Powerful Principles for Growth in the Body of Christ

SYNERGY

COOPERATION, TEAMWORK

Synergy is the beautiful phenomenon that occurs when people working together in harmony perform and achieve far beyond what they would accomplish separately. Synergy is cooperative effort that yields a combined effect. In some cases, synergy enables people to create or achieve things that would be impossible to do separately. There's a great picture of synergy in the New Testament: the Body of Christ.

OTHER WORDS FOR THIS SEED:

- accord
- concert
- conjunction
- cooperation

Synergy helps fill the human need:

To work together

Look up the verses below and note what they say about this seed:

Proverbs 27:17

Ecclesiastes 4:9-12

Amos 3:3

Matthew 19:6

I Corinthians 12:4-31 (The Body of Christ passage)

- 1 With whom should we cooperate? Why?
- 2 Why is synergy so important in my relationship to God?
- 3 A good example of synergy is ...
- 4 How is synergy related to love?
- 5 How does synergy build the Body of Christ?
- 6 How well do I serve on a team? Explain.
- 7 What will I do to to increase synergy in my life?

WAYS TO LOVE

PRINCIPLES 12 Seeds

RESPECT
ENCOURAGEMENT
LISTENING
APPRECIATION
TRUST
INTEGRITY
ORDER
NURTURE
SYNERGY
HOPE
IDEALS
PARDON

FOR GROWTH

Now you are the body of Christ, and each one of you is a part of it.

- 1 Corinthians 12:27

Write below what the verse above means to you.

Dear Lord, thank You for the wonders of **synergy**.

Please help me to work cooperatively with You and with others for Your glory.

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