FRIENDSHIP

Life Group Dynamics Goal: Best mood level leading to LOVE, GROW, SERVE, SHARE Heb 10:24-25

8 Bonding				
7				
6				
5 Willing Comfort				
Level 4				
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1 Disoriented				
Time: min.	5-15	5-10	30-45	5-10
Stages	Ice Breaker	Prayer	Discipleship	Share the
				vision
Aim	Man to man	Man to God	God to man	Believer to
				unbeliever
Results	Building	Bonding	Working Relationships	Building
	Relationships	Relationships		Outside
				Relationships

RELATIONSHIP

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Life Group Dynamics 2 Goal: Best mood level leading to LOVE, GROW, SERVE, SHARE Heb 10:24-25

8 Bonding				
7				
6				
5 Willing Comfort				
Level 4			Here's what happens when the teacher eliminates the ice breaker and starts out with prayer. We must relate to our brothers before we come into the presence of God as a group.	
2 1 Disoriented			The group will not reach its highest level and the gathering will end on a low note. Discipleship will be very slow and awkward.	
Time: min.	5-15	5-10	30-45	5-10
Stages	Ice Breaker	Prayer	Discipleship	Share the vision
Aim	Man to man	Man to God	God to man	Believer to unbeliever
Results	Building Relationships	Bonding Relationships	Working Relationships	Building Outside Relationships

Life Group Dynamics 3
Goal: Best mood level leading to LOVE, GROW, SERVE, SHARE Heb 10:24-25

II	8 Bonding				
NSH	7				
RELATIONSHIP	6				
REL	5 Willing Comfort				
SHIP	Level 4			Here's what happens when the prayer time is poorly planned and the leader has not been in touch with Christ. The prayer time is flat.	
FRIENDSHIP	3	N		The group does not sense the presence or the power of	
	2			Christ as they might. And the time of building up falls flat. Discipleship cannot be God centered, since He has	
	1 Disoriented			not been touched by the leader or group members.	
	Time: min.	5-15	5-10	30-45	5-10
	Stages	Ice Breaker	Prayer	Discipleship	Share the vision
	Aim	Man to man	Man to God	God to man	Believer to unbeliever
	Results	Building Relationships	Bonding Relationships	Working Relationships	Building Outside Relationships

Life Group Dynamics 4
Goal: Best mood level leading to LOVE, GROW, SERVE, SHARE Heb 10:24-25

Ь	8 Bonding				
IHSN	7				
ATIONSHIP	6			Discipleship (God to Man) has been deleted; perhaps the teacher has decided to use the group for just teaching and	
REL	5 Willing Comfort			not discipleship. There is no building up each other in the truth.	
	Level 4				
SHIP	3				
FRIENDSHIP	2	$\sim$		This group ends on a low level. They are not bonded to one another by the truth. Such groups run out of Gas after a while.	
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	Time: min.	5-15	5-10	30-45	5-10
	Stages	Ice Breaker	Prayer	Discipleship	Share the vision
	Aim	Man to man	Man to God	God to man	Believer to unbeliever
	Results	Building Relationships	Bonding Relationships	Working Relationships	Building Outside
					Relationships

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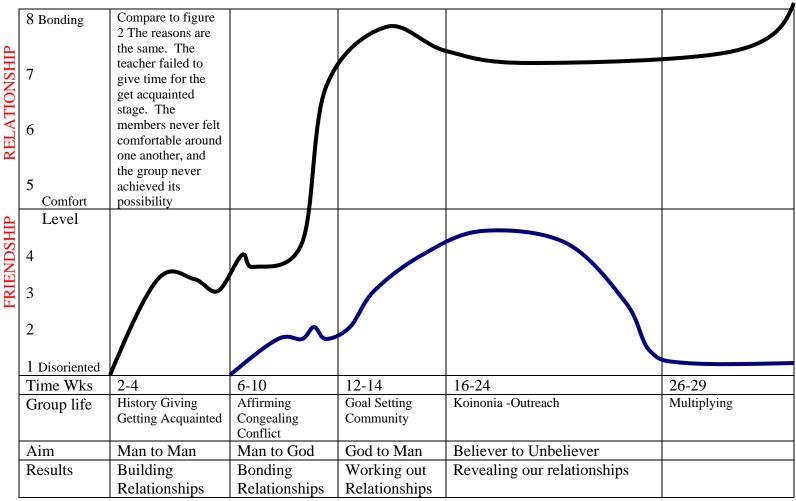
Life Group Dynamics 5
Goal: Best mood level leading to LOVE, GROW, SERVE, SHARE Heb 10:24-25

