



Title | Doing His Work &
Enjoying His Abundance
Series | BRING LIFE
Text | Selected
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Sermon Notes

Ephesians 4:15 . . . speaking the truth in love, we are to grow up in every way into him who is the head, into Christ, **16** from whom the whole body, joined and held together by every joint with which it is equipped, when each part is working properly, makes the body grow so that it builds itself up in love.

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Big Idea:

Text questions during the sermon: 623-850-8809

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For Reflection & Application:

Monday:

Read Ephesians 4:15-16. What is the “body” and what are the “parts”? What is the central idea of this biblical text?

Tuesday:

Reread Ephesians 4:15-16. If the Church is Christ’s body with Jesus as the head and believers are all individual parts of his body, then what is the basic work that all parts must do for the body to be fully functional and grow?

Wednesday:

According to Ephesians 4:16, which parts are necessary for the healthy functioning of the body?

Thursday:

Read 2 Corinthians 5:10. How do you feel about the prospect of being judged for work you have done for Christ? If we receive eternal life for free through faith in Jesus, why would God then require works in order to experience greater abundance?

Friday:

Do you think it’s possible for a believer to be practically uninvolved in a local body of Christ and experience the abundant life God intends? Why or why not?

Daily Prayer:

Lord help me to do your work. Show me which part you want me to play in your body. I’m at your disposal. Thank you for the abundance I enjoy through Christ. Amen.