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Learning #1: Relationships lead the way in telling others about Jesus.

1 Corinthians 3:5-9 (NLT) - *After all, who is Apollos? Who is Paul? We are only God's servants through whom you believed the Good News. Each of us did the work the Lord gave us. I planted the seed in your hearts, and Apollos watered it, but it was God who made it grow. It's not important who does the planting, or who does the watering. What's important is that God makes the seed grow. The one who plants and the one who waters work together with the same purpose. And both will be rewarded for their own hard work. For we are both God's workers. And you are God's field. You are God's building.*

1 Corinthians 3:7 (NLT) - *It's not important who does the planting, or who does the watering. What's important is the God makes the seed grow.*

Learning #2: Service in relationships helps prepare hearts.

1 Corinthians 3:5 (NLT) - *We are only God's servants through whom you believed the Good News.*

1 Corinthians 4:8 & 10 (NLT) - *You think you already have everything you need. You think you are already rich. You have begun to reign in God's kingdom without us! Our dedication to Christ makes us look like fools, but you claim to be so wise in Christ! We are weak, but you are so powerful! You are honored, but we are ridiculed.*

Learning #3: Common ground builds trust in relationships.

1 Corinthians 9:22-23 (NLT) - *Yes, I try to find common ground with everyone, doing everything I can to save some. I do everything to spread the Good News and share in its blessings.*

Learning #4: Sharing Jesus in relationships is risky but worth it.

Matthew 9:11-12 (NLT) - *But when the Pharisees saw this, they asked his disciples, "Why does your teacher eat with such scum?" When Jesus heard this, he said, "Healthy people don't need a doctor—sick people do."*