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Main Text: Mark 2:13-22 - Feasting or Fasting

Does your _____ describe your relationship with God?

Or does your _____ with God describe your religion?

- Religion is _____-centered, relationships are 'other-centered'
- Religion is the set of _____ that you observe and the way you live.

Jesus says life in Christ is about:

- Relationship - with a _____
- Feasting - not ritual _____

Feasting Mark 2:13-17

There are three kinds of "patients" whom Jesus cannot heal of their sin sickness:

1. Those who do not _____ about the doctor;
2. Those who know about the doctor but _____ to do what he says; and
3. Those who _____ they are sick.

Fasting Mark 2:18-20

Poverty and fasting don't make you spiritual because _____
_____ can't define your relationship with Jesus.

Jesus says, your _____ with God describes your religion (how you behave).

The Old and New Mark 2:21-22

Jesus has already taught two important lessons:

1. He came to _____, not to call the religious; and
2. He came to bring _____ (feasting) and not _____ (fasting).

The 3rd lesson is this: He came to bring the _____, not to patch up the old.