

STRONGER TOGETHER - Ecclesiastes 4:9-12

⁹ Two people are better off than one, for they can help each other succeed.

¹⁰ If one person falls, the other can reach out and help. But someone who falls alone is in real trouble.

¹¹ Likewise, two people lying close together can keep each other warm. But how can one be warm alone?

¹² A person standing alone can be attacked and defeated, but two can stand back-to-back and conquer. Three are even better, for a triple-braided cord is not easily broken. (NLT)

1) *Revelation:*

God created every human for fellowship and relationship with Him
God loves people and created us for fellowship with each other
God's measure of success is obedience to His Word

Prayer:

Help us love You first and to love others more than ourselves
Help us to be obey Your Word and be changed daily
Help us to be encouragers who speak Truth to others

2) *Revelation:*

God reached out to us by sending His Son, Jesus
God is our ever-present help in times of trouble
God will never leave us alone. He is in us, for us, and with us

Prayer:

Help us to see and recognize the lonely and hurting – saved and unsaved
Help us to be bold and reach out to those in danger of falling
Help us to develop genuine and intentional relationships

3) *Revelation:*

God is closer to us than any human can be
God is a consuming fire
God has given us the fire of His Presence and the Holy Spirit

Prayer:

Help us to put action to our faith and meet the needs of others
Help us to spread the warmth of God's love and bring others to the cross
Set our hearts ablaze with passion for Jesus and more of God

4) *Revelation:*

The power and authority in the name of Jesus causes us to be victorious
God has made us His family and commands us to be a unified body
The Trinity – Father, Son, Holy Spirit is wondrous, amazing perfection

Prayer:

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Help us to be hope-dealers who stand with those who need to hear truth

Help us to care enough to carry each other's burdens

We choose to stand in the gap for all those who need a heart change

We declare salvation to the lost, freedom to the captives, unity among the church