progressed since then?

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Do you enjoy pursuing God?

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How does your view of God inform the way you think He feels about you?

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What is something you've done (recently or in the past) to get out of a rut in your relationship with God?

**NEXT STEPS:**

The Father shepherds us so that we can shepherd others. Be honest with Him this week, and ask Him for what you need. When God is filling you up, you're better prepared to care for the people He brings into your life.