



¹ So we must listen very carefully to the truth we have heard, or we may drift away from it.

HEBREWS 2:1 NLT



A consumer often drifts to become a complainer.

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¹⁴ Do everything without complaining and arguing, ¹⁵ so that no one can criticize you. Live clean, innocent lives as children of God, shining like bright lights in a world full of crooked and perverse people.

PHILIPPIANS 2:14-15 NLT





A contributor often drifts to become a **complementor**.

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² My goal is that they may be encouraged in heart and united in love, so that they may have the full riches of complete understanding, in order that they may know the mystery of God, namely, Christ, ³ in whom are hidden all the treasures of wisdom and knowledge.

COLOSSIANS 2:2-3 NIV



When we break it down the difference between a consumer and a contributor is **SIMPE**. The consumers focus is on what they **Get** from the relationship and contributors focus is on what they **GIVE** in the relationship.





we **imitate** Jesus.

¹ Imitate God, therefore, in everything you do, because you are his dear children. ² Live a life filled with love, following the example of Christ. He loved us and offered himself as a sacrifice for us, a pleasing aroma to God.

EPHESIANS 5:1-2 NLT



We become

ambassadors

of Jesus.

²⁰ So we are Christ's ambassadors; God is making his appeal through us. We speak for Christ when we plead, "Come back to God!" ²¹ For God made Christ, who never sinned, to be the offering for our sin, so that we could be made right with God through Christ.

2 CORINTHIANS 5:20-21 NLT



Life is and can be marked by something or **SOMEONE**. How your life is marked will directly affect how we act, love and connect with **One another**.