FOCUS togetherness

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Together in Hospitality

1 Peter 4:7-9

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Hospitality: "The friendly and generous reception and entertainment of guests, visitors, or strangers."

Greet one another with a holy kiss. All the churches of Christ greet you. —Romans 16:16

Therefore welcome one another as Christ has welcomed you, for the glory of God. —Romans 15:7

2 John 10 vs. James 2:1-9

9 Show hospitality to one another without grumbling. 10 As each has received a gift, use it to serve one another, as good stewards of God's varied grace. —1 Peter 4:9-10

Hospitality is a _____

And when Jesus heard it, He said to them, "Those who are well have no need of a physician, but those who are sick. I came not to call the righteous, but sinners." —Mark 2:17

Hospitality is a _____

… 8 but hospitable, a lover of good, self-controlled, upright, holy, and disciplined. 9 He must hold firm to the trustworthy word as taught, so that he may be able to give instruction in sound doctrine and also to rebuke those who contradict it.
—Titus 1:8-9

Hospitality is a _____

Notes:

O - P - E - N

Hospitality Demands That We…

O_____ People

P_____ for People

"You can do more than pray after you have prayed, but you cannot do more than pray until you have prayed."
—S.D. Gordon

E _____ People

"If you go looking for a friend, you're going to find they're very scarce. If you go out to be a friend, you'll find them everywhere." —Zig Ziglar

N _____ People

[27]And He answered,"You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your strength and with all your mind, and your neighbor as yourself." [28]And He said to him, "You have answered correctly; do this, and you will live." [29]But he, desiring to justify himself, said to Jesus, "And who is my neighbor?" —Luke 10:27-29

[35]For I was hungry and you gave Me food, I was thirsty and you gave Me drink, I was a stranger and you welcomed Me, [36]I was naked and you clothed Me, I was sick and you visited Me, I was in prison and you came to Me… [40]And the King will answer them, "Truly, I say to you, as you did it to one of the least of these My brothers, you did it to Me." —Matthew 25:35-36, 40

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