

THINK

The Power of Thinking Right - Week 1

Philippians 2:5; Proverbs 23:7

I. Why put an emphasis on thinking right?

- A. Transformation - Rom 12:1,2
- B. Renewal - Eph 4:22-24
- C. Remember- II Pet 3:1,2

II. The carnal mind - Rom 8:6-11

- A. Reprobate - rejected or worthless - Rom 1:28
- B. Carnal - according to the flesh - Rom 8:7
- C. Defiled - stained - Titus 1:15
- D. Vain - futile/empty - Eph 4:17
- E. Alienated -estranged/enemy of God - Col 1:21

III. Warnings

- A. How I think is nothing
- B. Too much emphasis on externals - Mt 23:25,26
- C. Worldly influences:
 - 1. Amusement
 - 2. Society
 - 3. Money
 - 4. Lust

IV. Takeaway: *Our life will go the way of our thoughts (Pr 23:7).*

God has given us the power through the Holy Spirit to change our thinking, thus changing our lives.