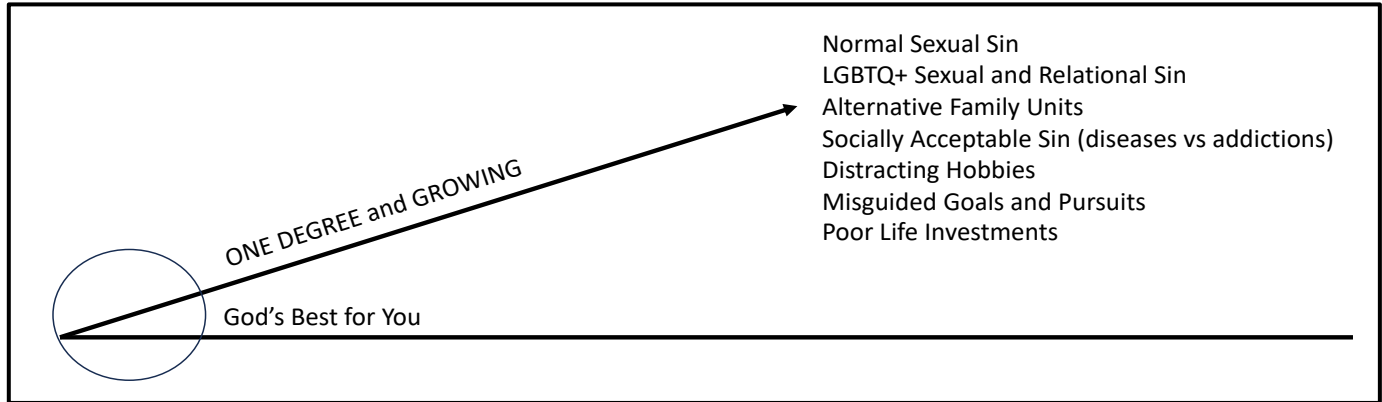




It's all about that 1 Degree – Part 2



Proverbs 12:3 Our lives will be _____ (confusing, sad, unstable) when we are **living in wickedness**, but _____ (stable, productive, meaningful) when we are living in righteousness.

Proverbs 16:18 _____ (haughtiness) is me asking for trouble and to be humbled.

Isaiah 14:13-14 Satan _____ Arrogant Superiority, and Satan is Bad. **Don't be like Satan.**

Matthew 16:24 To follow Christ is to _____ **my agenda** and embrace God's, knowing full well that it will be difficult & costly, although totally worth it.

Luke 16:10 God won't trust you with any high level Christian ministry or responsibility until you have shown him _____ **in the daily Christian living** He has already called you to do.

2 Timothy 3: 3-5 "But mark this: There will be **terrible times in the last days**. People will be lovers of themselves, lovers of money, boastful, proud, abusive, disobedient to their parents, ungrateful, unholy, without love, unforgiving, slanderous, without self-control, brutal, not lovers of the good, treacherous, rash, conceited, lovers of pleasure rather than lovers of God— having a form of godliness but denying its power. Have nothing to do with such people.

James 3:16 For where you have envy and **selfish ambition**, there you find **disorder and every evil practice**.

James 4:4 You adulterous people, don't you know that friendship with the world means enmity against God? Therefore, anyone who chooses to be a friend of the world becomes **an enemy of God**.

Romans 12:2 Do not conform to the pattern of this world, but be **transformed by the renewing of your mind**. Then you will be able to test and approve what God's will is—his good, pleasing and perfect will.

Wrap Up: God has given us all we need in His Word to _____ confusion, wickedness, uncertainty, and deception when it comes to knowing the right and _____ in our cultural context.

What are the ZERO degree, transformational, foundational truths I must master in order to maintain my true course as directed by God.

1. I must follow God's plan with all my heart, so that I don't _____ it with my plan, the plans of those around me, or Satan's plan.

Psalm 119:11 I have hidden your word in my heart that I might not sin against you.

2. When I truly believe or _____ like the world revolved around me, then I have a haughty spirit and my world is going to crumble around me.

Proverbs 16:18 Pride goes before destruction, a **haughty** spirit before a fall.

3. I must _____ what I put into my mind, so I can experience positive outcomes.

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4. I must not only KNOW what the Bible says, but be determined to _____ it as well.

James 1:22 Do not merely listen to the word, and so deceive yourselves. Do what it says.