

# **Finding My Place And Doing My Part**

## **Series:Ethos**

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“Under His direction, the whole body is fitted together perfectly. As each part does its own special work, it helps the other parts grow, so that the whole body is healthy and growing and full of love.” Ephesians 4:16

### **Why This Is Important**

#### **1. I Was Created For Fit & Function**

“As each part does its own special work, it helps the other parts grow, so that the whole body is healthy and growing and full of love.” Ephesians 4:16b

“For we are God’s workmanship, created in Jesus Christ to do good works which God prepared in advance for us to do.” Ephesians 2:10

#### **2. I’ve Been Given Special Abilities**

“A spiritual gift is given to each of us as a means of helping the entire church.” 1 Corinthians 12:7

“God has given each of you some special abilities. Be sure to use them to help each other.” 1 Peter 4:10

### **3. It's Imperative That We Work Together**

“All of you together are the one body of Christ and each of you is a separate and necessary part of it.” 1 Corinthians 12:27

### **4. The Best Way Is Wholehearted Involvement**

“Whatever you do, work at it with all your heart, as working for the Lord, not for men... It is the Lord you're serving.” Colossians 3:23

### **5. Finding My Place Makes Life Meaningful**

Jesus said, “If you try to keep your life for yourself, you're going to lose it. But if you give up your life for my sake, and for the sake of the good news, you will find true life.” Mark 8:35

Jesus said, “Your attitude must be like my own,  
for I did not come to be served, but to serve.”

Matthew 20:28