LEADERSHIP

Harvesting

Leaders aren't born. They're harvested through the sowing, growing, and reaping process of the Word of God.

Our Goals:

- 1. Become responsive to the Lord
- Develop intelligent, deep, Word-oriented thinking
- 3. Become possessed with a sense of Mission

Part Four HOLDING FAST THE WORD

<u>Phil. 3:10-15</u> ...Not that I have already attained this—that is, I have not already been perfected—but I strive to lay hold of that for which Christ Jesus also laid hold of me...

As Leaders you must be able accurately confront challenges and issues of the day from the understanding of scripture, with allegiance to Christ's Lordship and with His compassion.

<u>2Tim. 3:16-17</u> Every scripture is inspired by God and useful for teaching, for reproof, for correction, and for training in righteousness, that the person dedicated to God may be **capable and equipped for every good work**.

<u>Phil. 2:15-16</u> ...so that you may be blameless and pure, children of God without blemish though you live in a crooked and perverse society, in which you shine as lights in the world by **holding on to the word of life** so that on the day of Christ I will have a reason to boast that I did not run in vain nor labor in vain.

Break up into small groups and work together to create a list of some of the most important issues of the day (both in the church and in society) developing a commentary on your topics from a biblical point of view.

Guidelines:

- 1. Identify the important elements
- 2. Present a scriptural context
- 3. Share so as to win your listeners
- 4. Make it relevant

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