Talk to God ☑

GROW YOUR INTIMACY WITH JESUS!

To pray and talk to God is extremely important in uncovering Joy. Yes, Worship is the first step (and is a part of talking to God) but prayer is just as essential in finding joy. When we are worshipping and sitting at the feet of Jesus we do not need to be afraid to talk with Him! He is not an impersonal God just waiting for us to praise Him and then leave. Jesus is the one true God that is personable, loves to listen, and is willing to stay with us to hear what we want/need to say. He can handle every emotion we may have and is not afraid of being there for us! Jesus is the very definition of (being a good friend). He loves us and desires to spend time with us!

REMEMBER: RELATIONSHIPS TAKE TWO

In any relationship that we are trying to grow, it requires specific elements i.e. nurturing, commitment, and quality time. The question is, "Are we willing to do these things--- and do them well?"

When we are willing to come to Jesus in all times, whether the season is good or bad--- Joy will be given in the measure needed for that time.

How do you view your current relationship?

What is your current mindset on God? Spend some time in prayer and ask God if there is anything in your heart and/or mind that needs to change on how you view Him. Write down your thoughts below to clarify how you feel about God.

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Bible Talk

WHAT DOES GOD SAY ABOUT OUR RELATIONSHIP TO HIM?

"Abide in me, and I in you. As the branch cannot bear fruit by itself, unless it abides in the vine, neither can you, unless you abide in me. I am the vine; you are the branches. Whoever abides in me and I in him, he it is that bears much fruit, for apart from me you can do nothing. If anyone does not abide in me he is thrown away like a branch and withers; and the branches are gathered, thrown into the fire, and burned." -John 15:4-6 (ESV)

"**Call to me and I will answer you, and will tell you great and hidden things that you have not known.**" -Jeremiah 33:3 (ESV)

"But even the hairs of your head are all numbered." - Mathew 10:30 (ESV)

RESEARCH SCRIPTURE

Take some time to go deeper and find more verses on how God views your relationship with HIm. *Write down your answers below.*

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