Ministry Goals and Roles- 5
The Role of Fellowship

A. The Meaning of Christian Fellowship

Koinonia= *community, communion, joint-participation, association, having a share in something*

Phil. 2:1; 2 Cor. 13:14- *Fellowship of the Holy Spirit*

B. The Root of Christian Fellowship (Fellowship with God)- 1 John 1:1-3

C. The Outworking of Christian Fellowship

1. A partnership (koinonia) of walking in the light- 1 John 1:5-7

2. A partnership of confession of sin- 1 John 1:8-10-

3. A partnership (koinonia) in the gospel- Phil. 1:3-5

4. A partnership of grace- Phil. 1:7

5. A partnership in suffering- Phil. 3:10; 4:14

6. A partnership in practical help- Phil. 4:15

7. A partnership in separation- 2 Cor. 6:14

8. Others-

D. Hindrances to Christian Fellowship

1. A less than healthy fellowship with God-

2. A prideful self-sufficiency-

3. A self-righteous, judgmental spirit-

4. gossip-

5. unresolved conflict-

6. self-absorption-