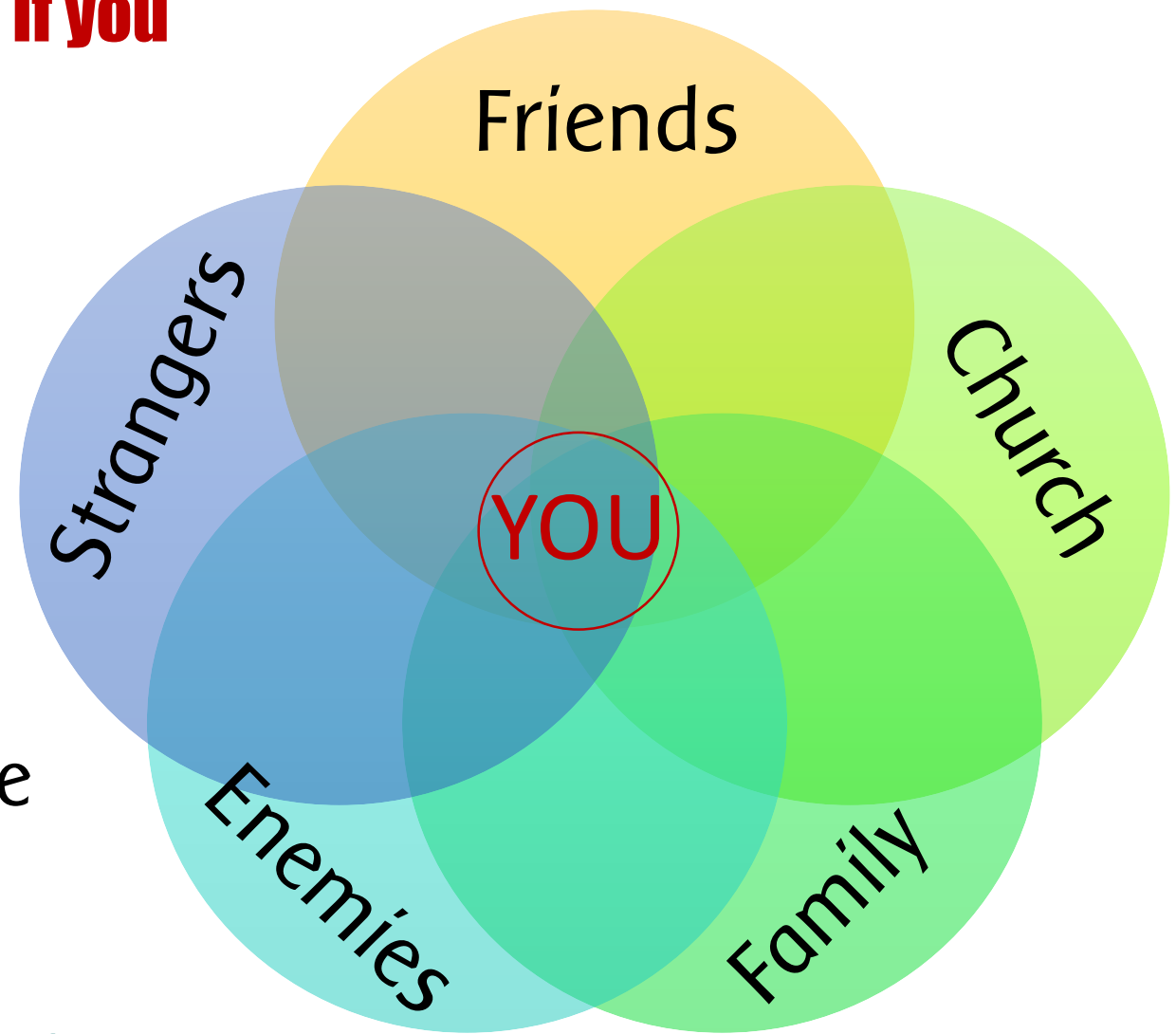


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- Fear of enemies will stop you (Matt 21:23-27)
- Fear of being revealed will make friendships shallow (Pr 27:6)
- Fear of confrontation will keep strangers distant (Matt 10:26-28)
- Keeping everyone happy will make you useless (Gal 2:11-13)
- You will take every disagreement and conflict personally (Acts 28:25f)
- You will be the tragic hero in your own personal tragedy (Matt 6:16-18)

