

REDEMPTION CHURCH OF CHRIST OF THE APOSTOLIC FAITH



If a man therefore purge himself from these, he shall be a vessel unto honour, sanctified, and meet for the master's use, and prepared unto every good work (2 Timothy 2:21).

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Thank you for visiting us today at Redemption Church of Christ! We pray you will enjoy the service. We know that there are no mistakes with God.

Ask Him for guidance in your life, and allow Him to speak to you this morning through the Word of God.

*If you have any questions, feel free to ask!
Elder and Sis. Massey*

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Destruction from Within

by Elder John Massey, Jr.

We are our biggest enemy. We must learn to manage ourselves. This requires discipline and self-control. We must change and learn to think beyond. To change how you feel, you must change how you think.

We must filter what enters into our minds. Do not allow your minds to become beleaguered or a cesspool. This can become a snare. Remember: all things work together for good. Joseph realized the enemy meant his situation for evil, but that God meant it for good. Acquire God's perspective.

When our thinking is distorted, we will make bad decisions. Our destruction will come from within. Instead, compartmentalize and become a faith thinker. "Finally, brethren, whatsoever things are true, whatsoever things are honest, whatsoever things are just, whatsoever things are pure, whatsoever things are lovely, whatsoever things are of good report; if there be any virtue, and if there be any praise, think on these things" (Philippians 4:8).

Wisdom is the principle of life. We will not reach our potential unless we acquire it. Wisdom is the best use of knowledge, experience, and understanding, to obtain the best results at the best time using the best methods.

Below are four guidelines we can use to keep from self-destruction:

- 1. Make the right godly decisions.** Our decisions lack qualified confirmation by someone spiritual.
- 2. Identify the spiritual significance to our decisions.** God is first, others second, yourself last. "that ye might be filled with the knowledge of his will in all wisdom and spiritual understanding" (Colossians 1:9).
- 3. Timing factors.** Something responsible for producing a

desired result. Being at the right place at the right time.

4. Prayer and perseverance. “Praying always with all prayer and supplication in the Spirit, and watching thereunto with all perseverance and supplication for all saints” (Ephesians 6:18). If we neglect cultivating the mind, the devil will exploit it. (See Mark 7:21-23; Luke 12:13-15; Matthew 5:27-28; Mark 9:33-34; and Galatians 5:19-21.)

When we feel God will not do it or God will refuse to do it, then we try to do things our way.

Our greatest enemy is not the devil, but destruction from within that defiles a man. Our choice of a situation makes us victims or victors!



Join us for Women of Faith
on Mondays!



End Time Conferences on
Friday evenings!

Schedule of Services

Sunday School 10:30 a.m.

Sunday Worship 12:30 p.m.

Monday Women of Faith/Men of Honor 6:30 p.m.

Wednesday Bible Class 7:00 p.m.

Friday End Time Prophecy Conference 7:00 p.m.

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