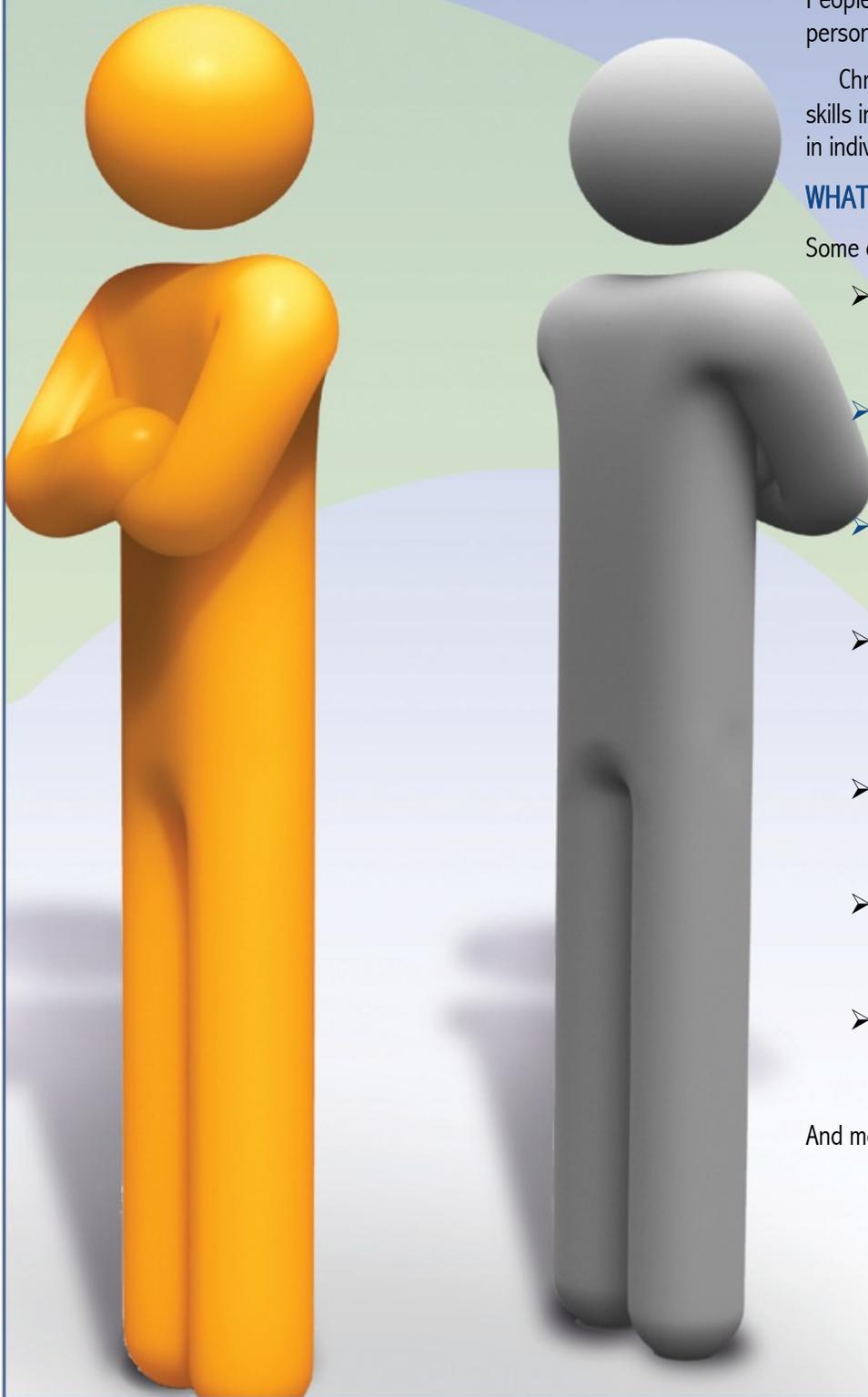


Sharpening Your Interpersonal Skills

Online Courses



WHY SHOULD I TAKE SYIS ONLINE?

One of the most significant challenges we face on a day-to-day basis is living, working, and dealing with others. People come from different backgrounds and with different personalities. Learning to love with Jesus' love is tough!