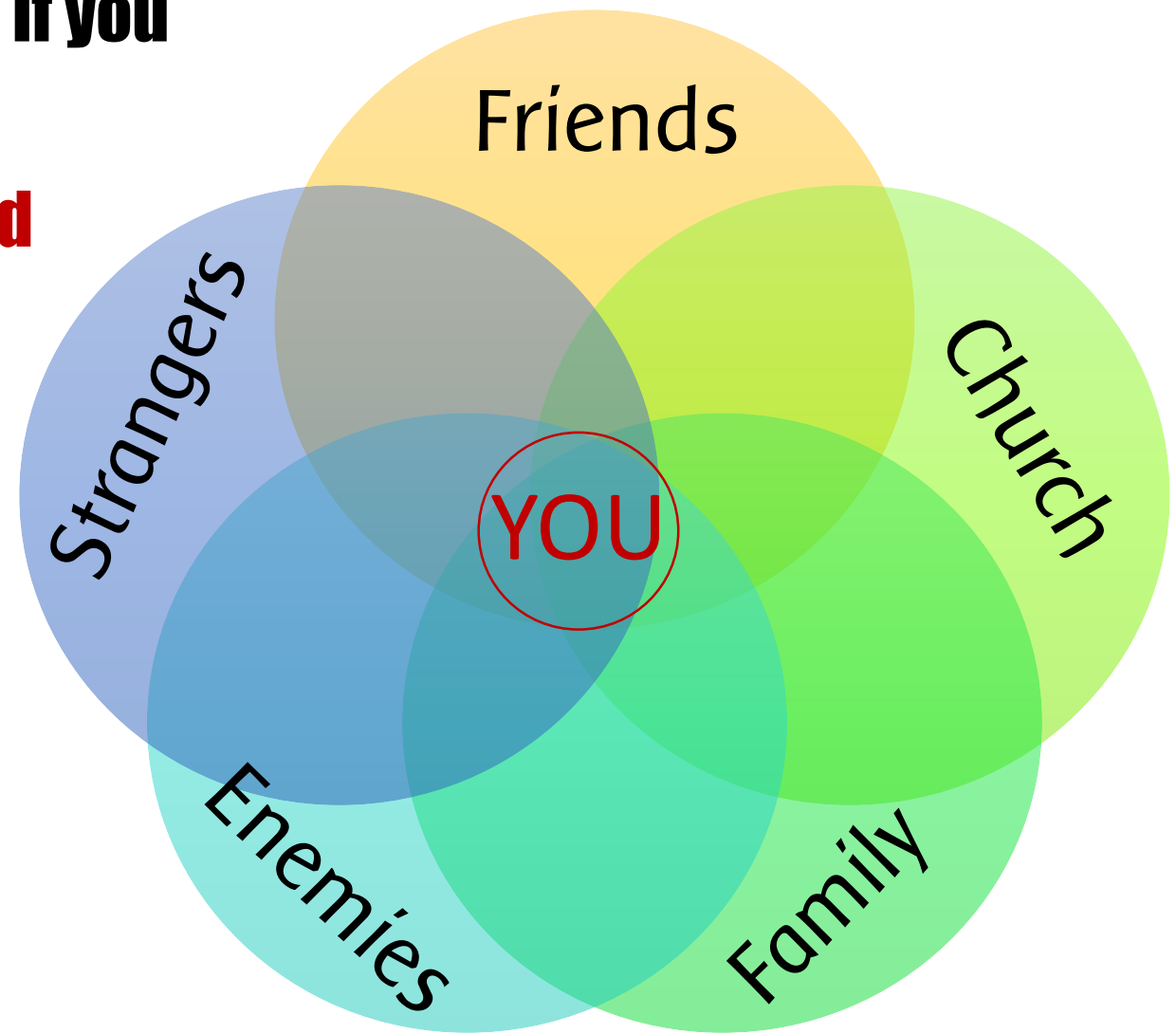


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The makeup of the apostles

- Two sets of brothers
- A tax collector and a Zealot
- Fishermen and a scholar
- Judeans and Galileans
- A Jesus "inner circle"
- And then throw in a traitor, too!



