*From Me to We: The Role of Community in the Transformed Life*

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**1 Corinthians 4:14-21 (ESV)**

**14**I do not write these things to make you ashamed, but to admonish you as my beloved children. **15**For though you have countless guides in Christ, you do not have many fathers. For I became your father in Christ Jesus through the gospel. **16**I urge you, then, be imitators of me. **17**That is why I sent you Timothy, my beloved and faithful child in the Lord, to remind you of my ways in Christ, as I teach them everywhere in every church. **18**Some are arrogant, as though I were not coming to you. **19**But I will come to you soon, if the Lord wills, and I will find out not the talk of these arrogant people but their power. **20**For the kingdom of God does not consist in talk but in power. **21**

*“Spiritual formation, without regard to any specifically religious context or tradition, is the process by which the human spirit or will is given a definite form or character” - Dallas Willard*

***Big Idea****: Spiritual transformation takes place through the renovation of the heart in the context of Christian community*

1.We experience transformation when we move to .

* Following Jesus involves both and **.**
* 1 Cor 11:1
* Matt 28:18-19

2. Transformation is experienced when we move from to an **.**

3. Transformation occurs through moving from to an .

* 1 Cor 1:26-30

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