

A water droplet is captured in mid-fall, just above the surface of a dark blue liquid. The droplet is perfectly spherical and has a bright highlight on its upper left side. Below it, the surface of the liquid is disturbed, creating a series of concentric, glowing ripples that spread outwards. The background is a deep, dark blue, and the overall lighting is soft, highlighting the textures of the water and the droplet.

Growing After Baptism

Acts 2:38–42



What do we do after baptism?

Not the end — the beginning

Pentecost — Acts 2

- Jews gathered from many places
- First full proclamation of Jesus
 - Death
 - Resurrection
 - Lord & Christ



“Pierced to the heart”

Acts 2:37

Not interest

Not agreement

Conviction

“What shall we do?”

Acts 2:38

- “Repent”
- “Be baptized”
- “Each of you”



Response — not acknowledgment

What God Gives

- Forgiveness of sins
- Gift of the Holy Spirit

Who it's for:

- You
- Your children
- All who are far off



Be saved from this generation

They were added



Added to a People

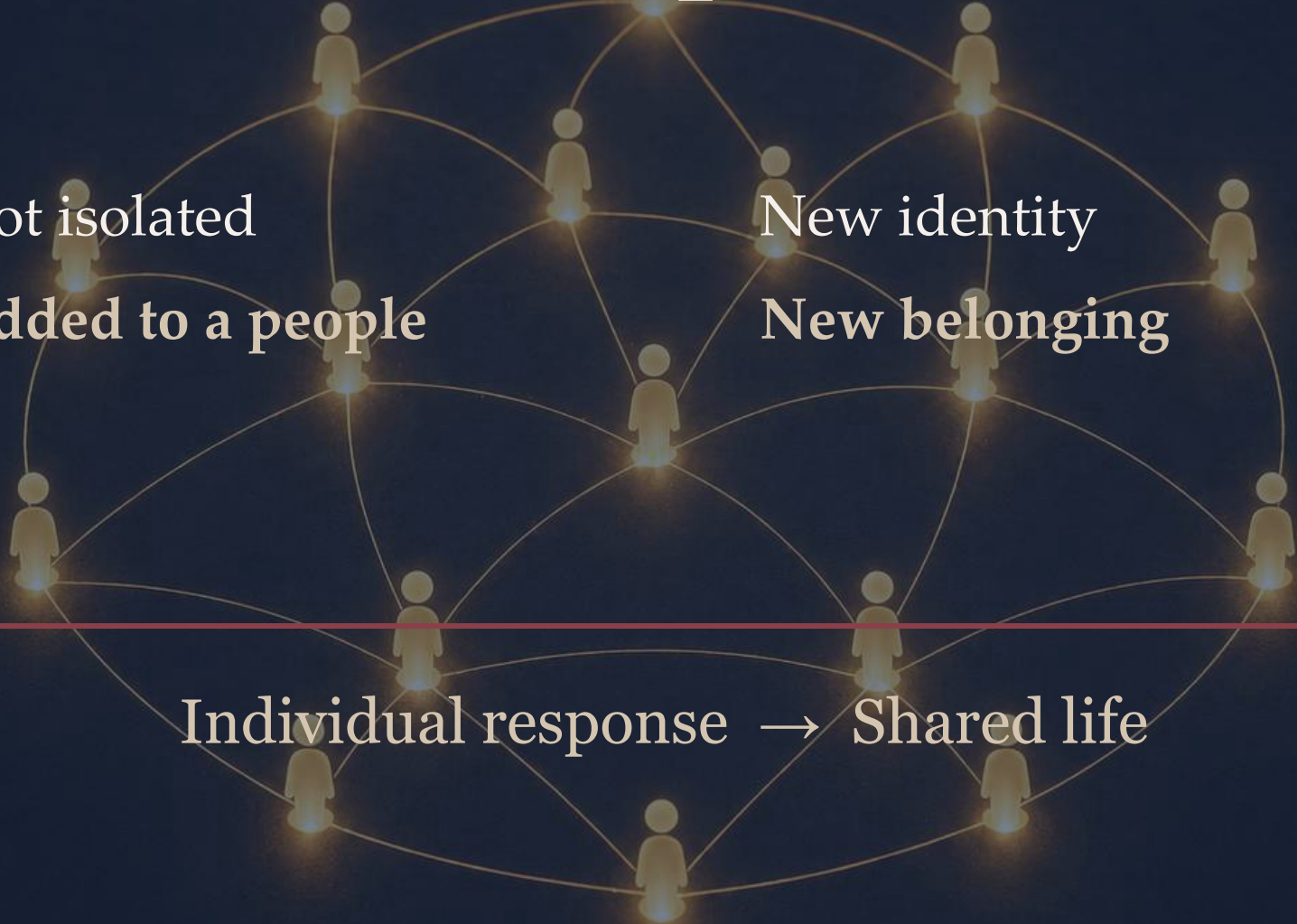
Not isolated

Added to a people

New identity

New belonging

Individual response → Shared life



Acts 2:42

They were continually devoted:

- Teaching
- Fellowship
- Breaking of bread
- Prayer



The Pattern

Convicted → Responded → Added → Devoted

The Question Now:

Have you responded?

Are you growing?