RENEWING YOUR MIND

Romans 12:1-2

THEREFORE

¹Therefore, I urge you, brothers,....

"For from him and through him and to him are all things. To him be the glory forever! Amen." Romans 11:36 AMEN!

HEAVEN!

Do we sit and wait until we are called to heaven? Does it matter what we do since we are already saved?

¹ Therefore, I urge you, brothers, in view of God's mercy, to offer your bodies as living sacrifices ...

Busy Living?

Do we get back into the business of following rules and getting things done?

Experiential Living?

Or do we promote authentic relationship with God and doing things from the heart?

HOLY LIVING

1to offer your bodies as living sacrifices, holy and pleasing to God – this is your spiritual act of worship.

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TRANSFORMATION

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CHARACTER

Adam-likeness



Christ-likeness

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"In those days, <u>John the Baptist</u> came...saying, 'Repent, for the kingdom of heaven is near." Matt 3:1-2

"From that time on, <u>Jesus</u> began to preach '<u>Repent</u>, for the kingdom of heaven is near." Matt 4:17

REPENTANCE 'METANOIA'

'CHANGE OF MIND'

Spirit

MINDSETS

Flesh

"Those who live according to the sinful nature have their minds set on what the nature desires; but those who live in accordance with the Spirit have their minds set on what the Spirit desires." Romans 8:5

"...we take captive every thought to make it obedient to Christ." 2 Cor 10:5

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HAVE YOU LOST YOUR MIND?

"But we have the mind of Christ." 1 Cor 2:16b

"Therefore, prepare your minds for action..." 1 Peter 1:13

AFFECTION "And this is my prayer: that your love may abound more and more in knowledge and depth of insight...." Phil 1:9

BE INTENTIONAL!

"Set your minds on things above, not on earthly things." Col 3:2

WORD PRAYER

²....Then you will be able to test and approve what <u>God's will</u>is – His good, pleasing and perfect will.

LOVE GOD....WITH ALL YOUR MIND

Matt 22:37