

CHANGING YOU SO YOU CAN CHANGE YOUR WORLD

Change Your World: Part 2

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JESUS: "I'm here inviting outsiders, not insiders—an invitation to a changed life, changed inside and out." (Luke 5:32, The Message)

TWO TRUTHS ABOUT REAL CHANGE

1. GOD CHANGES MY HEART.

"The LORD your God will change your heart...so that you will love him with all your heart and soul and so you may live!" (Deuteronomy 30:6, NLT)

BAPTISM

2. I MUST CHANGE MY HABITS.

"You were told that your foolish desires will destroy you and that you must give up your old way of life with all its bad habits." (Ephesians 4:22, CEV)

"They promise them freedom while they themselves are slaves of destructive habits—for a person is a slave of anything that has conquered him." (2 Peter 2:19, GNB)

"If you do live [according to the sinful nature], you are doomed to die; but if by the Spirit you put to death the habits originating in the body, you will have life." (Romans 8:13, NJB)

WHAT ARE THE H.A.B.I.T.S. OF A WORLD-CHANGER?

H ANGING out with spiritual influencers.

"Don't make friends with people who have hot, violent tempers. You might learn their habits and not be able to change." (Proverbs 22:24–25, GNB)

"Do not be fooled: "Bad friends will ruin good habits." (1 Corinthians 15:33, NCV)

A TENDING weekly worship.

"According to his usual habit Paul went to the synagogue." (Acts 17:2a, GNB)

“...make praise your habit.” (Psalm 64:10, The Message)

“Some people have gotten out of the habit of meeting for worship, but we must not do that...” (Hebrews 10:25, CEV)

BEING in God’s Word daily.

“Do not conform to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind.” (Romans 12:2a, NIV)

INVESTING in others through SHAPE-based ministry.

“God has given each of you a gift from his great variety of spiritual gifts. Use them well to serve one another.” (1 Peter 4:10, NLT)

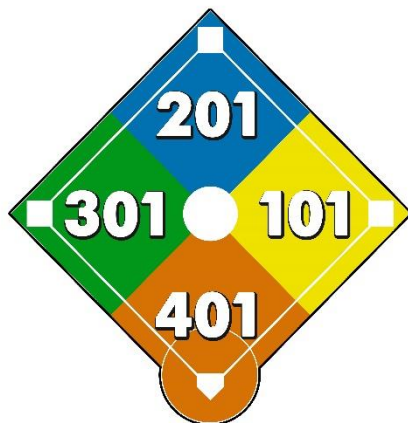
TAKING the Good News to the whole world!

“Again he said, “PEACE be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I am sending you.” (John 20:21, NLT)

STICKING with it!

“...There should be a consistency that runs through us all.” (Hebrews 13:7, The Message)

**ACTION STEP
SUPER CLASS TODAY!**



CLASS 101 – Introduction to Membership

CLASS 201 – Introduction to Discipleship

CLASS 301 – Introduction to Stewardship

CLASS 401 – Introduction to Partnership

LAST THOUGHT

You can’t change the world around you until you’ve changed the world **INSIDE YOU.**