

Acts # 26

“The Connection between Guilt and Joy; Works and Worship”

Acts 2:47

The apostles’ teachings are Jesus’ teachings revealed in the New Testament epistles and if we learn, understand, believe and apply them, we have complete liberty or freedom from guilt and that means joy unspeakable!

There never has been a problem in all of human history for which God did not have the solution.

Problems come from the free-will of mankind and angelic creatures.

The greatest problem in life is that of having no relationship with God, no salvation, no eternal life.

In our post-salvation experience we’re going to have many problems but every problem we can ever experience was solved in eternity past.

God isolated all our problems and provided a system for them which has a solution for every one of them.

The solutions were provided in eternity past as a part of our very own spiritual bank account.

We now can have the power options, the spiritual skills and the problem solving devices provided by God on the defense line of our souls.

The key to the execution of God’s plan is the fact that divine power is guaranteed to every Church Age believer as a new spiritual species and this power is made available and delegated through the processing of biblical truth and it’s used through the filling of the Holy Spirit combined with post-salvation biblical rehabilitation.

All human power and ability are excluded from the function and execution of God’s will, plan and purpose for our lives.

Ignorance and arrogance combine to ruin our effectiveness by becoming contributing factors to disunity among Church Age believers.

Unity is a provision of grace; it’s not the striving of human power, human personality and or a system of patronizing each another with public relations techniques.

Unity recognizes equal privilege and equal opportunity for the execution of God’s plan.

While the ministry of the Holy Spirit is the source of unity for the royal family of God, it is reconciliation at salvation that begins to establish unity.

God is not the author of confusion or disunity.

Joy comes from sharing God’s happiness from persistent function of power options (filling of the Holy Spirit and processed biblical truth in our stream of consciousness), development of God’s problem-solving techniques and inner soul thinking producing a

motivation to continue learning the Word of God.

When we first begin to learn biblical truth, there's enthusiasm and liveliness in our souls.

God's Word produces a spiritual animation in us which is the beginning of loving God.

Joy is not an emotion but a system of biblical understanding, a strength from God.

Joy is inner soul thinking that doesn't depend on circumstances, environment or pleasure.

There's nothing wrong with most pleasures

if we're in tune with our spiritual life but pleasure can become a very definite distraction to our spiritual life.

Joy is thinking biblical truth and the result is peace, harmony, tranquility and intimacy with God.

Joy is occupation with Jesus Christ as a system of thinking in contrast to emotion.