

LIFE IN THE KINGDOM

14. THE AGREEMENT

The Power of agreement is the Power of ONE. It is about agreeing to recognize and confess that we are wrong and that He is right. **It is about coming into agreement with the Creator of the entire universe and with whom He sent; recognizing that He is right and not us. This is becoming ONE with Him.**



“I tell you the truth, whatever you forbid[a] on earth will be forbidden in heaven, and whatever you permit on earth will be permitted in heaven.

“I also tell you this: If two of you agree here on earth concerning anything you ask, my Father in heaven will do it for you. For where two or three gather together as my followers, I am there among them.”

Matthew 18:18-20 NLT

The power of agreement is to be ONE with God, (Father, Son and Holy Spirit), and to do His will here on Earth. This implies that we no longer live to build “my life and my future” but to build: His body, His family, His people which He calls His Church and His bride.

**Jesus replied, “All who love me will do what I say.
My Father will love them, and we will come and make our home with each of them.**

John 14:23 NLT

Only in Him can we be ONE because His Word reminds us that, “If they agree on everything they propose themselves to, they will achieve it”. That's why it's important to walk with someone because two are better than one.

If two agree, they will achieve whatever they set out to do.

The Lord said, “If as one people speaking the same language they have begun to do this, then nothing they plan to do will be impossible for them.

Genesis 11:6 NIV

**We can only be ONE in Him because it is not about agreeing on our own matters but rather agreeing with His Word.
That's what it means to be in Him and He in us.**

Make every effort to keep the unity of the Spirit through the bond of peace. There is one body and one Spirit, just as you were called to one hope when you were called; one Lord, one faith, one baptism; one God and Father of all, who is over all and through all and in all.

Ephesians 4:3-6 NIV

There is no greater power in the universe than the power of agreement.

Example:

In a marriage ceremony, a man and a woman agree to no longer be two but to become one. This agreement implies that each person decides to die to themselves so that something bigger and stronger can live: a family. Well it only works if we live it according to how the Father established it, as He said and not as we think or by the example we saw in our families. It is about being ONE in Him. That is the culture of the Kingdom: agreement.

Study Questions

1. In your notebook write how you define being ONE with Him, according to what you just read.
2. Ask the Holy Spirit to reveal to you the reason why you are not ONE with Him in the areas of your life that this applies.
3. Write how not being ONE with Him affects your life, your relationships and your environment.
4. Make a list of the decisions, steps and actions you are willing to take to live in the power of agreement with God first and then with others, to do His will.