

OVERCOMING INSECURITY JEALOUSY & ENVY

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**Our greatest need as people is
to be loved.**

**Our greatest fear as people
is to be rejected.**

When rejection controls us, it will effect 3 major areas of our life:

- 1. How we make decisions**
- 2. How we treat people**
- 3. How we walk out God's plan for our lives**

4 negative ways we react to rejection

#1 - We avoid the risk of rejection.

- We control the relationship**
- We keep people at bay**
- We close our hearts**
- We build walls**
- We won't commit**
- We conform to other's standards**

#2- Anger/Aggression

- You control people
- You manipulate people
- You tease/pick at people
- You lash out/blow up on people

#3-Hopelessness

- You give up
- Depression
- Fear
- Suicide

#4-Co-dependent on people

- You are people pleasing
- You draw people to you
- You are easily offended
- You become a compromiser

How do we overcome rejection?

#1. Look to God's Word

James 1:23-24

#2. Receive God's Love

1 John 4:18

#3. Give out God's Love

1 Corinthians 13: 1-3

1 Corinthians 13: 4-8