

## Pleasing God Part 2

### Renewing Your Mind

#### Review of Part 1.

Rev 4:11 ....thou hast created all things, for thy pleasure they are and were created.

Heb 11:6 But without faith it is impossible to please God: for he that cometh to God must believe that he is, and that he is a rewarder of them that diligently seek him.

Ps 35:27 God has pleasure in the prosperity of his servant.

#### Foundation Scriptures.

Rom 12:1 .... ye present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable unto God,  
v2 ... be ye transformed by the renewing of your mind ....

Prov 22:4 By humility and the fear of the Lord are riches, and honour, and life.

#### A. Prospering in all things.

1. 3 John:2 Beloved, I wish above all things that thou mayest prosper and be in health, even as thy soul prospers.

2. God's Order of Prospering: Soul, health, finances.

3. Soul prospers through growing in the FOS.

Health prospers through speaking the WOG, living in the FOS and cleansing.

Financial prosperity comes through serving God and by obedience to His Word (including tithes and offerings) and investing/working under God's directions.

4. Mal 3:8 Will a man rob God? Yet ye have robbed me. But ye say, Wherein, have we robbed thee? In tithes and offerings.

#### How important is giving?

Matt 25:31-46 Sheep and goats at the return of King Jesus.

v40 And the King shall answer and say unto them, Verily I say unto you,

Inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least of these my brethren, ye have done it unto me.

#### B. Fruit of the Spirit (FOS).

1. Gal 5:22 But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, longsuffering, gentleness, goodness, faith, v23 Meekness, temperance: against such there is no law.

24 And they that are Christ's have crucified the flesh with the affections and lusts. v25 If we live in the Spirit, let us also walk in the Spirit.

2. The best measurement of the prosperity of the soul is manifestation of the Fruit of the Spirit.

3. 1 Cor 2:16 .... but we have the mind of Christ.

4. 2 Cor 10:3 For though we walk in the flesh, we do not war after the flesh:

V4 (For the weapons of our warfare are not carnal, but mighty through God to the pulling down of strong holds;)

v5 Casting down imaginations, and every high thing that exalteth itself against the knowledge of God, and bringing into captivity every thought to the obedience of Christ;

### C. Living under Grace.

1. 2 Cor 9:8 And God is able to make **all** grace abound toward you; that ye, always (at **all** times) having **all** sufficiency in all things, may abound to every (**all**) good work(s):
2. Eph 2: 8 For by grace are ye saved through faith; and that not of yourselves: it is the gift of God:
3. Malachi 3:8-11 You are saved by grace from lack and poverty through acting in faith on the tithing and offering scriptures. **Note:** Mal 3:6 states that God does not change.
4. The Lifestyle Covenant Matrix (LCM) helps you to stay under grace by living in faith: e.g., If you are not giving offerings, then a matrix item could be to give \$1; then every month (or week), you could increase it by a dollar.