Agreeable, Part One - Can Two Walk Together?

Amos 3:3

Can two walk together without agreeing where to go?

Coming into agreement with God is the best way to agree with each other.

1 John 1:7

But if we walk in the light, as he is in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus, his Son, purifies us from all sin.

Proverbs 14:12

There is a way that seems right to a person, but its end is the way that leads to death.

Matthew 7:13-14

"13 Go in through the narrow gate, because the gate to hell is wide and the road that leads to it is easy, and there are many who travel it. 14 But the gate to life is narrow and the way that leads to it is hard, and there are few people who find it."

Coming into agreement with God means walking in fellowship with God.

Micah 6:8

He has told you, O man, what is good; and what does the LORD require of you but to do justice, and to love kindness, and to walk humbly with your God?

Galatians 5:16

I say this: Walk in the Spirit, and you will not fulfill the desires of the flesh.

Colossians 2:6

As, therefore, you received Christ Jesus our Lord, so walk in him...

Coming into agreement with God becomes a calculated offense.

Matthew 15:10-14

10 Then Jesus called to the crowd to come and hear. "Listen," he said, "and try to understand.11 It's not what goes into your mouth that defiles you; you are defiled by the words that come out of your mouth." 12 Then the disciples came to him and asked, "Do you realize you offended the Pharisees by what you just said?" 13 Jesus replied, "Every plant not planted by my heavenly Father will be uprooted, 14 so ignore them. They are blind guides leading the blind, and if one blind person guides another, they will both fall into a ditch."

2 Corinthians 6:14-16

14 Do not be yoked together with unbelievers. For what do righteousness and wickedness have in common? Or what fellowship can light have with darkness? 15 What harmony is there between Christ and Belial? Or what does a believer have in common with an

unbeliever? 16 What agreement is there between the temple of God and idols? For we are the temple of the living God. As God has said: "I will live with them and walk among them, and I will be their God, and they will be my people."

Five Points of Agreement:

1. He is God, we are not.

Psalm 100:3

Acknowledge that the LORD is God! He made us, and we are his. We are his people, the sheep of his pasture.

1 John 4:20

If someone says, "I love God," but hates a fellow believer, that person is a liar; for if we don't love people we can see, how can we love God, whom we cannot see?

2. God's way is the right way.

Isaiah 30:21

Whether you turn to the right or to the left, your ears will hear a voice behind you, saying, "This is the way; walk in it."

3. God's Kingdom comes first.

Matthew 6:33

But seek first his kingdom and his righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well.

4. We are to serve God by serving others.

1 Peter 4:10

Each of you should use whatever gift you have received to serve others, as faithful stewards of God's grace in its various forms.

Galatians 5:13

For you have been called to live in freedom, my brothers and sisters. But don't use your freedom to satisfy your sinful nature. Instead, use your freedom to serve one another in love.

5. The direction we take has a destination.

Genesis 5:24

Enoch walked faithfully with God; then he was no more, because God took him away.

Jude 1:14-15

14 Enoch, who lived in the seventh generation after Adam, prophesied about these people. He said, "Listen! The Lord is coming with countless thousands of his holy ones 15 to execute judgment on the people of the world. He will convict every person of all the ungodly things they have done and for all the insults that ungodly sinners have spoken against him.

Coming into agreement with God requires us to walk closely with Him.

James 4:8

Come close to God, and God will come close to you.