## **ROLE OF A PRAYER MINISTER**

A prayer minster's basic role is to listen, love and pray-Not judge, criticize advise, or counsel.

We are to love people into the kingdom- not point out all their negative behaviors and needed changes they need to make.

A prayer minister is someone who truly is:

- A people helper and people lover, who wants to stop pain and bring wholeness, release, peace-whatever is needed.
- Concerned with people and can focus on others rather than self.
- Confident in their own worth as a person s they do not use the helping relationship for satisfaction of their own unmet needs.
- Dealing with their own issues regularly. In order to be God's vessel, prayer ministers need to be as free from self-centeredness as possible. We cannot be perfect but it is import to be as healed as possible from personal worries, family issues and unforgiveness when ministering to others.