

ESTABLISHING CORE VALUES: E.M.B.R.A.C.E.  
“EMBRACING THE CALL!”

***ACTS 20:7-12***



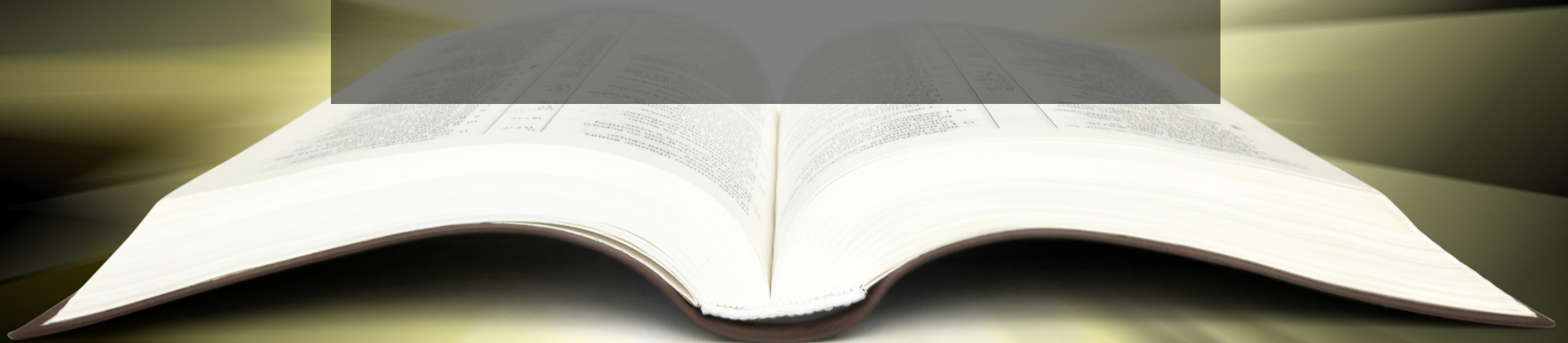
# 1. EXCELLENCE IN MINISTRY!

(COLOSSIANS 3:23-24)

1. Excellence in our service.

2. Excellence in our integrity.

- Acts 24:16



## 2. MINISTER AND DISCIPLE THE LOST!

(ROMANS 10:15)

1. We must preach the Gospel!

2. There is hope in Jesus!

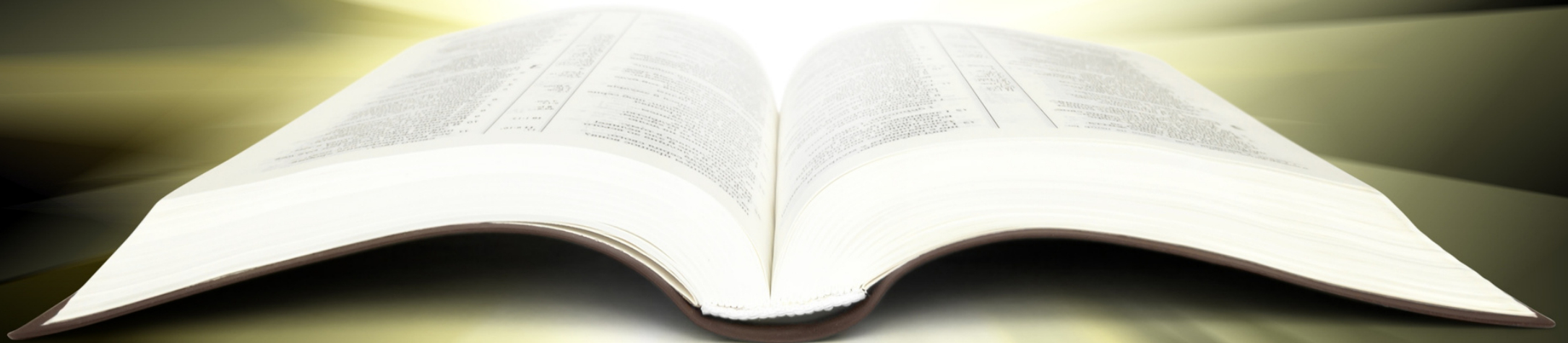
- John 3:17-18

3. There is rejoicing in heaven over one repented sinner!

- Luke 15:7

### 3. BBUILD RELATIONSHIPS IN THE COMMUNITY! (COLOSSIANS 3:12-13)

- As representatives of the Lord, we have to develop virtues that are perfectly bound together by love.



# 4. RESTORE THE JOY OF OUR SALVATION! (ROMANS 14:17)

1. Our joy is enabled through the Holy Spirit.

- Galatians 5:22
- Romans 15:13
- Psalm 51:12



# 5. AUTHENTIC, ACCESSIBLE, & “SHARING IN ALL THINGS” CHURCH!

(ACTS 4:32-37)

1. When one of us suffers, all of us suffer.

- 1 Corinthians 12:26
- 1 Peter 5:9

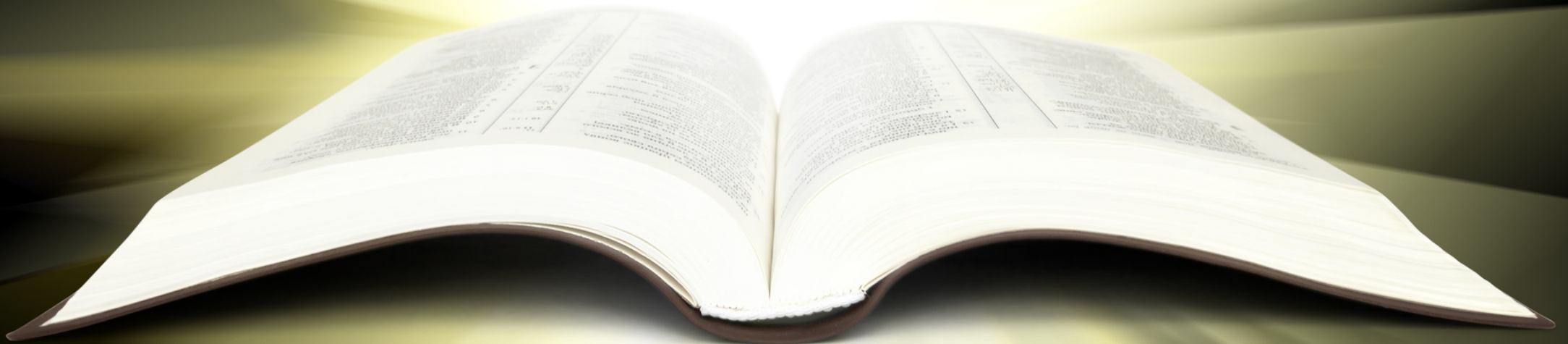
2. We must become accessible to the hurting.



# 6. COMPASSION TOWARD OTHERS!

(1 JOHN 3:16-17)

- True compassion goes above and beyond stipulations.



# 7. EDFIFY THE BODY OF CHRIST!

(EPHESIANS 4:11-13)

- Our oneness in Christ does not negate our individuality.
- Our spiritual maturity will cause us to exercise the gifts given to us by God.
- Edifying the body involves the preaching and teaching of God's Word!







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