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**Sticky Ministry:
Word-Based &
Relationally-Driven**

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Ministry can be sticky no matter which way you slice it. On the good days, we see it adhering to a life and get a glimpse of transformation beginning to happen. But on the bad days... well, it can become so sticky we just

want to quit! We live in that sticky tension no matter what the ministry context, whether it be in the church, the home or the workplace. We desire for what we do to extend His kingdom and yet because of the Fall, it is easier said than done. Seeking to cultivate a word-based and relationally-driven ministry is a strategy to address this sticky tension.

Sticky (\ 'sti-kē \)

Adjective

1. Sticky: disagreeable, unpleasant, awkward, difficult or problematic.
2. Sticky: to adhere, stay close or to cling.

Hebrews 11 is often referred to as the Hall of Faith. Yet we know from reading the Old Testament that pilgrims like Noah, Moses, Abraham, Sarah, and Rahab persevered even when life and ministry were difficult and sticky. They are part of the great cloud of witnesses that cheer us on in the highest highs and the lowest lows. Hebrews 12 encourages us to examine how sin is sticking to our lives and hindering us from running the race. The writer then urges us to run! But if you are anything like me, the stickiness of life and ministry makes me tired and weary to the point where I want to quit. Then comes the timely admonition KLU...Keep Looking Up! Fix your eyes on Jesus. He is the friend that sticks closer than a brother. Stick close to Him no matter what the circumstance. He is the author of our faith that must stick to every thought, word, and deed. And by His grace, He will cause our faith to stick with us until eternity. Seeking to serve our forerunner with a life and ministry that causes others to stick close to Jesus is only possible through what He accomplished on our behalf, namely His life, death, and resurrection.

*"Therefore, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us also lay aside every weight, and sin which clings so closely, and let us run with endurance the race that is set before us, looking to Jesus, the founder and perfecter of our faith, who for the joy that was set before him endured the cross, despising the shame, and is seated at the right hand of the throne of God."
Hebrews 12:1-2*

I want to invite you to come explore the stickiness of life and ministry with us at our annual Women's Ministry Leadership Training on February 22-24, 2018.



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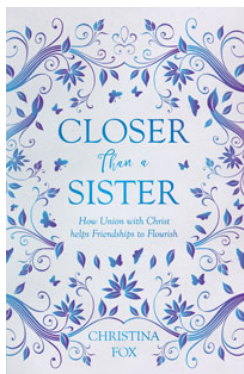
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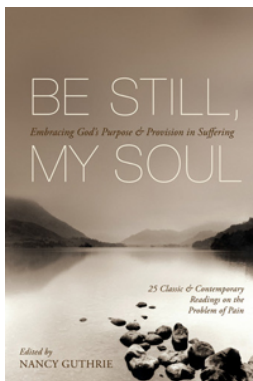
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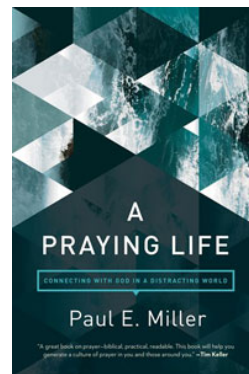
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