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Application of Colossians Part 1

Witness Protection Program – God's Purpose For Me



May I enter into the witness protection program?

Everything begins and ends with God – Hebrews 12:1-3

12 Therefore, since we are surrounded by such a great cloud of witnesses, let us throw off everything that hinders and the sin that so easily entangles. And let us run with perseverance the race marked out for us, ²fixing our eyes on Jesus, the pioneer and perfecter of faith. For the joy set before him he endured the cross, scorning its shame, and sat down at the right hand of the throne of God. ³Consider him who endured such opposition from sinners, so that you will not grow weary and lose heart.

When I Am Walking In God's Purpose, I Have God's Protection!

Supremacy – the quality or state of having more power, authority, or status than anyone else. Jesus is the ultimate in power, glory, authority, and importance. Jesus' supremacy over all is developed biblically primarily in Hebrews and Colossians.

Sufficiency – the state of being enough or adequate. Jesus has all the attributes of deity so that nothing is outside the realm of His knowledge, nothing is outside the realm of His power, and He is the preeminent one over all creation. Scripture is complete and sufficient for belief and behavior.



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Put to Death	Get Rid Of These Things	Clothe Myself
Sins of sexual attitude and behavior	Sins of Speech	Love in my heart
Sexual Immorality	Anger/Rage	Compassion
Impurity	Malice	Kindness
Lust	Slander	Humility
Evil Desires	Filthy Language	Gentleness
Greed	Lying	Patience
		Forgiveness

Witness Protection Program

1. Establish authority, order and your Why?
2. Remove anything connecting you to what hinders or entangles you
3. Put on a new identity – no longer yielding
4. Redefine your thinking
5. Make choices that do not disqualify you from the program – don't become weary and lose heart
6. Consult your attorney
7. My purpose defines my path
8. Be ready to take the witness stand
9. My life will be a testimony for God
10. Live by my code – What HOLDS me together?
 - a. H – Honor
 - b. O – Obedience
 - c. L – Love
 - d. D – Discipline
 - e. S - Sacrifice

Discussion Questions:

1. What from the lesson today touched your heart the most?
2. How do I remove chaos from my life? Have I established the authority of my life? Once God is established as the authority of my life (my life is reflective of God), then God will bring about order in my life.
3. Why did I have to enter into the witness protection program? What did I have to throw off that was hindering me and entangling me?
4. Have I fixed my eyes on something else besides Jesus?
5. Have I forgotten my purpose and become weary and lost heart?
6. Have you surrendered to God's purpose and allowed it to redefine your life and set the code?
7. Can you and your life be a witness for God or are you still living in bondage?
8. Have you clothed yourself in a new identity or do others still see your old self? Remember, Forgive, Repeat!