

CHANGING YOUR COURSE - Part 2

(The Renewal Process)

THE PROCESS OF RENEWING OUR MINDS

- Notice thoughts
 1. God's Word acts as a filter (***Psalms 119:130 NKJV***)
- Name the thoughts
 1. Name it to change it
 2. Run thoughts through the Philippians checklist (***Philippians 4:8 NLT***)
- Reframe the thoughts
 1. Taking thoughts and reframing / replace them with scripture
 2. Reframe by capturing thoughts (***2 Corinthians 10:3-5 CSB***)
- Contain outside factors
 1. Environment plays a large role in our thoughts
 2. Lot was oppressed and tormented (***2 Peter 2:7-8 NKJV***)
 3. Be intentional about countering the negatives (***Psalms 1:1-3 NKJV***)

A NEW TESTAMENT MIND RENEWAL EXAMPLE

- The thought stronghold: Salvation was only for the Jews
 1. God gave Peter a vision to counter that prevailing thought (***Acts 10:10-16 NKJV***)
 2. God's message was to not call anything He cleansed common / unclean
- Peter's new thought challenged (***Acts 10:25-28 NKJV***)
 1. Old thinking: not lawful to go inside a Gentile's home
 2. Peter's renewed thought - not to call any man unclean
 3. Peter preached Jesus to them
- Mind renewal comes to the all Jewish church
 1. Peter defends going to the Gentiles (***Acts 11:15-18 NKJV***)
 2. The church realizes that salvation belongs to everyone