

***The Top 10 Things God wants All Guys to Know***  
*Father's Day Weekend*  
*June 20 & 21, 2009*

***Anyone who belongs to Christ has become a new person. The old life is gone; a new life has begun! 2 Corinthians chapter 5 verse 17 (884)***

**10. Real Men...allow God to teach them about themselves**

- ***Don't think you're better than you really are. Be honest in your evaluation of yourselves.... Romans chapter 12 verse 3 (866)***

**9. Real Men...trust God**

- ***God said, "I know the plans I have for you, they are plans for good and not for disaster, to give you a future and a hope." Jeremiah chapter 29 verse 11 (596)***

**8. Real Men...keep it real**

- ***Let us go right into the presence of God with sincere hearts....  
Hebrews chapter 10 verse 22 (926)***

**7. Real Men...never give up**

- ***The temptations in your life are no different from what others experience. And God is faithful. He will not allow the temptation to be more than you can stand. When you are tempted, He will show you a way out so that you can endure.  
1 Corinthians 10 verse 13 (876)***

**6. Real Men...refuse to go through life alone**

- ***As iron sharpens iron, so a friend sharpens a friend.  
Proverbs chapter 27 verse 17 (501)***

**5. Real Men...learn from the right people**

- ***Walk with the wise and become wise; associate with fools and get in trouble.  
Proverbs chapter 13 verse 20 (490)***
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**(over)**

4. Real Men...love their wife & kids and they show it
  - ***Love is patient & kind. Love is not jealous or boastful or proud or rude. It does not demand its own way. It is not irritable, and it keeps no record of being wronged.***  
*1 Corinthians chapter 13 verses 4 & 5 (878)*
  
3. Real Men...are humble
  - ***God opposes the proud but favors the humble.*** *James chapter 4 verse 6 (932)*
  
2. Real Men...stay intentional about the hard stuff
  - Insanity = doing the same thing over & over but expecting a different result
  - ***I can do everything through Christ, who gives me strength.***  
*Philippians chapter 4 verse 13 (901)*
  
1. Real Men...do life with God
  - ***We are made right with God by placing our faith in Jesus Christ. And this is true for everyone who believes, no matter who we are.***  
*Romans chapter 3 verse 22 (859)*

**Next weekend:** Communion & we start a new study, “This We Believe,” a look at foundational Bible truths & how they apply to our lives. Next Weekend we begin with the topic, “**Jesus is the Only Way.**”