

SET YOUR MIND

Romans 8:5-8

INTRO:

- A. Paul shows us a contrast between a mind set on the flesh and a mind set on the spirit, and the consequences of each.
- B. Upon what have you set your mind?

I. MIND PROBLEMS

- A. A carnal mind. Romans 8:5-6
 - 1. Of this world. 2 Timothy 4:10; I John 2:15-17
- B. Selfish ambition. Philippians 2:2-3
- C. Grumbling. Philippians 2:14-16
- D. Bitterness/anger. Ephesians 4:31-32

II. THE MIND OF CHRIST

- A. Have this mind in you. Philippians 2:5
- B. A mind of sacrifice. Philippians 2:6-7
- C. A mind of humble obedience. Philippians 2:8
- D. A mind of love. Ephesians 5:1-2
- E. Accepting suffering. I Peter 2:19-22

III. AN ATTITUDE ADJUSTMENT

- A. Set your mind. Colossians 3:1-3
 - 1. Think on these things. Philippians 4:8
- B. A renewed mind. Ephesians 4:22-24
- C. A willing mind. 2 Corinthians 8:12
- D. A crucified mind. Galatians 2:20
- E. A rejoicing mind. Philippians 4:4; 3:20

CONCLUSION:

- A. It's easy to set our minds on this world or on self.
- B. Jesus shows us a different mind of humility before God, of love and sacrifice.
- C. Do you need to adjust your attitude in order to please God?
- D. Have you set your mind on heaven or on earth?