

# *Oasis Sunday School Class*

LOVING CONVERSATIONS MAY 25, 2025

**If we can sit together and talk about what is important to us, we begin to come alive.**

**Margaret Wheatley**

## **4 MINDSETS:**

1. BE \_\_\_\_\_
2. BELIEVE THE \_\_\_\_\_
3. SHOW \_\_\_\_\_
4. SHARE YOUR \_\_\_\_\_

## **3 FRESH GOALS FOR CONVERSATION:**

1. TO \_\_\_\_\_

1 THESS. 15:11 THEREFORE ENCOURAGE ONE ANOTHER AND BUILD UP ONE ANOTHER.

PROVERBS 15:4 KIND WORDS BRING LIFE, BUT CRUEL WORDS CRUSH YOUR SPIRIT.

PROVERBS 18:21 DEATH AND LIFE ARE IN THE POWER OF THE TONGUE.

2 COR 13:11 FINALLY, BROTHERS AND SISTERS, REJOICE! STRIVE FOR FULL RESTORATION, ENCOURAGE ONE ANOTHER, BE OF ONE MIND, LIVE IN PEACE. AND THE GOD OF LOVE AND PEACE WILL BE WITH YOU.

HEB. 11:25 BUT ENCOURAGE ONE ANOTHER DAILY, AS LONG AS IT IS CALLED "TODAY", SO THAT NONE OF YOU MAY BE HARDENED BY SIN'S DECEITFULNESS.

PROV. 11:25 WHOEVER REFRESHES OTHERS WILL BE REFRESHED

PHILEMON 1:20 I DO WISH, BROTHER, THAT I MAY HAVE SOME BENEFIT FROM YOU IN THE LORD; REFRESH MY HEART IN CHRIST.

ROMANS 1:11-12 I LONG TO SEE YOU SO THAT I MAY IMPART TO YOU SOME SPIRITUAL GIFT TO MAKE YOU STRONG-THAT IS, THAT YOU AND I MAY BE MUTUALLY ENCOURAGED BY EACH OTHER'S FAITH.

EPHESIANS 4:29 DO NOT LET ANY UNWHOLESOME TALK COME OUT OF YOUR MOUTHS, BUT ONLY WHAT IS HELPFUL FOR BUILDING OTHERS UP ACCORDING TO THEIR NEEDS, THAT IT MAY BENEFIT THOSE WHO LISTEN.

DEUT. 31:8 THE LORD HIMSELF GOES BEFORE YOU AND WILL BE WITH YOU; HE WILL NEVER LEAVE YOU NOR FORSAKE YOU. DO NOT BE AFRAID; DO NOT BE DISCOURAGED.

JOSHUA 1:9 BE STRONG AND COURAGEOUS. DO NOT BE AFRAID; DO NOT BE DISCOURAGED, FOR THE LORD YOUR GOD WILL BE WITH YOU WHEREVER YOU GO.

1 CHRON. 28:20 BE STRONG AND COURAGEOUS, AND DO THE WORK. DO NOT BE AFRAID OR DISCOURAGED, FOR THE LORD GOD, MY GOD, IS WITH YOU. HE WILL NOT FAIL YOU OR FORSAKE YOU UNTIL ALL THE WORK FOR THE SERVICE OF THE TEMPLE OF THE LORD IS FINISHED.

MATT. 28:20 AND SURELY I AM WITH YOU ALWAYS, TO THE VERY END OF THE AGE.

PSALM 46:1 GOD IS OUR REFUGE AND STRENGTH, AN EVER-PRESENT HELP IN TROUBLE.

PSALM 68:19 PRAISE BE TO THE LORD, TO GOD OUR SAVIOR, WHO DAILY BEARS OUR BURDENS.



### 3 WAYS TO OFFER ENCOURAGEMENT:

- (1) REMIND OTHERS THAT THEY ARE NOT \_\_\_\_\_
- (2) REFOCUS THEIR HEART ON GOD'S \_\_\_\_\_ FOR THEM
- (3) \_\_\_\_\_ THEIR STRENGTHS, ACTS OF SERVICE AND SPIRITUAL GIFTS

### 2. PERSONAL \_\_\_\_\_

"FRIENDSHIP HAPPENS WHEN YOU AIM TO LEARN OR ACHIEVE SOMETHING WITH OTHERS. IT HAPPENS NATURALLY DURING THE SHARED PURSUIT."

JAMES CLEAR

HEB. 10:24 AND LET US CONSIDER HOW TO STIMULATE ONE ANOTHER TO LOVE AND GOOD DEEDS.

PHIL. 1:24-25 YET TO REMAIN ON IN THE FLESH IS MORE NECESSARY FOR YOUR SAKE. CONVINCED OF THIS, I KNOW THAT I WILL REMAIN AND CONTINUE WITH YOU ALL FOR YOUR PROGRESS AND JOY IN THE FAITH.

PHIL. 2:20-21A GENUINELY CONCERNED FOR THEIR WELFARE BECAUSE EVERYONE ELSE JUST SEEKS AFTER THEIR OWN INTERESTS.

### 3. CAUSE OTHERS TO \_\_\_\_\_, TO BE IN AWE, TO WORSHIP

COL. 3:16-17 LET THE WORD OF CHRIST RICHLY DWELL WITHIN YOU, WITH ALL WISDOM TEACHING AND ADMONISHING ONE ANOTHER WITH PSALMS AND HYMNS AND SPIRITUAL SONGS, SINGING WITH THANKFULNESS IN YOUR HEARTS TO GOD. WHATEVER YOU DO IN WORD OR DEED, DO ALL IN THE NAME OF THE LORD JESUS, GIVING THANKS THROUGH HIM TO GOD THE FATHER.

PSALM 40:10 I SPEAK OF YOUR FAITHFULNESS AND YOUR SAVING HELP.

I DO NOT CONCEAL YOUR LOVE AND FAITHFULNESS FROM THE GREAT ASSEMBLY.

### PITFALLS TO LOVING CONVERSATIONS:

1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

PHIL. 2:14 DO EVERYTHING WITHOUT GRUMBLING OR COMPLAINING  
1 THESS. 5:18 GIVE THANKS IN ALL CIRCUMSTANCES

3. \_\_\_\_\_-GIVING

4. SELF- \_\_\_\_\_

5. \_\_\_\_\_

6. \_\_\_\_\_

PROV. 26:28 A FLATTERING MOUTH WORKS RUIN

7. \_\_\_\_\_

8. \_\_\_\_\_

9. \_\_\_\_\_

"GREAT MINDS DISCUSS IDEAS;  
AVERAGE MINDS DISCUSS EVENTS;  
SMALL MINDS DISCUSS PEOPLE."

ELEANOR ROOSEVELT

10. \_\_\_\_\_