Renewing Your Mind #1 — HEDONISM & MATERIALISM

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Colossians 2:8

See to it that no one takes you captive through hollow and deceptive philosophy, which depends on human tradition and the basic principles of this world rather than on Christ.

Romans 12:2

Do not conform any longer to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind. Then you will be able to test and approve what God's will is--his good, pleasing and perfect will.

2 Corinthians 10:4-5

The weapons we fight with are not the weapons of the world. On the contrary, they have divine power to demolish strongholds. [5] We demolish arguments and every pretension that sets itself up against the knowledge of God, and we take captive every thought to make it obedient to Christ.

Luke 12:16-21

And he told them this parable: "The ground of a certain rich man produced a good crop. He thought to himself, 'What shall I do? I have no place to store my crops.'

"Then he said, 'This is what I'll do. I will tear down my barns and build bigger ones, and there I will store all my grain and my goods. And I'll say to myself, "You have plenty of good things laid up for many years. Take life easy; eat, drink and be merry."

"But God said to him, 'You fool! This very night your life will be demanded from you. Then who will get what you have prepared for yourself?'

"This is how it will be with anyone who stores up things for himself but is not rich toward God."

1. The P_____ of the Mind Transcends our limitations

Romans 12:2; 2 Cor. 10:4-5; Proverbs 23:7a; Romans 1:28; Matthew 22:37

2. The P_____ of the World Transgresses God's Law

Romans 8:6-7; Col 2:8; 1 Cor. 10:4-5; 2 Timothy 3:4; Matthew 16:24; Philip. 3:19; John 17:14; 1 Tim. 6:5

3. The P of the Word Transforms our mind

Romans 12:2; Philippians 4:8; 2 Timothy 3:15-17; Hebrews 4:12