

The Family Business
Assorted Texts May 24, 2015

*Our mission is to become
faithful servants of Jesus Christ,
through worship, loving one another,
and seeking the lost.*

I. Covenant Identity

"I will be their/your God, and they/you will be my people."



II. Common Investment

2 Cor 5.18-20: All this is from God, who reconciled us to himself through Christ and gave us the ministry of reconciliation: that God was reconciling the world to himself in Christ, not counting men's sins against them. And he has committed to us the message of reconciliation. We are therefore Christ's ambassadors, as though God were making his appeal through us. We implore you on Christ's behalf: Be reconciled to God.



NOW WE ALL NEED TO BECOME A LITTLE MORE
OPEN WITH EACH OTHER

App 1:

III. Conviction Individualized

Mt 25.21: *"Well done, good and faithful servant."*



IV. Conflict Inverted

Luke 22.24-27: Also a dispute arose among them as to which of them was considered to be greatest. Jesus said to them, "The kings of the Gentiles lord it over them; and those who exercise authority over them call themselves Benefactors. But you are not to be like that. Instead, the greatest among you should be like the youngest, and the one who rules like the one who serves. For who is greater, the one who is at the table or the one who serves? Is it not the one who is at the table? But I am among you as one who serves.

