

# PENINSULA CHRISTIAN F E L L O W S H I P

## The Unknown Kingdom Mark 4:26-28

*Do we serve to cause growth?*

*If so, it is **NOT** faith*

*If growth is a condition of service...*

*We are reaching for **what belongs to God***

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***Vs. 26** – “scattered seed on the ground”*

*As in the other stories (like God) he made it **available everywhere...***

*Whether it would grow or not. (Johnny Appleseed)*

***Scatter** the seed of **His Word** freely*

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***Vs. 27** – While he slept*

*God does what only He can do **on His Own***

***HOW** it grows... we have **NO** idea*

*We know He does it **AFTER** we scatter His seed*

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***Vs. 28** – “For the earth yields crops **BY ITSELF**”*

*It **doesn't need our help** with what it does...*

*Only our cooperation.*

*We tend to think too highly of ourselves*

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***I Corinthians 3:5-8***

*Elisha with 12 yoke of Oxen*

*Plowing with dedicated determination **BEFORE** any planting*

***Cultivation is hard work...***

*But makes planting easier.*

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***Hebrews 4:1-11***

*Trust God to do **His part**... no matter how hard our part is.*

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*Plow, Plant & Water...*

*And **rest confident in God** doing His part*

***NEXT:** Promises & Rewards of The Kingdom*