

Proverbs 4:23

²³ Keep thy heart with all diligence; for out of it are the issues of life.

Conclusion:		

Romans 8:29

²⁹ For whom he did foreknow, he also did predestinate to be conformed to the image of his Son, that he might be the firstborn among many brethren.

Philippians 3:10

¹⁰ That I may know him, and the power of his resurrection, and the fellowship of his sufferings, being made conformable unto his death;

Joshua 1:8

⁸ This book of the law shall not depart out of thy mouth; but thou shalt meditate therein day and night, that thou mayest observe to do according to all that is written therein: for then thou shalt make thy way prosperous, and then thou shalt have good success.

Study Questions:

- 1. What do we call the process of Christ changing us after we are saved?
- 2. Who does the work of transforming you?
- 3. What are the practical steps of spiritual transformation?
- 4. Why is it so important to guard every entrance into your mind?
- 5. Why does God allow us to go through trials as He is transforming us?
- 6. Have you experienced circumstances that tested your commitment to God's transforming work in your life? In what ways have these experiences made you stronger? What promise can you claim as you commit to see God continue to conform you to His image?
- 7. God calls us to present ourselves to Him as living sacrifices. In what practical ways can you demonstrate this complete surrender in your life this week?
- 8. While sanctification is an exciting aspect of the Christian life, the process can sometimes seem slow and discouraging. In what ways can we fight discouragement when we don't see the progress as quickly as we hoped for?



TRANSFORMING TRUTHS

Lesson 2: The Process of Transformation

Romans 12:2

² And be not conformed to this world: but be ye transformed by the renewing of your mind, that ye may prove what is that good, and acceptable, and perfect, will of God.

Introduction:	

Hebrews 5:12-14

¹² For when for the time ye ought to be teachers, ye have need that one teach you again which be the first principles of the oracles of God; and are become such as have need of milk, and not of strong meat. ¹³ For every one that useth milk is unskilful in the word of righteousness: for he is a babe. ¹⁴ But strong meat belongeth to them that are of full age, even those who by reason of use have their senses exercised to discern both good and evil.

١.	Transformation Is a
	A. Don't ever

2 Corinthians 10:12

¹² For we dare not make ourselves of the number, or compare ourselves with some that commend themselves: but they measuring themselves by themselves, and comparing themselves among themselves, are not wise.



Philippians 1:6

⁶ Being confident of this very thing, that he which hath begun a good work in you will perform it until the day of Jesus Christ:

B. Don't ever be _____

Philippians 3:12—14

¹² Not as though I had already attained, either were already perfect: but I follow after, if that I may apprehend that for which also I am apprehended of Christ Jesus. ¹³ Brethren, I count not myself to have apprehended: but this one thing I do, forgetting those things which are behind, and reaching forth unto those things which are before, ¹⁴ I press toward the mark for the prize of the high calling of God in Christ Jesus.

2 Peter 3:18

¹⁸ But grow in grace, and in the knowledge of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. To him be glory both now and for ever. Amen.

C. Don't ever be

Philippians 4:13

¹³ I can do all things through Christ which strengtheneth me.

2 Corinthians 12:9a

^{9a} And he said unto me, My grace is sufficient for thee: for my strength is made perfect in weakness.

2. Transformation Is _____

A. It is your _____

Romans 8:29

²⁹ For whom he did foreknow, he also did predestinate to be conformed to the image of his Son, that he might be the firstborn among many brethren.

B. It should not waver with _____



Jeremiah 18:1–6

¹ 1 The word which came to Jeremiah from the Lord, saying, ² Arise, and go down to the potter's house, and there I will cause thee to hear my words. ³ Then I went down to the potter's house, and, behold, he wrought a work on the wheels. ⁴ And the vessel that he made of clay was marred in the hand of the potter: so he made it again another vessel, as seemed good to the potter to make it. ⁵ Then the word of the Lord came to me, saying, ⁶ O house of Israel, cannot I do with you as this potter? saith the Lord. Behold, as the clay is in the potter's hand, so are ye in mine hand, O house of Israel.

Romans 8:28

²⁸ And we know that all things work together for good to them that love God, to them who are the called according to his purpose.

3.	Trai	Transformation Is			
	A.	Get the out			
		Hebrews 9:14 14 How much more shall the blood of Christ, who through the eternal Spirit offered himself without spot to God, purge your conscience from dead works to serve the living God?			
		Psalm 66:18 18 If I regard iniquity in my heart, the Lord will not hear me:			
	B.	Put the in			
		Philippians 4:8 8 Finally, brethren, whatsoever things are true, whatsoever things are honest, whatsoever things are just, whatsoever things are pure, whatsoever things are lovely, whatsoever things are of good report; if there be any virtue, and if there be any praise, think on these things.			
	C.	Guard what goes			