

KINGDOM CULTURE

The early church believers stood in a culture that brought growth, power and favour upon the church.

Acts 2: 41 Then they that gladly received his word were baptized: and the same day there were added unto them about three thousand souls. 42 And they continued stedfastly in the apostles 'doctrine and fellowship, and in breaking of bread, and in prayers. NKJV

This is a kingdom culture that must be developed in every home. It is based on four simple principles:

Apostles Doctrine

This is simply the teaching of God's word in the home on a consistent basis. This doctrine comes from One who is Sent that would lay foundations for growth in the life of the believers.

Fellowship

This is the coming together of the family regularly to fellowship around the doctrine. Fellowship is not merely socializing but it is the discussion of teachings so that it is embedded into the hearts and minds of those fellowshiping

Breaking of Bread

Jesus gave us a New Covenant in His blood and said "do this in remembrance of Me". The practice of the Lord's Table must be carried out daily in the home so that we remember the Lord's death till He returns

Prayers

Prayer is a vital component of maintaining a relationship with God. It is simply conversations that are held with God. Families must pray together and celebrate when God answers their prayers

THIS CULTURE MUST BE STRICTLY MAINTAINED IN THE HOME



CLEAVE

Deut 4:4

4 But ye that did cleave unto the Lord your God are alive every one of you this day. KJV

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Day 1

COVENANT

Gen 2:24 Therefore shall a man leave his father and his mother, and shall cleave unto his wife: and they shall be one flesh. KJV

In order to covenant; biological and emotional ties must be cut. Covenant is spiritual not biological. It is eternal and not temporal. It is written on our hearts and minds and not on paper. In order to covenant one must shift from contractual to honoring vows.

Pray:

- 1.) That you would cleave to Christ by covenant and not knowledge
- 2.) For covenantal relationships in marriage to be life long
- 3.) That marriages would reflect the sacrificial love Christ has for the church

Day 2

LIFE/LOVE

Deut 30:20 That thou mayest love the Lord thy God, and that thou mayest obey his voice, and that thou mayest cleave unto him: for he is thy life, and the length of thy days: that thou mayest dwell in the land which the Lord sware unto thy fathers, to Abraham, to Isaac, and to Jacob, to give them KJV

Cleaving to God reflects our love for Him. We love Him because He is our life, length of days and prosperity is in Him. Love cannot be separated from life. God loved and therefore He gave life through His Son.

Pray:

- 1.) For the love of God in you to give life
- 2.) For the bond of perfection which is love to keep you
- 3.) That you would display your love through obedience

Day 3

EXPEL ENEMIES

Deut 11:22 For if ye shall diligently keep all these commandments which I command you, to do them, to love the Lord your God, to walk in all his ways, and to cleave unto him; 23 Then will the Lord drive out all these nations from before you, and ye shall possess greater nations and mightier than yourselves KJV

When we keep His commands, do them, love Him and cleave unto to Him all our enemies will be expelled. We don't need to attack enemies we just need to cleave to Him

Pray:

- 1.) That your cleaving to Him will expel all your enemies

Day 4

ABHOR EVIL

Rom 12:9 Let love be without dissimulation. Abhor that which is evil; cleave to that which is good. KJV

We show a disgust and hatred for evil when we cling to what is good. Only One is good and that is God. By cleaving to good we are cleaving to God. We do good because it is God's attribute and we are created in His image and likeness

Pray:

- 1.) That you would overcome evil with good
- 2.) That you would express God's love through good works
- 3.) For love to be the motivating factor to do good

Day 5

VOICE

2 Tim 1:13 Hold fast the form of sound words, which thou hast heard of me, in faith and love which is in Christ Jesus. KJV

Paul encourages his spiritual son Timothy to hold fast to the words, which he heard from him. We must cleave to a voice that causes our faith to rise and our love to be expressed. Faith comes by hearing the word of God.

Pray:

- 1.) That you would hold fast to sound words
- 2.) For faith to rise in you when you hear sound words
- 3.) That you would practice the sound words that a voice gives you

Day 6

ETERNAL HOPE

Heb 10:23 Let us hold fast the confession of our hope without wavering, for He who promised is faithful NKJV

We must cleave to the confession of our eternal hope without wavering or doubting. Christ who is our hope is faithful to do what He has promised. When we confessed Him as Lord of our lives we have received every promise that is in Him

Pray:

- 1.) That you will not doubt that God is faithful to His promises
- 2.) For your hope to rise as you hold on to eternal hope
- 3.) That Christ in you the hope of glory will continue to be your confession daily