



Part 3: What Are Your Priorities?

INTRODUCTION

Relationships require time for them to become *quality* relationships. But there are many things in this life that distract us from spending our time in ways that enrich the quality of our life. This week, we're unpacking the importance of spending our most precious resource – our time – wisely.

LET'S TALK ABOUT IT

1. Research shows it takes 50 hours to go from acquaintance to friend and 200 hours to go from friend to best friend. How have you seen this to be true in your life?
2. What are some of your "Pac-man Time Suckers?" Why do you think you spend so much time on/with these things?
3. Has anyone pointed out to you that they would like to spend more time with you? What has been your response?
4. Do you live as if your days are numbered or as if you have all the time in the world? What influences this perspective?
5. Think about this quote: "The key is not to **prioritize** what's on your **schedule**, but to **schedule** your **priorities**." What is the difference? What would it look like you to schedule your priorities if you don't already do so?

THIS WEEK

What are my top **priorities** in life? Write them down. Then, ask those who are important to you these questions:

1. What do you see as the top priorities in my life?
2. What makes you feel like a priority?
3. How could I better schedule my time to make you a priority?

"Teach us to **number our days**,
that we may gain a heart of **wisdom**."

Psalm 90:12