A New Attitude for A New Year

Romans 5:1



Be Authentic

- We need to be authentic.
- Authenticity is an attitude of honesty and humility.
- It takes courage to be authentic.
- In God's kingdom we are fully known and loved by God and others.
- When someone opens up to us about a struggle in their lives, we should be honored that someone has trusted us.
- At Grace Fellowship we come together to encourage and strengthen each other.

Be of Good Cheer

- We need to be of good cheer.
- This attitude helps us to be healthier.
- If you are angry at the world, you cannot be at peace in the world.
- Jesus brought the kingdom of God into the world, and it has been advancing ever since.
- You cannot stop the kingdom of God any more than you can stop the tide or the rising of the sun.
- A positive attitude and cheerful spirit is better than any medication you can take.

Be Aware of God

- We need to be more aware of God.
- We tend to focus on Jesus' second coming and forget that He has already come.
- Jesus has established His kingdom, defeated sin, hell and death, and now He lives in the world He has created.
- When you are a grateful person you possess joy.
- A new awareness and attitude could change our lives.

Conclusion

- Three attitudes in life that are important:
 - Be Authentic
 - Be of Good Cheer
 - Be Aware of God
- These are the attitudes we need in our lives as we face this new year.

Choice Ahead