

CHRISTIAN CONDUCT
Pt. 6 – “Christian Fellowship”
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I. The Basis of Fellowship is Salvation

1 Corinthians 12:12-13 (NIV)

[12] The body is a unit, though it is made up of many parts; and though all its parts are many, they form one body. So it is with Christ.

[13] For we were all baptized by one Spirit into one body--whether Jews or Greeks, slave or free--and we were all given the one Spirit to drink.

II. The Nature of Fellowship is Togetherness

Acts 2:42-47 (NIV)

[42] They devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and to the fellowship, to the breaking of bread and to prayer.

[43] Everyone was filled with awe, and many wonders and miraculous signs were done by the apostles.

[44] All the believers were together and had everything in common.

[45] Selling their possessions and goods, they gave to anyone as he had need.

[46] Every day they continued to meet together in the temple courts. They broke bread in their homes and ate together with glad and sincere hearts...

[47] ...praising God and enjoying the favor of all the people. And the Lord added to their number daily those who were being saved.

Galatians 5:13 (NIV)

[13] You, my brothers, were called to be free. But do not use your freedom to indulge the sinful nature; rather, serve one another in love.

III. The Symbol of Fellowship is Communion

1 Corinthians 10:16-17 (NIV) (communion)

[16] Is not the cup of thanksgiving for which we give thanks a participation in the blood of Christ? And is not the bread that we break a participation in the body of Christ?

[17] Because there is one loaf, we, who are many, are one body, for we all partake of the one loaf.

IV. The Danger to Fellowship is Sin

V. The Responsibility of Fellowship is one another's