



REDEMPTION
CITY CHURCH

ROMANS "It's later than you think it is."

Romans 13:11-14



Sticky Statement:

**WHAT IF THE GREATEST HINDERANCE TO LIVING THE LIFE
YOU REALLY WANT, IS THE LIFE YOUR CURRENTLY LIVING?**

Are you spiritually snoozed?

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3 Steps to becoming Spiritually Awakened:

1. IT'S TIME TO _____ UP. V11

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Kronos: "hours on a clock."

Kairos: "moments in time, seasons of time."

There are 3 aspects of salvation: "I have been saved" = Justification. "I am being saved" = sanctification. "The future hope of my salvation when I die" = glorification.

Notes: _____

2. IT'S TIME TO COME _____. V12-13

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⁸ For you were once darkness, but now you are light in the Lord. Live as children of light... ¹⁰ and find out what pleases the Lord. ¹¹ Have nothing to do with the fruitless deeds of darkness, but rather expose them.... ¹⁴ This is why it is said: "Wake up, sleeper, rise from the dead, and Christ will shine on you." ¹⁵ Be very careful, then, how you live—not as unwise but as wise, ¹⁶ making the most of every opportunity, because the days are evil. ¹⁷ Therefore do not be foolish, but understand what the Lord's will is. ¹⁸ Do not get drunk on wine, which leads to debauchery. Instead, be filled with the Spirit," Eph. 5:8-14

3. IT'S TIME TO _____ FOR JESUS. V14

You are the most dangerous person in your life.

Notes: _____

**Get rid of the stuff that doesn't matter,
so you can pursue the things that matter most.**

DO THE WORD: Make a Plan.

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- What mindsets do you need to put off & put on?
- What temptations do you need to put off? What scripture do you need to put on?
- What sins do you need to put off and what obedience do you need to put on?

**It's later than you think it is ... now is the time to live,
share, give and love like Jesus.**

**Who in your life do you need to share Jesus with?
Who in your life do you need to pray for God to break the chains and
darkness of sin that seems to be holding them back?**