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Why Bother with Assessment?

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Special Guests:

- **Robin & Andy Rogers, *Sustain Hope***
- **Bonnie Johnson, *Jacob's Hope***
- **Dwight and Heather McConnell, CHE, *HealthCare Ministries***

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This is called “Asset-Based Assessment”

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Next Webinar

**Project Evaluation—
Looking Back, Looking Forward**

(follow an actual project evaluation in Ethiopia)

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