

REStore Point

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Session Two

Have You Heard from God?

- What has God said to you about His plan?
- What has God said to you about your current condition?
- What has God spoken to you about change?

Living in Darkness

- God's first question to man: "Where are you?"
- Are you hiding from confrontation with the Almighty?
- God's second question to man: "Who told you that you were naked?"
- Are you seeking therapy to silence the truth?
- God's third question: "Have you eaten of the tree I commanded you not to eat?"
- Are you living out of alignment with God's plan?

A Simple Blessing

- 1 Thess. 5:23
- Spirit
- Soul
- Body
- Blameless

A Question

- Are you a practicing atheist or agnostic?

Common Hindrances to Prayer

- Unconfessed sin. Psalm 66:18
- Marital conflict. 1 Peter 3:1-7
- Unbelief. James 1:5-8
- Pride. Luke 18:10-14

Are we blaming God for not answering prayers which are being offered up with doubt and disobedience?

What about community?

- Joshua and Achan
- David and the census
- The immoral brother — and the slanderer (1 Cor. 5-6)
- Jezebel in the church (Rev 2:18-29)

What did you know, and when did you know it?

- Are we covering an erring brother in a spirit of love, or are we living in the fear of man?
- Is our lack of discipline in the body — or our organization — a manifestation of how man-centered we are in practice?
- From whence do big sins grow? James 3:13-16
- Do our promotion policies reward flesh or Christ-centeredness?
- Can our fundraising be blessed by God if we protect or harbor hidden sin?
- Are you an Eli or a Samuel?

Soul Food

- What are the conversations in your mind? Proverbs 23:7
- What are the images in your mind? Psalm 101:3
- What are the movies in your mind? Proverbs 9
- Would you be willing to share your mental browsing history for the past day, week or month with your spouse, your pastor or your children?
- Metanoia
- Have you recognized the patterns of thought which control your effectiveness in ministry or relationships for a day, week or year?

Body

- The diseases of Egypt. Ex 15:26
- The rich man's diet. Prov 23:1-3
- Overindulgence and the heart. Luke 21:34
- Don't confuse people wanting your money with them wanting you to be healthy.
- Does God intend for Jesus to be glorified in my physical body? If so, how is Jesus being glorified in my physical body?
- The man of faith and the man of the quadruple bypass.
- Is faith a replacement for wisdom?

“Either God is the center of our universe and we have become rightly adjusted to Him, or we have made ourselves the center and are attempting to make all else orbit around us and for us.”

–Devern Fromke

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- God, what are you saying to me, here and now?
- Out of all the ways in which I am out of alignment with your will for me to reflect Christ's glory, what do I need to submit to you for alignment right now?
- To whom should I confess this and ask for prayer?