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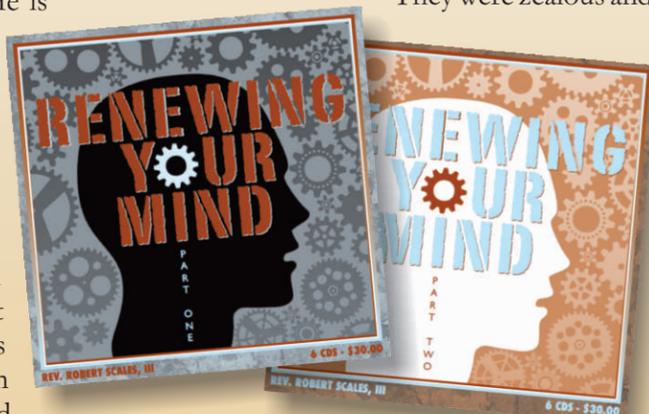
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People in the world are constantly striving towards things that are worthless to God. They live in the vanity of their minds. When you are conformed to the world you live in unbelief towards Jesus; who He is and what He did. Do not be conformed to the vanity in this world!

What is good and perfect and acceptable to God? Jesus Christ. Just because you have accepted Jesus doesn't mean you know everything about Him. In Ephesians Paul was talking to the church in Ephesus, which was pastored

by Timothy. Everyone in church worked in the church and yet Paul still said they had not so learned Christ.

They were zealous and passionate, but had not gone and done what Jesus taught for them to do. You will never renew your mind until you hear the Word of God that was in Christ and apply it to your life. The next time someone does you wrong, forgive them as Christ forgave you. When the Lord tells you to do something, don't ask questions, do it immediately! This is renewing your mind!



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BY PASTOR ROBERT SCALES

The renewing of the mind. This is the most important thing needed in the body of Christ. Not more demonstrations of God's power, not more money, not even more revelation. The greatest need in the Body of Christ is the renewing of the mind. When I first got saved I was incorrectly taught that a person's mind is renewed when he simply reads his Bible. This is not the whole Truth. You gain knowledge when you read the Word. Just reading will not renew your mind.

Renewing your mind is being a doer of the Word. There is no way you will ever get your mind renewed if you don't do what the Word says. How many people do you know that read their Bibles everyday but are still depressed and struggling?

Romans 12:2 states, "And be not conformed to this world: but be ye transformed by the renewing of your mind, that ye may prove what is that good, and acceptable, and perfect, will of God."

In these last days, your mind must be renewed! When you see what is going on in the world and in churches across our nation, you will go crazy if your mind is not renewed to what Jesus taught, said, and did. I want you to know that things are not going to get better in the world. As a matter of fact, things are going to get worse; but in God's kingdom it's going to get better! The glory is going to get brighter. God is going to bless us like we have never been blessed before! The Lord is going to do supernatural things for us like we have never seen before! We are headed for our best days!

This is not the hour to give up or dabble in sin. God wants you to put off the past. He said if you follow Him you will not walk in darkness; but you'll have the light of life! God

is raising up a people that will not be moved by anything they see in this world. Be not conformed to the world. But, you will be conformed to something. And, you will not be transformed in your thinking until you conform yourself to act out what is God's good, perfect and acceptable will.

Being transformed is when you change from one thing to another. The only way to be transformed by the renewing of your mind is by doing the Word."

Ephesians 4:17-24 says, "This I say therefore, and testify in the Lord, that ye henceforth walk not as other Gentiles walk, in the vanity of their mind, Having the understanding darkened, being alienated from the life of God through the ignorance that is in them, because of the blindness of their heart: Who being past feeling have given themselves over unto lasciviousness, to work all uncleanness with greediness. But ye have not so learned Christ; If so be that ye have heard him, and have been taught by him, as the truth is in Jesus: That ye put off concerning the former conversation the old man, which is corrupt according to the deceitful lusts; And be renewed in the spirit of your mind; And that ye put on the new man, which after God is created in righteousness and true holiness."

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MY TESTIMONY

BY DEBORAH THOMPSON

I thank God for Pastor Scales and this message on love. I lived a life of unforgiveness and hurt prior to getting the revelation knowledge that Jesus is absolutely in love with me.

Everyone that I met heard my story of hurt, pain and betrayal. That unforgiveness led to a life of addictions. All the while, I went to a local church every Sunday and still was in bondage. I became an alcoholic and drug addict. It was always about me, and I was never happy. The sad thing is this: there was so much darkness in my life, yet I would have told you that I knew Jesus loved me. When in fact all I had was head knowledge of His love, but His love was not manifesting in my life to bring about a change. I kept hearing that I needed to quit drinking, quit smoking, and quit being miserable; but, no one could tell me how.

I remember meeting Pastor Scales as an Evangelist before the church was started. He laid hands on me and prayed for me. I was set free from crack cocaine and I never went back. But I still was not hooked up and continued to walk in unforgiveness, and I kept bondages. I would call Pastor when I got so wounded from the hurt, go about 6 months just doing better, but never free. I purchased a set of his cassette tapes on the love message. After listening to the tapes I began to get a revelation knowledge of the truth, realizing Jesus was absolutely in love with me and He was not out to get me, but to get His love to me. Glory to God, John 13:34 became alive to me. I went to the cross and saw how I got loved. Jesus took all my sins away and forgave me when I was dead wrong and guilty. He really loved me. In spite of all my mess and "mess-ups," He still loved me. You see, that was one of Satan's biggest tactics against me, convincing me that there was no way Jesus could love me. What a LIE! When I got the truth, I received it, believed it, and instantly forgiveness came in my heart. How could I hold someone else accountable for what they did to me when Jesus forgave me when I was dead wrong and guilty?

Jesus really loves me and everyday I walk in His peace, His love, and His joy. I have been going up in every area since being at Jesus Is the Answer Church. My life is not the same. I am happy everyday. Tests and trials come, but I stay happy because Jesus has overcome them, did something about every one of them, and deprived them of power to harm me. I have been at the church since the fall of 2003 and I have been prospering spiritually, financially and physically ever since. God has taught me faithfulness and holiness! God is teaching me the importance of submission and how to effectively minister to women. When I stand and minister to ladies at the Correctional Developmental Center, I feel so grateful that God chose to use me. It is absolutely amazing what Jesus has been doing in my life! I walk with Him, and He walks with me. I am one hundred percent sold out! 🙏



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