Text: 1 Peter 4

1. Super-Emotional, Irrational Christians Do Not(!) Equal Prayer Warriors (v7)

1 Peter 4:7 The end of all things is at hand; therefore be selfcontrolled and sober-minded for the sake of your prayers.

2. Fervent Love Helps Us Overlook Each Other's Faults - and Keeps Our Egos in Check (v 8)

⁸ Above all, keep loving one another earnestly, since love covers a multitude of sins.

3. No Church Connection Without Hospitality in Small Groups (v 9)

⁹ Show hospitality to one another without grumbling.

4. No Church

Contentment Without

Serving Each Other (v 10)

10 As each has received a gift, use it to serve one another, as good stewards of God's varied grace:

5. Preachers/Teachers Don't Bloviate - They Speak the Bible (v 11a)

^{11a} whoever speaks, as one who speaks oracles of God;

6. Servers Embrace the Physical Side of Ministry (v 11b)

^{11b}whoever serves, as one who serves by the strength that God supplies—

7. Everything Done at Crossroads Will Always Be for God's Glory, Period! (v 11c)

^{11c}in order that in everything God may be glorified through Jesus Christ. To him belong glory and dominion forever and ever. Amen.

