

Acts 4:32-35

“All the believers were one in heart and mind. No one claimed that any of his possessions was his own, but they shared everything they had. With great power the apostles continued to testify to the resurrection of the Lord Jesus, and much grace was upon them all. There were no needy persons among them. For from time to time those who owned lands or houses sold them, brought the money from the sales and put it at the apostles’ feet, and it was distributed to anyone as he had need.”

Acts 4:29-30

Now, Lord, consider their threats and enable your servants to speak your word with great boldness. Stretch out your hand to heal and perform signs and wonders through the name of your holy servant Jesus.”

1. One in heart and mind — Koinonia

I will remain in the world no longer, but they are still in the world, and I am coming to you. Holy Father, protect them by the power of your name, the name you gave me, so that they may be one as we are one.

John 17:11

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When we give up control of our own lives God is able to use us in amazing ways.

"deny themselves and take up their cross daily" (Luke 9:23)

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- 4. Gave out of that blessing, not obligation or ask**

“This is the way that God sees me “filthy and broken, offering my life to the God of the universe and begging Him to make it into something beautiful.”

-Katie Davis

Luke 12:48 says “From everyone who has been given much, much will be demanded; and from the one who has been entrusted with much, much more will be asked.”

**As we approach the Christmas Season how can you be one
in mind and body to accomplish great things for Christ?**