

RENEWING THE MIND ABOUT OTHERS & LIFE
RECOGNIZING WRONG THINKING AND IMPLEMENTING CORRECT THINKING

“BE TRANSFORMED BY THE RENEWING OF YOUR MIND.” ROMANS 12:2

DISTORTED THINKING ABOUT THE LIFE

- I CAN LIVE LIFE HOWEVER I CHOOSE.
- NO ONE IS TRUSTWORTHY
- PEOPLE WILL ALWAYS LEAVE
- I MUST MEET CERTAIN STANDARDS IN ORDER TO BE OKAY
- PEOPLE WILL CONTROL ME
- PEOPLE DON'T REALLY CARE
- IF I DO IT RIGHT, BAD THINGS WON'T HAPPEN
- AS A CHRISTIAN, I SHOULD HAVE A HAPPY LIFE
- I AM IN CONTROL OF MY OWN LIFE.
- MY CIRCUMSTANCES DETERMINE HAPPINESS OR UNHAPPINESS.

CORRECT THINKING ABOUT THE LIFE

- I WILL REAP WHAT I SOW. THERE ARE CONSEQUENCES FOR MY CHOICES. GALATIANS 6:7,8.
- MANY ARE TRUSTWORTHY. THE LORD IS ALWAYS TRUSTWORTHY. PROVERBS 3:5,6.
- SOME PEOPLE WILL LEAVE. THE LORD WILL NEVER LEAVE. MATTHEW 13:5b-6.
- EPHESIANS 2:8-10.
- SOME PEOPLE DO TRY TO CONTROL
- SOME PEOPLE DO CARE
- BAD THINGS DO HAPPEN TO GOOD PEOPLE. JAMES 1:2-4.
- GOD NEVER PROMISED HAPPINESS BUT HE DID PROMISE JOY AND PEACE WHEN IN RIGHT RELATIONSHIP WITH HIM. JOHN 16:33.
- GOD IS IN CONTROL. PROVERBS 16:9. .
- IF I BELIEVE GOD IS IN THE CIRCUMSTANCES OF MY LIFE AND HE IS GOOD, I CAN ACCEPT WITH TRUST AND CONFIDENCE THAT HE IS AT WORK FOR MY GOOD. GENESIS 37 & 39-45. ROMANS 8:28,29. PHILLIPPIANS 4:11.

Check off those statements you believe about life and others. When you discover the lies, go to God and renounce them. Seek out the truth on the right side and assimilate the truth into your life. Use Scripture wherever possible.

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