Christ followers benefit from training in interpersonal skills in relevant and effective ways, leading to life change in individuals for strengthened teams and communities.

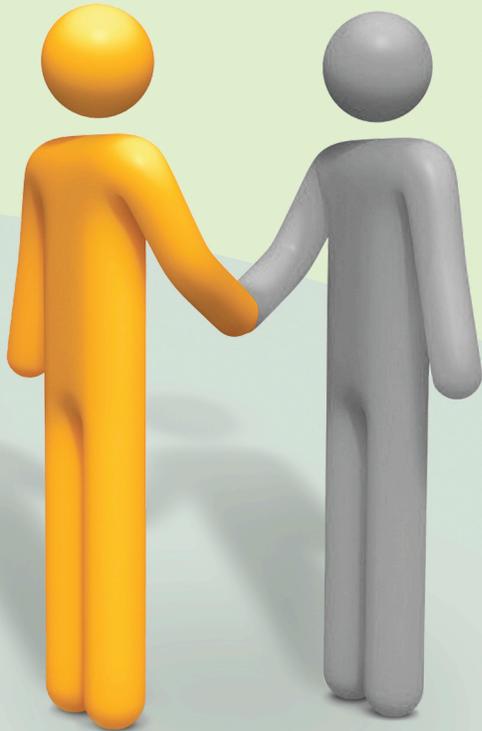
WHAT WILL I LEARN?

Some of the many topics included are:

- **LOVING LISTENING:** Sharpen the skills needed to minister more effectively to others through listening well.
- **ADVICE AND PROBLEM SOLVING:** Learn about the role of advice and practice steps involved in helping others solve problems.
- **CONFRONTING:** Discover biblical guidelines and helpful skills for confronting others and responding effectively when confronted in anger.
- **CONFLICT MANAGEMENT:** Explore biblical ground rules for effective conflict resolution and practice a step-by-step strategy for managing personal conflict and helping others manage conflict.
- **COMMUNITY:** Gain awareness about what destroys community and what attitudes and skills can help to build community.
- **STRESS:** Recognize the impact that stress has on yourself and others and develop a strategy to manage stress well.
- **SUFFERING LOSS:** Process personal loss and grief and identify ways to help others who are grieving or have suffered loss.

And more...

OVERVIEW – SYIS Online Courses...



GROW IN LOVE!

And over all these virtues put on love which binds them all together in perfect unity.

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- Entire SYIS Workshop offered in four Online Courses.
- Course One is the starting place in the sequence and foundational for the other courses. The other three courses may be done in any order following Course One.
- Each Course includes six weeks of interactive online work and then another six weeks of personalized follow-up coaching.
- Courses are led by teams of ITP qualified facilitators.
- SYIS Online Courses are highly interactive. Participants work and practice together in pairs, small groups, and as a whole group. The best methods of adult education are utilized so that maximum learning takes place.
- Course size is limited to no more than eight participants to enhance the interactive learning environment.
- The complete SYIS Online sequence of courses may be completed in one year, or extended over a longer period if desired.
- The price for each online course is \$250 USD if paid separately, or a discounted price of \$800 USD if payment for all four courses in the series is made in advance. (Some partial scholarships may be available.)

SEQUENCE AND CONTENT FOR EACH SYIS ONLINE COURSE

COURSE ONE



What does listening well have to do with loving like Jesus?

SERVING OTHERS THROUGH LISTENING WELL

- Introduction
- Relationship Killers
- Loving Listening
- Drawing People Out
- Helping Others Solve Problems
- Integration

COURSE THREE



How can you turn conflict into growth?

GROWING THROUGH CONFLICT

- Introduction
- Confronting Others Well
- Receiving Confrontation Well
- Managing Personal Conflict
- Helping Others Manage Conflict
- Integration

COURSE TWO



What's it like to experience real community?

BUILDING CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY

- Introduction
- Building Personal Trust
- Living In Community
- Helping Others Grieve Well
- Being An Encourager
- Integration

COURSE FOUR



What to do when stress has you at the end?

BALANCE & LONG-TERM EFFECTIVENESS

- Introduction
- Managing Stress
- Maintaining Margin
- Walking In Moral Purity
- Integration

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