GOD DOES BIG THINGS IN SMALL GROUPS!

Synergy is the concept that the combined effect of two or more elements working together is greater than the sum of their individual effects.

In other words, when parts, people, or systems cooperate effectively, they create outcomes that exceed what each could achieve separately.

Acts 2:42-47

⁴² All the believers devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching, and to fellowship, and to sharing in meals (including the Lord's Supper), and to prayer. ⁴³ A deep sense of awe came over them all, and the apostles performed many miraculous signs and wonders. 44 And all the believers met together in one place and shared everything they had.

⁴⁵ They sold their property and possessions and shared the money with those in need. ⁴⁶ They worshiped together at the Temple each day, met in homes for the Lord's Supper, and shared their meals with great joy and generosity—47 all the while praising God and enjoying the goodwill of all the people. And each day the Lord added to their fellowship those who were being saved.

What can we learn from the early Church?

Actions of a Small Group:

- 1. We Pursue Fellowship with other Believers (Vs.42,46)
- 2. We Embrace Discipleship (Vs.42)
- 3. We Develop and use our Spiritual Gifts (Vs.45)
- 4. We Share our Faith with Others (Vs.47)
- 5. We Make Worship a Lifestyle (Vs.42,47)

In the reference scripture, we see emphasis on the word, "all". We will never reach our potential, impact the world, or become who God has called us to be in isolation. We need each other!

What's keeping you from joining a small group?