

Building Spiritual Christian Friendships Discover the Lost Secrets of Early Christian Community

2000 years ago, the early Christian church grew with astonishing speed, spreading its message of radical love across the vast Roman world. Their vibrant communities captivated seekers from every nation despite fierce persecution. What was the lightning in their bottle?

Now this electrifying new book unravels the forgotten foundations that fueled Christianity's breakout era - models for *building trusted spiritual friendships* that transformed not just faith but all of life.

In *Building Spiritual Christian Friendships: The Master Key to Love Thy Neighbor*, theologian Richard Bliese teams up with leadership and trust expert Robert Porter Lynch to reveal their groundbreaking historical research on the growth strategies of the early church. They unearth new insights in ancient texts and long-hidden designs that forging intimate communities of care – the code to understanding *Love Thy Neighbor*.

You'll discover:

- The hidden "design architecture" for inspiring spiritual bonds found in surviving first-century manuscripts
- Step-by-step guides outlining how early Christians build radiant "Communities of Friendship" that spread by a spiritual wind throughout the Roman Empire.
- How the fervent fellowship flowing from these divine wisdom "set their message ablaze" with the flame of *Love Thy Neighbor*
- Why modern Christianity desperately needs to resurrect this blueprint for trusting relationships today

Bliese & Lynch show how the inspiring communion illuminating early Christian gatherings wasn't just feel-good groupthink. Through archaeological clues and biblical analysis, they trace the flashpoint formula back to the flowing energies of the neglected third personage of the Trinity - the Holy Spirit.

Spiritual Friendships presents compelling evidence that reactivating this same Holy Spirit's synergy within our strained 21st century communities and churches today holds the master key to new beginnings – a "Renaissance:" *to be born again anew at a higher level*.

When grounded in mature character and timeless wisdom, these sacred connections become the spiritual multipliers that can radically restore fractured institutions and heal humanity's deepest divisions.

If you're disillusioned with broken religious bonds bound by empty ritual and rigid dogma alone, this electrifying book points to new cooperative horizons flowing with transcendent promise. Let timeless insights on the intentional cultivation of spiritual friendships rekindle fading embers of faith into roaring flames of renewal once more!

The chaos, confusion, and conflict in our world today point to an approaching pivotal moment in our civilization influenced by these universal dynamics - whether cascading crises spiral into catastrophic collapse or breakthrough into renaissance rebirth. Will exploitative suspicion savage our shared future or can compassionate community redeem coming challenges? If early Christians' trusted fellowship of Communities of Friendship once transformed the ancient world under the shadow of warrior lions, dare we dismiss the power of unified goodwill today?

Now this electrifying new book challenges us to reawaken our most empowering tools for inspiring unity within - the neglected spiritual keys to forging understanding across differences. If ancient visionaries leveraged secret disciplines of the heart to turn intimate circles of trust into good news embraced the world over, can modern seekers, fueled by the same love, master keys spark redemption on grander scale again?

Let the urgent insights and timeless practices found in *Spiritual Friendships* become today's wellspring of hope-filled action. Heed its call to relearn long-lost arts of human harmony - the master tools for fractured era awaiting earnest builders determined to lay new foundations of trust. Though darkness spreads, let living lights join hands to kindle dawn!