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Walking: Fellowship of the Burning Hearts



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Our goal today is to be enlightened and inspired so that we engage in an intentional "seated with Christ" lifestyle that is committed to leaving a legacy through relationships.

"4 Even before he made the world, God loved us and chose us in Christ to be holy and without fault in His eyes. 5 God decided in advance to adopt us into his own family by bringing us to himself through Jesus Christ. This is what he wanted to do, and it gave him great pleasure. 6 For he raised us from the dead along with Christ and seated us with him in the heavenly realms because we are united with Christ Jesus.

7 So God can point to us in all future ages as examples of the incredible wealth of his grace and kindness toward us, as shown in all he has done for us who are united with Christ Jesus. Therefore, I implore you to walk in a manner worthy of the calling with which you have been called.... Put on all of God's armor so that you will be able to stand firm against all strategies of the devil."

Ephesians 1:4-5, 2:6-7 (NLT), 4:1 (NASB), 6:11(NLT)

Your calling relates to a lifestyle that permits you to do certain things in certain areas that God has called you to.

There is a lifestyle in the spirit that has been set aside for you, and there are gifts and an anointing that God wants to bestow upon you, so that you can do the best job possible in partnership with Jesus.

Leadership and Legacy is a Biblical Idea

- * Genesis Narrative (Genesis 1:16, 26-28, 2:19-20)
- * Moses & Joshua (Numbers 27:18)
- * Nehemiah and Rebuilding the Wall around Jerusalem.
- * Jesus (Mark 1:17)
- * Early Church Fathers (Acts 6:3)
- * Apostle Paul (Romans 12:8, Acts 16:2, 1 & 2 Timothy, Titus)

At Gateway, what is leadership?

The development of culture and people through relationships with integrity.



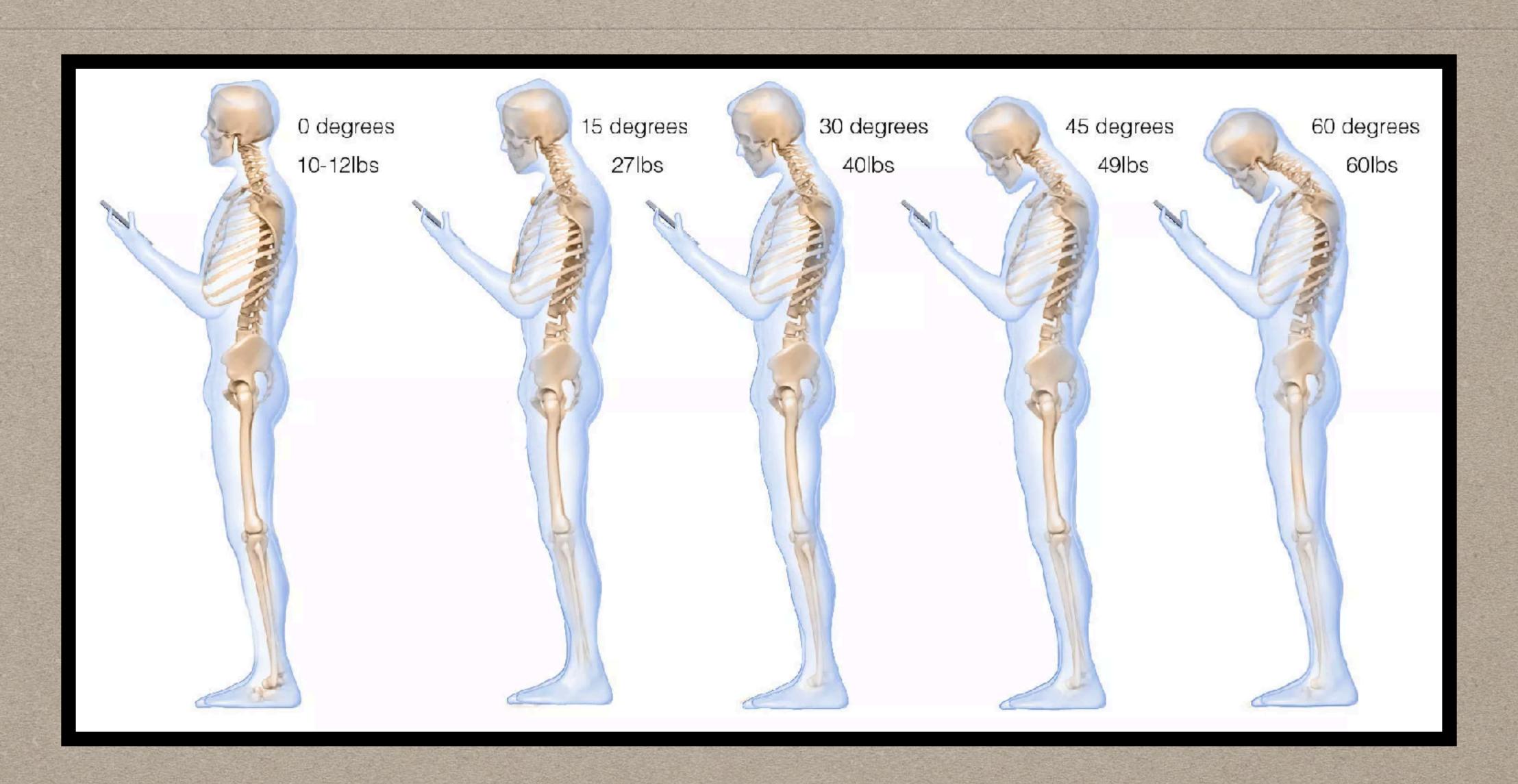
5 Areas of Legacy:

- 1. Our Legacy Why
- 2. Our Legacy Tests
- 3. Our Legacy Heart
- 4. Our Legacy Principles
- 5. Our Legacy Pathway

Deuteronomy 29:29
Proverbs 13:22

Legacy Why

Why do we need a why? Where do we find our why?



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True success is measured by succession.

How are we giving our lives away for the betterment of others?

Application:

- 1. Pick up a devotional.
- 2. Join a small group.
- 3. Identify your need for discipleship or if you would like to disciple someone.
- 4. Do the "Believe in Others" assignment.