

SIMPLE CHRISTMAS
Simple Worship
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The members of the council were amazed when they saw the boldness of Peter and John, for they could see that they were ordinary men with no special training in the Scriptures. They also recognized them as men who had been with Jesus. Acts 4:13 (NLT)

• “Ordinary”-- _____

KINGDOM IDIOTS...

1. ...Possess a Consuming Passion

“Judge for yourselves whether it is right in God's sight to obey you rather than God. For we cannot help speaking about what we have seen and heard.” Acts 4:19-20 (NLT)

And every day, in the Temple and from house to house, they continued to teach and preach this message: “Jesus is the Messiah.” Acts 5:42 (NLT)

Question: Who are two people you will invite to attend HCC?

2. ...Unshakeable Devotion

“Didn't we tell you never again to teach in this man's name?” he demanded. “Instead, you have filled all Jerusalem with your teaching about him, and you want to make us responsible for his death!” But Peter and the apostles replied, “We must obey God rather than any human authority.” Acts 5:28-29 (NLT)

So we decided, having come to complete agreement, to send you official representatives, along with our beloved Barnabas and Paul, who have risked their lives for the name of our Lord Jesus Christ. Acts 15:25-26 (NLT)

Question: How can you become more devoted to the ministry of HCC?

3. Become Irrationally Generous

And all the believers met together in one place and shared everything they had. They sold their property and possessions and shared the money with those in need. Acts 2:44-45 (NLT)

Question: How can you become a more generous part of HCC?

Our dedication to Christ makes us look like fools... 1 Corinthians 4: 10 (NLT)