8 Bonding 7		$\wedge$	The group tries to function without any SHARING. With out a vision for reaching others for Christ, the group will ossify.	
6 5 Willing Comfort			The body of Christ is called to SHARE with the lost World. If it refuses to do so, it should question whether it is truly His body.	
Level 4 3 2	$\wedge$			
1 Disoriented	5.15	5.10	20.45	5.10
Time: min. Stages	5-15 Ice Breaker	5-10 Prayer	30-45 Discipleship	5-10 Share the vision
Aim	Man to man	Man to God	God to man	Believer to unbeliever
Results	Building Relationships	Bonding Relationships	Working Relationships	Building Outside Relationships

Members Goal: Making disciples. Bringing others to Christ

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RELATIONSHIP	6					
RI	5 Comfort					
	Level					
HIIP	4					
FRIENDSHIP	3					
FRIE	2					
	1 Disoriented					
	Time Wks	2-4	6-10	12-14	16-24	26-29
	Group life	History Giving Getting Acquainted	Affirming Congealing Conflict	Goal Setting Community	Koinonia -Outreach	Multiplying
	Aim	Man to Man	Man to God	God to Man	Believer to Unbeliever	
	Results	Building Relationships	Bonding Relationships	Working out Relationships	Revealing our relationships	

Members Goal: Making disciples. Bringing others to Christ



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8 Bonding	Here's what happens when			If as the weeks go by the focus of the group is not brought to a	
7	the teacher fails to properly guide the group			man to god relationship (prayer) the group will not get	
6	through the conflict staged.	/		through the conflict stage.	
5 Comfort	Those who began the group have no bond to each other or to Christ.				
Level				This group will struggle along and may finally dissolve. If the	
4				life of Christ does not flow into the group it does not	
3				become his body.	
2					
1 Disoriented					
Time Wks	2-4	6-10	12-14	16-24	26-29
Group life	History Giving Getting Acquainted	Affirming Congealing Conflict	Goal Setting Community	Koinonia -Outreach	Multiplying
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Members Goal: Making disciples. Bringing others to Christ

8 Bonding	The group peaked and then lost its				
7	momentum. It was caused by the				
6	shepherd failing to set goals and	/			
5	allowing it to coast once the fellowship became settled.	/			
	Discipleship did not take place, people got boared. And many				
Comfort	dropped out.				
Level				Many new teachers are	
				surprised to discover that the strongest way to build	
4				relationships within the	
				group is to guide it to	
3				reach out to others.	
	/			It's the only way to	
2	/			keep a group from	
	/			"navel-gazing!"	
	/				
1 Disoriented					
Time Wks	2-4	6-10	12-14	16-24	26-29
Group life	History Giving Getting Acquainted	Affirming Congealing Conflict	Goal Setting Community	Koinonia -Outreach	Multiplying
Aim	Man to Man	Man to God	God to Man	Believer to Unbeliever	
Results	Building	Bonding	Working out	Revealing our relationships	
	Relationships	Relationships	Relationships		

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Members Goal: Making disciples. Bringing others to Christ

8 Bonding 7 6 5	This is the picture of a group that developed effective discipleship but failed to reach out to unbelievers. While they kept their momentum and added new people they failed to reach their peak				
Comfort Level	and multiply.			Such groups if left alone will drag	
4				on and on. They should be dissolved and redistributed to other groups that have the right mindset.	
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2					
1 Disoriented					
Time Wks	2-4	6-10	12-14	16-24	26-29
Group life	History Giving	Affirming	Goal Setting	Koinonia -Outreach	Multiplying
	Getting Acquainted	Congealing Conflict	Community		
Aim	Man to Man	Man to God	God to Man	Believer to Unbeliever	
Results	Building	Bonding	Working out	Revealing our relationships	
	Relationships	Relationships	Relationships		