

Sermon Notes

Jesus Walks Among the Lampstands

“Closing Thoughts – Part A”

I. Introduction.

A. Reviewing the harsh tone of Jesus’ remarks to the seven churches.

1. Rev. 2:5; 2:12, 16; 2:22-23; 3:16-17

B. Sermons are directed to the professing church.

1. Professors are divided into two categories.

a. True believers

b. Those who profess but do not possess.

1. The purity of the church is on Jesus’ mind.

C. Today we will focus on evangelism within the church.

II. Evangelism among the saints.

A. The test.

1. Why people hate tests.

2. Yet, Paul told Corinth to take the test – II Cor. 13:1-6.

a. Background on Corinth and the church situation Paul was addressing.

b. Kistemacher

III. Professors without possession? Yes, it is true.

A. Profession of lordship does not mean the soul is possessed by Christ.

1. Sermon on the Mount

a. Matthew 7:21-23

1. Key thoughts.

2. The Passover Crowd

a. John 6:24-26; 6:64-68

3. Simon the Sorcerer

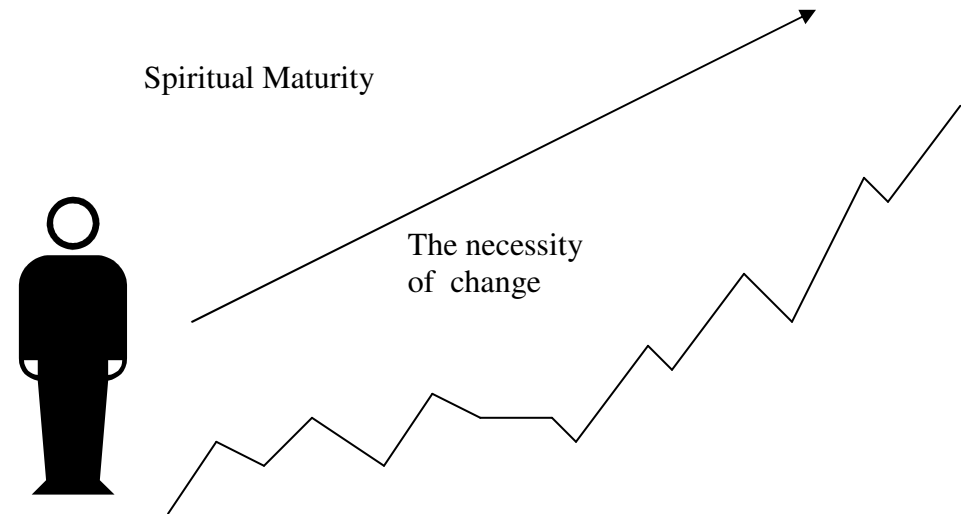
a. Acts 8:12-13, 18-19, 20-24

4. Apostle John’s warning

a. I John 2:19

B. The sanctification process in diagram.

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2. Paul’s reminder – II Corinthians 7:8-11

a. Sorrowful – A_____

b. Repentance – D_____

c. Salvation – C_____

IV. Point for Reflection.

A. I am a g_____ s_____ and Jesus is a g_____

s_____ -- John Newton.

1. Luke 18:9-14