

GRAVITY
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Colossians 3:17
And whatever you do in word or deed, do all in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through Him.

#1 What does your life revolve around?
a. What is the central gravitational force in your life?
b. What does your circle of priorities look like?

Revelation 2:4

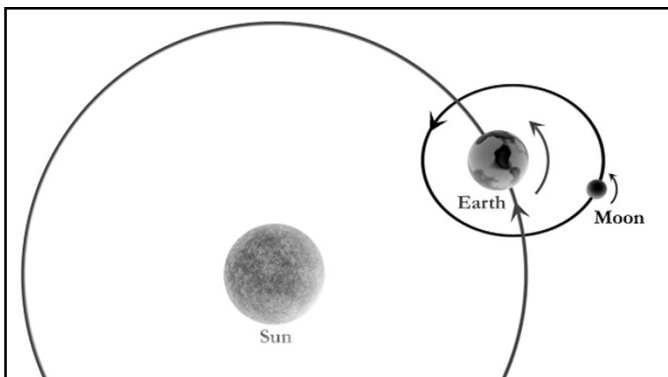
Nevertheless I have this against you, that you have left your first love.

Matthew 10 :37-39

37 He who loves father or mother more than Me is not worthy of Me. And he who loves son or daughter more than Me is not worthy of Me.

38 And he who does not take his cross and follow after Me is not worthy of Me.

39 He who finds his life will lose it, and he who loses his life for My sake will find it.



Our relational priorities should be

- a. God
- b. Spouse
- c. Children
- d. Church family
- e. Other people

Matthew 6:33

But seek first the kingdom of God and His righteousness, and all these things shall be added to you.

Matthew 22:36-40

Mat 22:36 "Teacher, which is the great commandment in the law?"

Mat 22:37 Jesus said to him, 'YOU SHALL LOVE THE LORD YOUR GOD WITH ALL YOUR HEART, WITH ALL YOUR SOUL, AND WITH ALL YOUR MIND.'

Mat 22:38 This is the first and great commandment.

Mat 22:39 And the second is like it: 'YOU SHALL LOVE YOUR NEIGHBOR AS YOURSELF.'

Mat 22:40 On these two commandments hang all the Law and the Prophets."

Genesis 4:8-10

8 Now Cain talked with Abel his brother; and it came to pass, when they were in the field, that Cain rose up against Abel his brother and killed him.

9 Then the LORD said to Cain, "Where is Abel your brother?" He said, "I do not know. Am I my brother's keeper?"

10 And He said, "What have you done? The voice of your brother's blood cries out to Me from the ground.

People who come to church look for **gravity**

- i. Someone I know
- ii. Someone I might be able to talk to
- iii. People that might become my friends

#2 Do you have room in your life?

Or is your circle of friends full?

#3 Do you allow others into your sacred space?

Exodus 33:11
So the LORD spoke to Moses face to face, as a man speaks to his friend. And he would return to the camp, but his servant Joshua the son of Nun, a young man, did not depart from the tabernacle.

#4 Are you willing and ready to move into the space of others?
E.g. Zacchaeus

#5 Are you willing and ready to go the extra mile?

Matthew 5:41

And whoever compels you to go one mile, go with him two.

Matthew 5:44-46

44 But I say to you, love your enemies, bless those who curse you, do good to those who hate you, and pray for those who spitefully use you and persecute you,

45 that you may be sons of your Father in heaven; for He makes His sun rise on the evil and on the good, and sends rain on the just and on the unjust.

46 For if you love those who love you, what reward have you? Do not even the tax collectors do the same?
