

PREPARING TO MEET GOD

“Spiritually Purposeful Living”

“And we know that all things work together for good to them that love God, to them who are the called according to His purpose.” Romans 8:28

THESIS: *Spiritually Purposeful Living includes seeking first, pursuing daily, looking for from the beginning the Purpose(s) of God in your Life.*

INTRODUCTION: *Nothing can prevent The Purpose of God for those “who are the called according to His purpose.” The Primary Purpose of God is your Salvation through Christ Jesus: earthly salvation and eternal salvation (John 3:17; Luke 9:56; John 3:16; Acts 4:12; 2 Thess. 2:13–14). “HIS PURPOSE” is the setting forth of HIS DELIBERATE INTENTION IN ETERNITY AND IN TIME for those who Love HIM (Mat. 22:37–39; 25:40).*

BODY: *If Spiritually Purposeful Living is to have significant meaning in the Life of the Child of God, it is imperative for the foundation to be inclusive of several, essential Spiritual Items.*

I Love (1 John 4:7–12; John 15:12)

- A. Attitude (Prov. 23:7; Phil. 4:8)***
- B. Actions (Luke 6:20-45; Prov.3:27)***
- C. Aspirations (Job 19:25-27; Jam. 4:7-17)***

II Obedience (John 14:21)

- A. Surrender (Isa. 55:6–13)***
- B. Submit (Jam. 4:7; 1Pet. 5:6–9)***
- C. Serve (Joshua 24:14-21)***

III Victory (Rom. 8:35–39; 1 John 5:4; 1 Cor. 15:54, 55, 57)

Triumph; Conquer; Overcome; Prevail

- A. Over Sin (Rom. 5:1-21; 1 Pet. 2:21-25)***
- B. Over Struggles (Phil. 4:11-13; 1 Cor. 10:11-13)***
- C. Over Suffering(s) (2 Tim. 3:10-13; 2 Tim. 2:3-12)***

IV Being Filled Regularly With The Holy Spirit

(Eph. 5:8; Rom. 10:1-3; Rom. 12:1-2)

- A. Filled with The Holy Spirit (Acts 9:17)***
- B. Full of The Holy Spirit (Acts 6:3)***
- C. Fashioned by The Holy Spirit (John 14:26)***

