

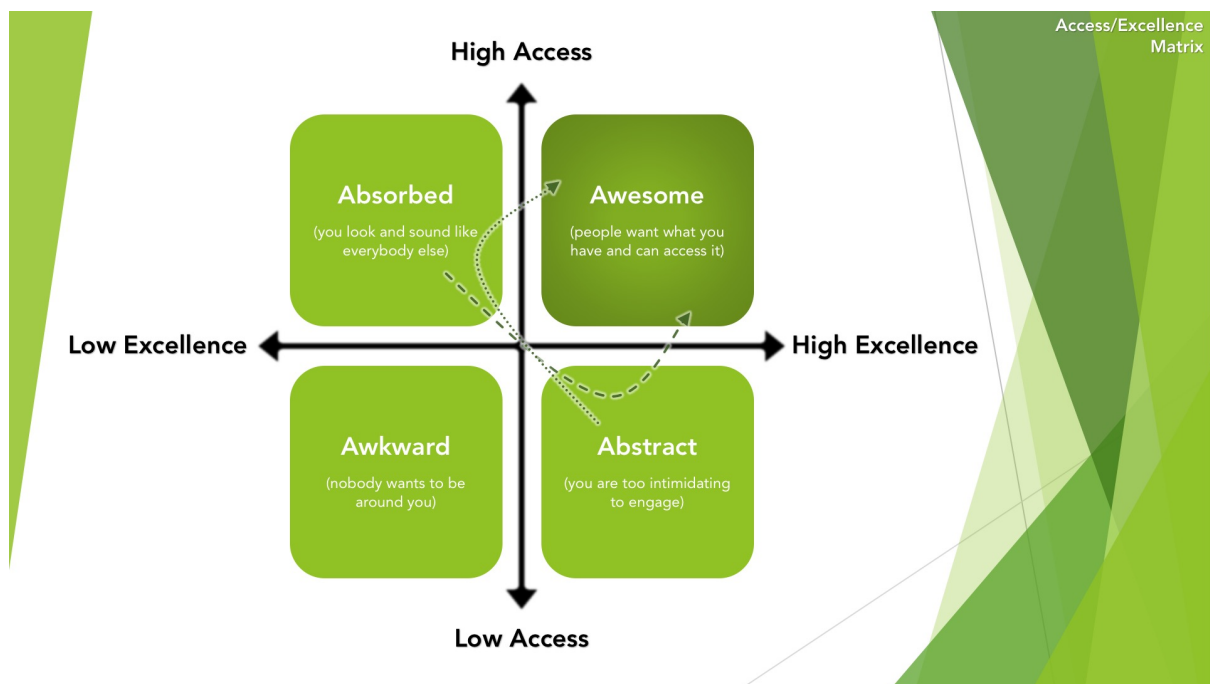
Study Guide – Workplace Mission (Interviews)

INTRODUCTION

There is a movement from chaos to order in every work of God. From the very beginning of creation in Genesis (1:2) we see God bringing order out of chaos (formless and empty, *tohu va vohu*), and likewise, Jesus would teach, heal and restore as declared the Kingdom of God was at hand.

1. So, what do you do, or perhaps better stated, how do you bring “order out of chaos” through your work?

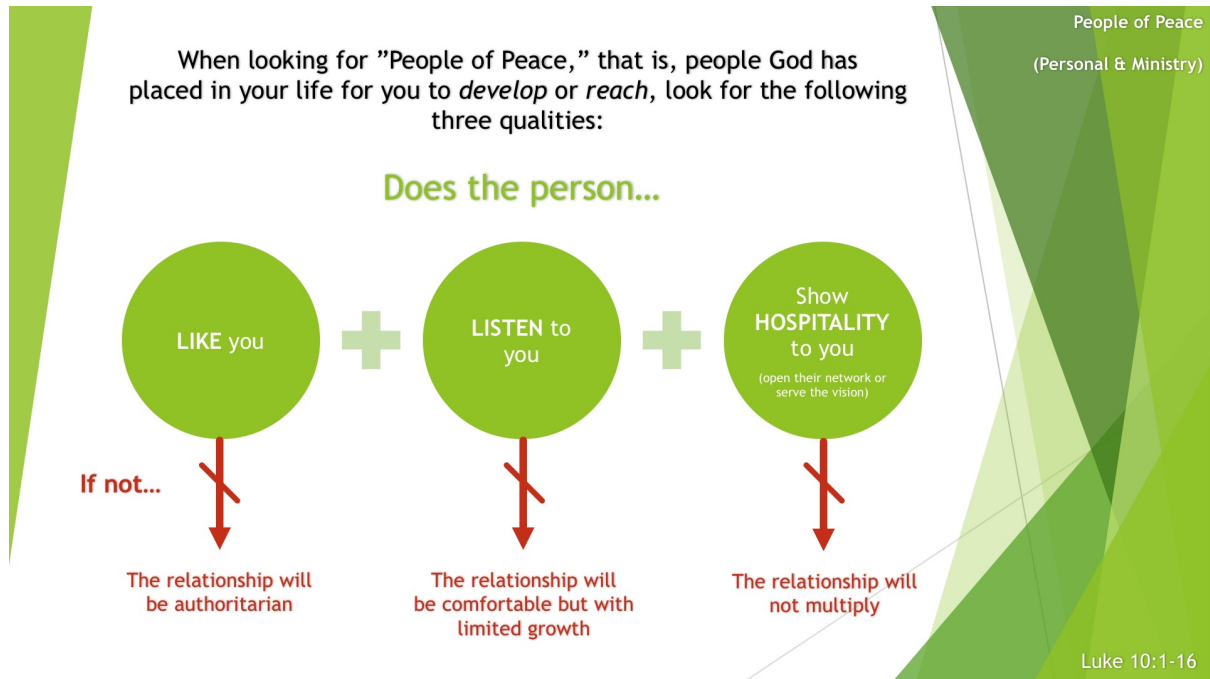
WORK AS WORSHIP



One of the reasons that Jesus was so attractive to people was because he simultaneously demonstrated the qualities of being **highly accessible** (non-discriminatory) but also **high excellence** (in teaching and power).

1. While we ideally shoot for both, which of these two qualities do you generally prioritise and how?
2. What are some specific ways that have been effective in making you distinctive as a Christian within your workplace?
 - a. Has there been a moment of courage that you can share?

MARKETPLACE FOR MISSION



We talk about finding “**People of Peace**” – these are the kind of people Jesus encouraged his disciples to find when he sent them out in Luke 10:1-12. In simple terms, we could describe them as people who: 1) *like you* 2) *listen to you* and 3) *show hospitality to you* (via offering resources or opening up their network)

1. Where in your workplace do you look for and find people of peace?
 - a. Is there a particular story that you can share?
2. What have been some helpful ways that you have found to extend a relationship beyond the workplace?
 - a. Have you had an attempt that has turned out to be unhelpful?