

PossABILITY Sunday Skit

Mark: [singing] "I am the church. You are the church. We are the church together."

Grace: Do you mean that?

Mark: Mean what?

Grace: "We are the church together."

Mark: What? It's a song. You know, "I am the church . . ."

Grace: So you don't care about us all being the church together?

Mark: Of course I do. It's great when we can get together at church.

Grace: Really? ALL the people?

Mark: Sure. Everyone – men and women, young and old.

Grace: What about the "differently-abled?"

Mark: What does that mean?

Grace: There are some people who have different abilities. Like I sometimes have a hard time reading because the letters seem mixed up to me. Am I welcome at church?

Mark: Sure. It's okay if you have a hard time reading. We usually say the same responses so you can get along fine in church. We even have large-print bulletins. It's hard for my grandmother to see sometimes and she knows she is welcome at church.

Grace: What about Mr. Simmons. He can't hear very well.

Mark: We have a great sound system to help people hear better. Next?

Grace: Okay. So far so good. My friend Joe has a hard time just getting into the bathroom with his wheelchair. Is he welcome at church?

Mark: Actually our property committee just made sure we have a bathroom that's handicapped accessible.

Grace: Wow. I guess we really ARE the church together.

Mark and Grace: [singing] "All who follow Jesus all around the world – yes we're the church together."