

## What Makes An Effective Relationship?

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Webster says “Trust, teamwork, communication and respect are keys to effective working relationships. People you have a working relationship with include coworkers, supervisors and people you manage, as well as clients.”

- 1) What are some key points that make a healthy marital relationship?
- 2) What are the 5 most important things in a relationship?
- 3) What are the key elements of a successful relationship?
- 4) How do you build positive relationships?
- 5) How do you build a good relationship?
- 6) How to Build Effective Working Relationships?
  - a) Trust
  - b) Teamwork
  - c) Communication
  - d) Respect
- 7) What about your marriage? Do you treat outside people better than your mate?
- 8) A Big Element of Effective Relationships - Humor, It is derived from encountering the unexpected - that's what makes a joke funny.
- 9) Tips for Developing Positive Relationships
  - a) Listen effectively. Listening is a crucial skill in boosting another person's self-esteem, the silent form of flattery that makes people feel supported and valued.
  - b) Listening and understanding what others communicate to us is the most important part of successful interaction.
  - c) All healthy relationships – whether they are friendship, roommate or romantic – have similar characteristics. ...

While everyone has to decide for themselves what they want in a relationship. What is God saying about your relationship or your marriage?

Scriptures to Study:

Ecclesiastes 4:12 (KJV), Proverbs 31:10 (KJV), Ephesians 5:25-26 (KJV), Colossians 3:18-19 (KJV), Matthew 7:12 (KJV), Genesis 2:18 (KJV)