

Am I Intentional About My Spiritual Development?



Am I Intentional About Scripture?

¹⁶ All Scripture is God-breathed and is useful for teaching, rebuking, correcting and training in righteousness, ¹⁷ so that the man of God may be thoroughly equipped for every good work.

2 Timothy 3:16



Passive Righteousness- It is the unmerited favor we have with God when we believe and accept Jesus' finished work on the cross as a payment of our sins. Jesus took our sin upon Himself and gives us His righteousness and we become acceptable to God!

Active Righteousness- It is the living out in our experientially what God says we are positionally. It is the ongoing movement of growing in holiness, becoming like Jesus. It is called sanctification.



Am I Listening With Intentionality?

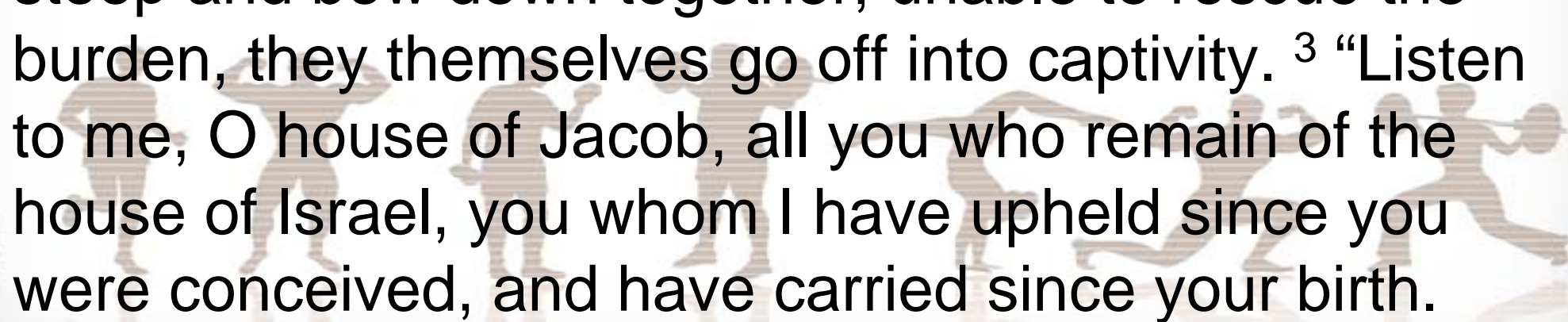
Why spend money on what is not bread,
and your labor on what does not satisfy?
Listen, listen to me, and eat what is good,
and your soul will delight in the richest of
fare.

Isaiah 55:2



Isaiah 46:1-3

Bel bows down, Nebo stoops low; their idols are borne by beasts of burden. The images that are carried about are burdensome, a burden for the weary. ² They stoop and bow down together; unable to rescue the burden, they themselves go off into captivity. ³ “Listen to me, O house of Jacob, all you who remain of the house of Israel, you whom I have upheld since you were conceived, and have carried since your birth.



How Do We Listen To God?

- We need to ask God to humble us.
- We need to listen to God first.
- We need to ask God to seal His word in our hearts.
- We need to meditate on God's word to obey God's word



Am I Praying with Intentionality?

⁶ But when you pray, go into your room, close the door and pray to your Father, who is unseen. Then your Father, who sees what is done in secret, will reward you. ⁷ And when you pray, do not keep on babbling like pagans, for they think they will be heard because of their many words. ⁸ Do not be like them, for your Father knows what you need before you ask him. ⁹ “This, then, is how you should pray: ‘Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, ¹⁰ your kingdom come, your will be done on earth as it is in heaven. ¹¹ Give us today our daily bread. ¹² Forgive us our debts, as we also have forgiven our debtors. ¹³ And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from the evil one.

Matt.6:1-13

Am I Intentional About Preaching the Gospel?

⁶ I pray that you may be active in sharing your faith, so that you will have a full understanding of every good thing we have in Christ.



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