A Company of Women-Episode 4

Barriers to Deep Relationships-Part 2

Group Discussion Questions:

Note: Questions can be asked in any order.

- 1. When has envy, self-seeking or conceit kept you from developing a deep friendship with someone?
- 2. When is it most challenging for you to love a friend at all times?
- 3. Share of a time when a friend loved you through your brokenness, mess, sin or darkness.
- 4. When has your love for others or someone in particular "hit the limit" or ran out and you had to call on God's love supply to help you keep loving?
- 5. Are you withdrawing and going back to the presence of God to refill and replenish yourself with His love? How do you make sure you do this often like Jesus did? Do you struggle with withdrawing yourself to be with the Lord because you see it as a selfish act rather than a loving one?
- 6. How are you intentional about praying for your friends?
- 7. Do you identify yourself as a "rescuer," wanting to help deliver others from their personal issues? Have you learned to always lead others back to Jesus while helping them?
- 8. Do you have a friend with whom you can share your heart and feelings with, but who reminds you of the Truth of God?
- 9. When have you decided to give someone the benefit of the doubt and believe that them hurting you was not the intention of their heart? Did this save your friendship?
- 10. Have you had a friendship that was destroyed because of misunderstanding? What could have been done to prevent this?