

# “Transformers”

Living A Life Transformed by  
Christ in  
Romans 12:9-21

# Exhortation: Will of God Revealed

*"How should a saved person live?  
Be transformed!"*

- A. God, Self, and Others (12)*
- B. Government (13)*
- C. Weaker Christians (14)*
- D. Ministry (15)*

# Why People Love with Hypocrisy:

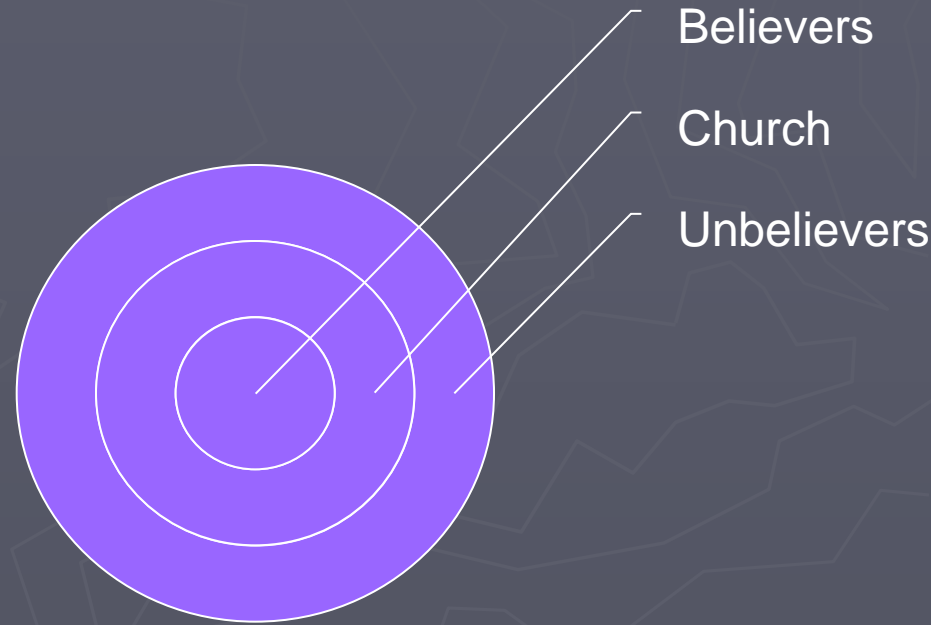
1. They may be unbelievers  
1 John 4:19; 1 John 4:7
2. They be a prideful, self-centered believer

# Overcoming Hypocritical Love

## Philippians 2:1-8

1. Think like Jesus
2. Act like Jesus

1 John 3:16



# In Relation to Others: LOVE

“Love without hypocrisy”

“agape” love:

“unselfish, self-giving, willful devotion,  
centers on others, pays any necessary  
price”

# Agape Love Is without:

Hypocrisy = “*two-faced*; to be an actor, to impersonate, play a part, to simulate, to feign, to pretend”

Love without hypocrisy is genuine, sincere, and real.

# Love without Hypocrisy Is:

## ***1. Sensitive to Sin***

Psalm 97:10

True believers will hate sin  
because God hates it;  
and will turn away from it.

# "ABHOR"

1. Hatred that is *expressed*, not concealed.
2. Demonstrates separation from
3. "Evil" that is specifically in opposition to good

# Love without Hypocrisy

Means hating evil  
and separating from it  
in all its various forms.

1 Thessalonians 5:21-22

# Love without Hypocrisy Is:

## 2. Pure

**“Cling to what is good”**

*Literally “be glued to” good things*

2 Kings 18

Philippians 4:8

# Why Cling to Good?

## God is Good!

Psalm 34:8; 100:5; 135:3

Jeremiah 33:11

Nahum 1:7

***Exodus 33:17-20***

# God's Goodness

= The quality of character that deserves to be praised.

= Morally pure, holy, kind, giving, benevolent

Psalm 16:2; Romans 2:4; 11:22

# Imitate God's Goodness

Romans 15:14

Galatians 5:22

Ephesians 5:8-10

2 Thessalonians 1:11

Galatians 6:9-10

# How Do I Know If I'm Really Saved?

1. Examine your heart.
2. Examine your life.
3. Do you hate what God hates? Do you love what God loves? Is your love for others genuine and sincere?