



We Celebrate, We Don't Compete

It's EASY to celebrate others when you lose your competition mindset.

Are you naturally a more competitive person? Or a more celebratory person? Why do you think that is?

What areas of your life do you find it hardest to celebrate someone else's win?

What areas of your life do you find it easiest to celebrate someone else's win?

Can you share of a time when you've slipped into a competition mindset? What as the result?

Can you share of a time when you've celebrated someone's achievement? What as the result?

Discuss this statement from the video:

If you were to draw a line and on one side you have competition in the church and on the other side you have celebration in the church, which side do you think reflects God's nature best and which side do you think would reflect the enemy's nature best? Whose kingdom do you think is advanced by either side? Which side do you want to be on?

How do we help to ensure we're on the right side of the line mentioned above?

Discuss some examples of competition vs celebration that we read about in the Bible. How do those situations end?

What are your thoughts on the two points below as to why we often compete rather than celebrate?

1 - We're not satisfied with who we are in Christ.

2 - We don't trust what God has said.

What are your thoughts on the statement below?

Comparison is the thief of joyful satisfaction.

Scriptures for further study and discussion:

Exodus 20:17

Proverbs 23:17-18

James 4:2-3

2 Corinthians 10:12

Psalms 23:1-2

Ephesians 6:12



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