

WORKSHOP TITLE: The Meeting Place: Authentic Resolution Vs Reconciliation
SCRIPTURAL REFERENCE: 2 Corinthians 5:18-21
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WORKSHOP FOCUS: Does Your Relationship with God Determine The Nature Of All Your Other Relationships?

1. Our relationship with God is most important.
 - a. Alpha and Omega (Beginning and the End) – Genesis 1:1; Revelations 22:13
 - b. Elohim (The Creator) – Genesis 2:7,18, 21-22
 - c. Yahweh, Omniscient (Lord, All-Knowing) – Psalm 139:13-18
 - d. Hesed, Agape (Love) – John 3:16; 1 John 4:16
 - e. Our relationship with God is the incubator of our relationship with others – Luke 10:27
2. As we grow in God, our desire to find Him in the place of intimacy and the place of our needs (meeting place), should increase.
 - a. Jesus gave us direct access to God through the Holy Spirit. – Ephesians 2:18
 - b. The meeting place teaches us who God is. – Matthew 5:33
 - c. The meeting place teaches us who we are in Christ. – 1 John 3:1
 - d. The meeting place teaches us how to conduct ourselves as disciples of Christ. – Romans 12:9-21
 - e. Reconciliation and resolve first happen in the meeting place.
3. Reconciliation:
 - a. **Reconcile:** to make right; to make amends; to adjust the way you think about a fact or situation.
 - b. We have been reconciled to God. - 2 Corinthians 5:17-18
 - c. We have been given the ministry of reconciliation. - 2 Corinthians 5:18-21
 - d. Reconciling our issues with God, always leads to a resolution with people.
4. Resolution:
 - a. **Resolve:** to deal with successfully; clear up; determine; come up with a definite or earnest decision about
 - b. What is your love fruit looking like? – John 13:35
 - c. If it is at all possible. . . live at peace with everyone. – Romans 12:18

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JOHN 15:4