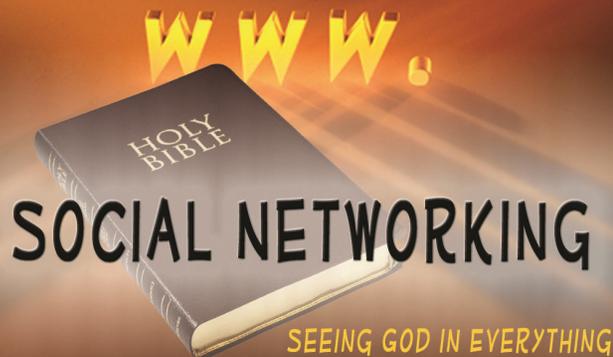


**And all that believed  
were together...**



**And had  
all things common.**



**Acts 2:44**

“Are you on Facebook?” “Do you tweet?” “Are you LinkedIn?” These are some questions I have been asked recently. My reply is... “Uh, well, I use email.”

Facebook, Twitter, LinkedIn and other computer network services, make up the Internet community called the social network. Social Networking is the 21st century way of enabling individuals to communicate, exchange information and share common interests, online. Users can interact by sharing messages, pictures, videos, resources and so much more. The appeal of these social sites is that they are available worldwide, 24/7.

It's easy to sign up for these online communities. Simply go to their websites, enter the requested information and click on sign-up. Current statistics reveal that millions of people have registered. Facebook, which is currently the largest social website, estimates around 550,000,000 monthly visitors, Twitter, around 180,000,000 users and LinkedIn has roughly 100,000,000 monthly visitors. What is so remarkable is that these numbers have skyrocketed over such a short period of time. Most of the social networks were founded within the last seven years. Today, it seems like everybody is using some form of social network. It is not uncommon to have businesses, celebrities, politicians and church organizations tweeting and using Facebook.

Yet, there is a social network that started thousands of years ago. The social networking I am referring to took place in the book of Acts. In Acts chapter one, there were about 120 individuals who came together in one place and with one purpose, to pray and wait for the promise that Jesus declared before He ascended into Heaven. That promise was the coming of the Holy Spirit.

When the Holy Spirit came, this was the beginning of the largest and longest running network in the world...the Christian Network. To enter this network, individuals had to believe and accept Jesus into their lives. Starting with a mere 120 members, in one day, 3,000 souls were added to this new community. Large numbers of converts were added daily. The members of this expanding Christian network had everything in common. They prayed, studied God's doctrine, worshipped and enjoyed fellowshiping together. They even shared their possessions making sure no one was in need.

Today, this Christian network continues to grow. The joy and allure is that individuals from all over the world have the opportunity to join this community of believers, 24/7. This network is available to the young and the old, male and female. The rich and the poor, the celebrity, the politicians, individual from all walks of life can all benefit from this God made, Spirit led, social network.

And as believers, let us make an impact in the world by encouraging others to become a part of God's glorious network. Let's ask as many people as possible... “Are you on *God's book*?”

*Dear Father, thank You for the oldest and greatest social network in the world. We thank You that there is still plenty of room for others to join.*

Praise

WWW



Prayer

# JULY 2011

Memory  
Verses

Sunday

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

Saturday

*Behold, how good and how pleasant it is for brethren  
to dwell together in unity. Psalm 133:1*

**Acts  
2:46-47**

**3**  
Pray we will find joy in studying God's word with other believers.

**4**  
Pray we will find joy in sharing our possessions with other believers.

**5**  
Pray we will find joy in fellowshiping with other believers.

**6**  
Pray we will server one another with gladness.

**7**  
Pray that our relationship with God will draw others to Christ.

**8**  
Give praises, when we lift Jesus up, God draws people to the church.

**9**  
Pray that our common goal will be to please God.

**Acts 1:8**

**10**  
Thank God for the awesome power of the Holy Spirit.

**11**  
Pray we will be bold witnesses for Christ to our family members.

**12**  
Pray we will be bold witnesses for Christ in our community.

**13**  
Pray we will be bold witnesses for Christ in our workplace.

**14**  
Thank God for our youth who are witnesses for Christ.

**15**  
Pray we will allow the power of the Holy Spirit to draw new converts to Christ.

**16**  
Thank God for the missionary workers who spread God's gospel throughout the world.

**Psalm  
133:1**

**17**  
Pray that the Christian community will strive to live together in unity.

**18**  
Pray that the Christian community with will be an example to others.

**19**  
Pray that others will recognize us by the love we display.

**20**  
Pray we will realize that it is God's desire that we live in harmony.

**21**  
Pray we will respect and appreciate each other's differences.

**22**  
Give Praises, God created each of us uniquely so that we can be a blessing to others.

**23**  
Pray that our unity will draw people to Christ.

**Hebrews  
10:24-25**

**24**  
Give Praises, we live in a country where we can freely go to church and worship God.

**25**  
Give much praise, our names are written in the Lamb's book of life.

**26**  
Pray we will not forsake the assembling together with other believers.

**27**  
Thank God for our pastors, teachers and spiritual leaders.

**28**  
Pray we will encourage and exhort one another.

**29**  
Pray we will leave the four walls of the church and reach out to the lost.

**30**  
Pray that prodigal sons and daughters will return to Christ.

**31**  
Pray that masses of people will join our services today.

*So the churches were being strengthened in the faith,  
and were increasing in number daily. Acts 16:5*