

## We Need Each Other

**John 17:21-22 NLT** I pray that they will all be one, just as You and I are one—as You are in Me, Father, and I am in You. And may they be in Us so that the world will believe You sent Me. [22] "I have given them the Glory You gave Me, so they may be one as We are one.

All believers in Jesus are many members put into one spiritual body called the Body of Christ. God wants us to think of our brothers and sisters in Christ not just as people; but as spiritual parts of a whole. The members of our natural body work together as a unit and produce natural life. Our heart, lungs, kidneys, etc. work together as one.

God is calling for the Church to function as an orchestra in which there are many different musicians playing different instruments to produce a glorious combined sound. However, only one person has command over everyone: the conductor. He tells the trumpet players what to do, he tells the clarinet players what to do, he tells the trombone players what to do. No one has a right to do their own thing; they all play their instruments to please the conductor. Can you imagine what it would be like if the members of the Church were taking all of their commands from the Head, or the Conductor, of the Church: Jesus?

I want to let you know that the Church is getting to the place, where Jesus can function as our Head, and we will submit to Him and accomplish all of His desires. Major revelation is coming to the Church in these last days. I believe that we will start understanding how important it is to not let the devil move us out of unity with our brothers and sisters. We WILL comprehend that we need each other. We WILL understand that God did not make us to be in competition with any member of the Body of Christ. We WILL understand that if one member prospers, it creates prosperity for all; and if one member receives their healing, it produces healing for all members. Satan knows that we will die spiritually without one another!

Study these Scripture verses, and you will see the revelation that we have been talking about.

**1 Corinthians 12:12-27 KJV** For as the body is one, and hath many members, and all the members of that one body, being many, are one body: so also is Christ. [13] For by one Spirit are we all baptized into one body, whether we be Jews or Gentiles, whether we be bond or free; and have been all made to drink into one Spirit. [14] For the **body is not one member, but many.** [15] If the foot shall say, Because I am not the hand, I am not of the body; is it therefore not of the body? [16] And if the ear shall say, Because I am not the eye, I am not of the body; is it therefore not of the body? [17] If the whole body were an eye, where were the hearing? If the whole were hearing, where were the smelling? [18] But now hath God set the members every one of them in the body, as it hath pleased him. [19] And if they were all one member, where were the body? [20] **But now** are they many members, yet but one body. [21] And the eye cannot say unto the hand, I have no need of thee: nor again the head to the feet, I have no need of you. [22] Nay, much more those members of the body, which **seem to be more feeble**, are necessary: [23] And those members of the body, **which we think to**

be less honourable, upon these we bestow more abundant honour; and our uncomely parts have more abundant comeliness. [24] For our comely parts have no need: but God hath tempered the body together, having given more abundant honour to that part which lacked: [25] That there should be no schism in the body; but that the members should have the same care one for another. [26] And whether one member suffer, all the members suffer with it; or one member be honoured, all the members rejoice with it. [27] Now ye are the body of Christ, and members in particular.

As I close today, always remember the devil is trying to separate you from your brother and/or sister in Christ so that he can kill you. If your arm were cut off from your body, it would die. The reason it would die is because the heart can't pump any blood into it; unless it is connected! Do your best to stay connected!

Love you,

Pastor Paul