

SUNDAY BIBLE STUDY · STUDY SHEET

Movement II · What Every Human Needs

To Be Needed, and to Give

The series question: "*And who is my neighbor?*" (Luke 10:29)

1 CORINTHIANS 12:21 And the eye is not able to say to the hand, I have no need of you; or again the head to the feet, I have no need of you.

22 But by much more the members of the body seeming to be weaker are necessary.

23 And those of the body we think to be less honorable, to these we put more abundant honor around them. And our unpresentable members have more abundant propriety.

READ ALONG: 1 Corinthians 12:21–23; Philemon 10–11; Mark 12:42–44; 2 Samuel 19:32–37; Matthew 6:1–4; Acts 20:35

Follow along

1. What does Paul say about the parts of the body that seem weaker?

2. What did Onesimus become, according to Paul?

3. Why did Jesus point out the widow and not the rich givers?

4. Barzillai had sustained the king. Why might he now call himself a burden, and what did he still have to give?

5. Who around you is only ever allowed to receive? When did anyone last ask them for something?

6. When people have no one who needs them and nowhere to give, what do they do instead? Which of those do we judge most quickly in others, and do we do any of them ourselves?

7. Do we decide who is weak, and then decide they have nothing to give?

Leave them with

THE ONE QUESTION

Who have you decided has nothing to give?

- 1. Who could you ask for something this week?

The empty chair. Every week one chair at our table stays empty. It is for the person you would never invite.

Notes