

How God Transformed the Upper Room

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Introduction: One hundred twenty disciples of Jesus Christ went into an Upper Room. A single body of Christ came out.

While the disciples waited in Jerusalem, they actively:

_____ with each other.
_____ for each other and for the Holy Spirit to come.
_____ and _____ upon the Scriptures.
_____ and _____ God.

When the Holy Spirit arrived in the Upper Room:

The _____ of the disciples were transformed into _____.

The _____ and _____ of the disciples was transformed into _____.

Something very unique and dramatic took place in the spiritual cocoon in which the disciples were encased. Jesus' disciples got over themselves!

The recognition on the part of Jesus' disciples of their own unworthiness birthed within them the ability to:

_____ others.

_____ others.

_____ alongside others.

_____ for others.

_____ themselves for the good of the group.

Find _____ and _____ in the accomplishments of the group.

Conclusion: We'll never collectively receive the Holy Spirit until we get over ourselves, and we'll never get over ourselves until we gain the self-honesty to see ourselves as we are, rather than as we wish ourselves to be!
