



## **What is A Godly Renewed Mind?**

*“And do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind, so that you may prove what the will of God is, that which is good and acceptable and perfect.”* Romans 12:2

### **A Renewed Mind is a Cleansed Mind.**

“If we confess our sins, He is faithful and righteous to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.” 1 John 1:9

“Search me, O God, and know my heart; Try me and know my anxious thoughts; And see if there be any hurtful way in me, And lead me in the everlasting way.” Psalms 139:23-24

“How much more will the blood of Christ.... cleanse your conscience from dead works to serve the living God...” Heb 9:14.

“Draw near to God and He will draw near to you. Cleanse your hands, you sinners; and purify your hearts, you double-minded.” (James 4:8) “Therefore, if anyone cleanses himself from these things, he will be a vessel for honor, sanctified, useful to the Master, prepared for every good work.” (2 Timothy 2:21)

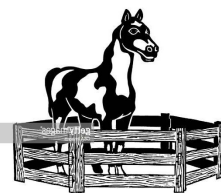
**Suggested Procedure:** Make a time line (i.e.; five year segments) of your life recalling various sins in the respective time segments, confess each sin specifically and then specifically reject the wrong choices, attitudes, false beliefs, guilt and shame that you adopted about God, self, life, morality, etc. from that sin.



### **A Renewed Mind is a Disciplined Corralled Mind.**

“Set your mind on the things above, not on the things that are on earth.” Col 3:2.

“For the weapons of our warfare are not of the flesh, but divinely powerful for the destruction of fortresses. We are destroying speculations and every lofty thing raised up against the knowledge of God ... taking every thought captive to the obedience of Christ...” 2 Corinthians 10:4-5



**Suggestion:** Increase scripture memory and meditation on scripture to learn to focus your thoughts.

### **A Renewed Mind Adopts the Spiritual Vision that Embraces God's Plan and Purpose.**

“He chose us in Him before the foundation of the world...” to “...be holy and blameless before Him. In love He predestined us to adoption as sons... according to the kind intention of His will...” Eph 1:3-6

### **A Renewed Mind has Transformed Core Beliefs About God, Self and Others.**

Christ... “is the image of the invisible God... all things... created through Him and for Him.” Col 1:14-15

“If anyone is in Christ, he is a new creature...old things passed away, new things have come.” 2 Cor 5:17

“Accept one another, just as Christ also accepted us to the glory of God.” Romans 15:7

### **A Renewed Mind Adopts God's Morals and Values for Relationships and Activities.**

“Make my joy complete by being of the same mind, maintaining the same love, united in spirit, intent on one purpose. Do nothing from selfishness or empty conceit, but with humility of mind regard one another as more important than yourselves...” Philippians 2:2-3

### **A Renewed Mind Creatively Generates Godly Focused Content of Thinking.**

“Finally, brethren, whatever is true, whatever is honorable, whatever is right, whatever is pure, whatever is lovely, whatever is of good repute, if there is any excellence and if anything worthy of praise, dwell on these things.” Philippians 4:8.

### **Update: Dominican Republic Be Transformed Biblical Counselor Training.**

Carla and I fly to the Dominican Republic Tuesday March 3 and return Thursday March 26. Already over 270 pastors have registered for the four conferences we have planned. We have begun packing; but we are still preparing a few details for the conferences and additional counseling handouts and materials to reproduce there.

#### **Pray for us:**

- ☞ Safe travel to and from Dominican Republic and while we travel throughout the country for the various conferences. Protection from harm and sickness.
- ☞ Prepare our hearts to be sensitive to the directions of the Holy Spirit and His anointing to teach.
- ☞ Protection for the pastors that Satan will not be able to create roadblocks that prevent attendance.
- ☞ That the pastors will be prepared to receive from God’s word the truths that they will use to teach others and enable their churches to grow in Christ, that pre-conceived religious ideas will not block the truth.

#### **Thank you for your continued prayers and faithful financial support of our ministry!**