

Subject: Youth Bible Study lesson 35

Lesson 34 Answers and Comments

Sober	soberly
Day	godly
Sober	speak
Sober	sound
Sober	doctrine
Gird	beside
Loins	learning
Minds	mad
Sober	not
Sober	truth
Think	soberness
Soberly	know
Ungodliness	him
Worldly	resurrection
	Sufferings

Single girls, is a sober minded man at the top of your list of potential husbands? Married women, are you encouraging your husband to be sober minded? A man who lets the sound doctrine of the Word of God occupy his mind is every bit as valuable as a woman who feareth the Lord. Prov. 31:10 "Who can find a virtuous woman? for her price is far above rubies." Men, will you be saying with Joshua in Josh. 24:15 "...but as for me and my house, we will serve the LORD." The women are waiting for you.

Lesson 35

Titus 2:7 "In all things shewing thyself a pattern of good works: in doctrine shewing uncorruptness, gravity, sincerity,"

Paul tells Titus in vs. 7 that in \_\_\_\_\_ things he is to lead by example.

All things - every area of life!

II Cor. 6:4 "But in \_\_\_\_\_ things approving ourselves as the ministers of God..."

II Cor. 6:3 "Giving no offense in \_\_\_\_\_ thing..."

There is no room for segmentation in the Christian life. God knows nothing of serving Him on Sunday and living for the world on Mon. - Sat.

In all things we are to be yielded to the Lord. Are there certain areas of your life that are holdouts for your flesh?

Our thought life - II Cor. 10:5 "Casting down \_\_\_\_\_, and every high thing that exalteth itself against the knowledge of God, and bringing into \_\_\_\_\_ every \_\_\_\_\_ to the obedience of Christ:"

Our personal life - I Cor. 6:13 "...Now the body is not for \_\_\_\_\_, but for the \_\_\_\_\_: and the Lord for the \_\_\_\_\_."

Our money - II Cor. 8:21 "Providing for \_\_\_\_\_ things, not only in the sight of the \_\_\_\_\_, but also in the sight of \_\_\_\_\_."

Our work - II Thess. 3:8 "Neither did we eat any man's bread for \_\_\_\_\_; but wrought with \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ night and day..."

I think you get the picture. There aren't any areas of our life that should not be yielded to the Lord. The Christian life is not some game God is playing with us. There are not any areas of our life that are not open to the Lord.

Heb. 4:13 "Neither is there any creature that is not made

\_\_\_\_\_ in his sight: but \_\_\_\_\_ things are \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ unto the \_\_\_\_\_ of him with whom we have to do."

I hope this makes you comfortable. God wants to take every aspect of our life and transform us into the image of His Son.

Rom. 12:1, 2 "I beseech you therefore, brethren, by the mercies of God, that ye present your \_\_\_\_\_ a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable unto God, which is your reasonable service. Vs. 2 And be not \_\_\_\_\_ to this world: but be ye \_\_\_\_\_ by the renewing of your mind,..."

God makes no appeal to our flesh to do this. But rather says of our flesh: Rom. 6:6 "Knowing this, that our \_\_\_\_\_ is \_\_\_\_\_ with him, that the body of sin might be \_\_\_\_\_, that henceforth we should not serve sin."

#### Lesson 35 Continued

Gal. 5:24 "And that they are \_\_\_\_\_ have \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_ with the \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_."

When we reckon, (agree with God & count it to be true) what He says of our flesh, the power and dominion of sin will be broken in our experience. Allowing the new man to be put on and direct our lives into godliness in all areas.

Eph. 4:24 "And that ye \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_, which after God is created in righteousness and true holiness." As believers we are a \_\_\_\_\_ in Christ according to II Cor. 5:17

As a new creature we have the \_\_\_\_\_ of God, in I Cor. 2:12. The spirit of God living in us enables us to "know the \_\_\_\_\_ that are freely given to us of \_\_\_\_\_."

As a child of God, we have been completely connected to God. It is God, through His Spirit, taking the word of God and enabling, empowering and equipping us to be able to conform to the all things of Titus 2:7.

The Body of Christ is full of Sunday morning Christians. Believer's with no victory over sin. Believer's tossed to and fro with every wind of doctrine. Believer's mal-nourished in the things of God. Believer's not showing themselves a pattern of good works in all things.

The church is not all that different than Israel. Hosea 8:14 "For Israel hath forgotten his \_\_\_\_\_, and buildeth \_\_\_\_\_;" Israel had a lot of what looked like godly activity (temple building), but it was only a show in the flesh.

We don't need to pray for a revival, expecting God to jump start our life. He's already done everything! We need to be ready in all things to shew ourselves a pattern of good works. God expects us to be an example that others can copy, follow. Is that a scary thought? It should not be if we do what God tells us. If we follow God's direction to follow Paul for our doctrine, we will truly be following Christ.

I Cor. 4:16 "Wherefore I beseech you, be ye \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ (Paul)."

II Cor. 11:1 "Be ye \_\_\_\_\_ of me, even as I also am of \_\_\_\_\_."

Dear friend, if you want to be an example of good works to the world, follow Paul. Paul tells us about our gospel, our walk, and our provisions. Only by listening to God's spokesman for the dispensation of grace can a believer truly be a pattern worth copying!