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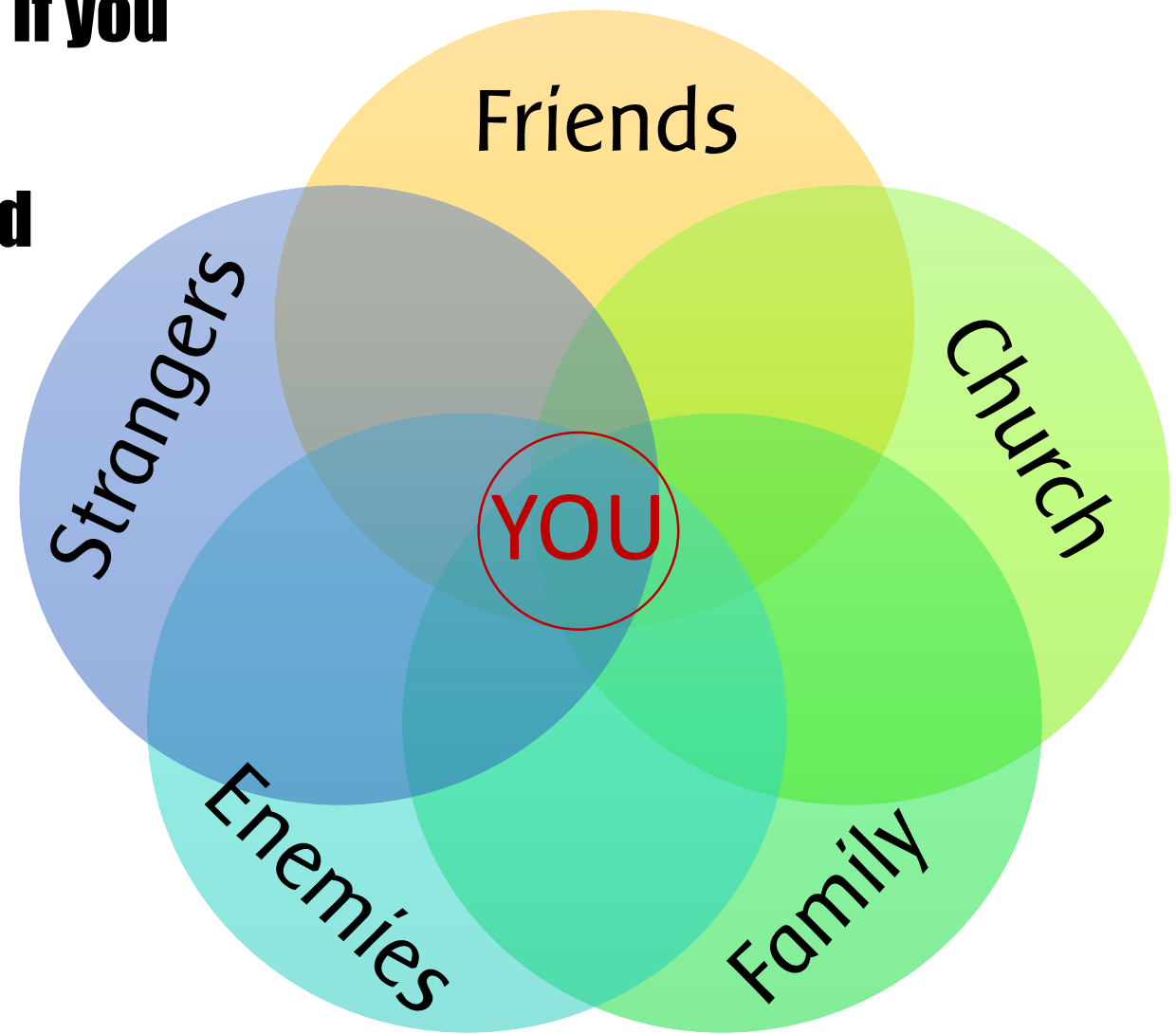
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"shake the dust off from your feet"
(Matt 10:11-14)

"wise as serpents... harmless as doves."
(Matt 10:16)

"if they have called the master of the house Beelzebub..." (Matt 10:24-26)



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#4 Serve God with who you are

For by the grace given to me I say to everyone among you not to think of himself more highly than he ought to think, but to think with sober judgment, each according to the measure of faith that God has assigned. For as in one body we have many members, and the members do not all have the same function, so we, though many, are one body in Christ, and individually members one of another. (Rom 12:3-5)

