



Yes!
**You Really
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WHAT DOES IT MEAN TO ME?

EPHESIANS 4:11-16

Christians are transformed in authentic community.

Are you positioned to allow God to change your life?

A Diagnostic Evaluation

1. I am currently being equipped for ministry by:

- Worshipping regularly
- Listening/reading for personal growth
- Being involved in an apprenticeship and/or mentoring relationship

2. I am currently ministering and building into the lives of others:

- Rarely or sporadically
- Functioning in my gifts with joy and fruitfulness
- Involved in ministry, but don't feel deeply useful
- Regularly seeing others' lives changed through me and my gifts

3. I am becoming more like Christ in my everyday life, as evidenced by:

- Coming *Before God* daily
- A desire to read God's Word
- A disciplined study and understanding of God's Word
- An ability to "see through" false teaching

4. I am becoming more like Christ in my everyday life, as evidenced by:

- Doing life *In Community*
- Enjoying one or more deep, authentic relationships in Christ
- My regular attendance in a small group where "speaking the truth in love" is common
- Having three or four gut-level accountability relationships that are helping me through the most sensitive areas of my life



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DAY 11

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5. I am becoming more like Christ in my everyday life, as evidenced by:

- Being *On Mission* 24/7
- A desire to become more deeply involved in serving God's people (worship, classes, friendships, meeting needs)
- A sense of belonging and acceptance with my church family
- A clear sense of that I "fit" in my church body (I am loved by others and find myself caring and helping them in increasing measure)

ASSIGNMENT

1. Walk through the Diagnostic Evaluation slowly and prayerfully.
2. Sit quietly in God's presence with the awareness that you are deeply loved, valued, and precious and that His gifts are to give you purpose, direction, and joy as an agent of hope, life, and help in others' lives.
3. **PRAYER:** Ask God what step He wants you to take to be an active, participating, and loving member of your church.
4. **OPTIONAL:** Listen to audiobook excerpt #11.