

We live our lives based on 4 things...

1. The way we were \_\_\_\_\_!
2. The \_\_\_\_\_ we've been placed in!
3. The \_\_\_\_\_ we've watched!
4. The \_\_\_\_\_ we've read!

*(Romans 8: 5-7 NLT) Those who are dominated by the sinful nature think about sinful things, but those who are controlled by the Holy Spirit think about things that please the Spirit. 6 So letting your sinful nature control your mind leads to death. But letting the Spirit control your mind leads to life and peace. 7 For the sinful nature is always hostile to God. It never did obey God's laws, and it never will.*

## Understanding God's Word about YOU!

1. God is looking for a \_\_\_\_\_!

*(Romans 12:2) And do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind, that you may prove what is that good and acceptable and perfect will of God.*

*(Psalm 119:130) The entrance of Your words gives light; It gives understanding to the simple.*

2. *Life is all about* \_\_\_\_\_!

*(Deuteronomy 30:19-20) This day I call the heavens and the earth as witnesses against you that I have set before you life and death, blessings and curses. Now choose life, so that you and your children may live 20 and that you may love the LORD your God, listen to his voice, and hold fast to him. For the LORD is your life.*

3. God's word will keep you out of \_\_\_\_\_!

*(Psalm 119:11 & 16) I have hidden your **word** in my heart that I might not sin against you. 16 I delight in your decrees; I will not neglect your **word**.*

4. Dig a Deep \_\_\_\_\_!

*(Isaiah 12:3) With joy you will draw water from the wells of salvation.*

*(Proverbs 4 20-23) My child, pay attention to what I say. Listen carefully to my **words**. 21 Don't lose sight of them. Let them penetrate **deep into your heart**. 22 for they bring life to those who find them, and healing to their whole body. 23 Guard your heart above all else, for it determines the course of your life.*

5. God's word will help you overcome \_\_\_\_\_!

*(1 Corinthians 10:13) No temptation has overtaken you except such as is common to man; but God is faithful, who will not allow you to be tempted beyond what you are able, but with the temptation will also make the way of escape, that you may be able to bear it.*

6. Jesus is our \_\_\_\_\_!

*(Matthew 4:1-11) Then Jesus was led by the Spirit into the wilderness to be tempted by the devil. 2 After fasting forty days and forty nights, he was hungry. 3 The tempter came to him and said, "If you are the Son of God, tell these stones to become bread." 4 Jesus answered, "It is written: 'Man shall not live on bread alone, but on every word that comes from the mouth of God.' 5 Then the devil took him to the holy city and had him stand on the highest point of the temple. 6 "If you are the Son of God," he said, "throw yourself down. For it is written: "He will command his angels concerning you, and they will lift you up in their hands, so that you will not strike your foot against a stone. 7 Jesus answered him, "It is also written: 'Do not put the Lord your God to the test. 8 Again, the devil took him to a very high mountain and showed him all the kingdoms of the world and their splendor. 9 "All this I will give you," he said, "if you will bow down and worship me." 10 Jesus said to him, "Away from me, Satan! For it is written: 'Worship the Lord your God, and serve him only. 11 Then the devil left him, and angels came and attended him.*

7. The \_\_\_\_\_ word has \_\_\_\_\_ to deliver!

*(Mark 11:23) "Truly I tell you, if anyone says to this mountain, 'Go, throw yourself into the sea,' and does not doubt in their heart but believes that what they say will happen, it will be done for them.*