

# The Heart and His Presence

## I. Presence Mandate

### A. Reforming the Cultures of the entire Earth Depends on His Presence

**Matt 28:19 NIV** Therefore go and **make disciples** of all nations, **baptizing them in the name ...**, **20** and **teaching them to obey ... *I am with you always***, to the very end of the age."

The **HOPE** (the joyful & certain vision) —

All nations (cultures) shall be disciplined —

The meek shall inherit the earth...

**Ps 37:11 NKJ** But **the meek shall inherit the earth**,  
And shall **delight** themselves in the **abundance of peace**.

EVERY HUMAN ACTIVITY and CULTURE will be made Holy!

**We cheerfully carry the Personality and Presence of the Trinity into every situation.**

**In His Presence is FULLNESS of JOY!**

## II. The Power of His Presence to Change

### A. The Antidote — Divine Love in Human Flesh & Blood

**John 1:14 NKJV** And the Word became flesh and dwelt ... we beheld His glory, ... the only begotten of the Father, full of grace and truth.

### B. The Activity of His Presence — Personal Effectiveness

1. Freedom (from Constraint) & Transformation

**2 Cor 3:17 NKJ** Now the Lord is the Spirit; and **where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is liberty**. **18** But we all, with unveiled face, beholding as in a mirror the glory of the Lord, are being **transformed** into the **same image** from glory to glory, just as by the Spirit of the Lord.

1 John 4:16 NIV ... God is love. Whoever **lives in love** lives **in** God, and God **in** him!

18 **There is no fear in love.** But **perfect love drives out fear**, because fear has to do with punishment. The one who fears is not made perfect in love.

## 2. The Heart of Man is the Operating System

Prov 15:15 NKJ All the days of the afflicted *are* evil,  
But he who is of a **merry heart** *has* a **continual feast**.

Matt 15:1 NIV Then some Pharisees and teachers of the law came to Jesus from Jerusalem and asked, 2 “Why do your disciples break the tradition of the elders? They don’t wash their hands before they eat!”

3 Jesus replied, “And why do you break the command of God for the sake of your tradition?”

7 You hypocrites! Isaiah was right when he prophesied about you: 8 “‘These people honor me with their lips, but **their hearts are far from me.** 9 They worship me in vain; their teachings are but rules taught by men.’”

17 “Don’t you see that whatever enters the mouth goes into the stomach and then out of the body? 18 But the things that come out of the **mouth** come from the **heart**, and these make a man ‘unclean.’ 19 For **out of the heart come** evil thoughts, murder, adultery, sexual immorality, theft, false testimony, slander. 20 These are what make a man ‘unclean’...”

The HEART refers to the motive that Processes Life.

**Situations + Heart** (*Thoughts & Intentions*) = **Behaviors**

SLIDES

**Effective v. Ineffective**

**Humility & Love --**

**Pride & Fear --**

## 2. Discerning our My Heart

### **Personal Awareness — What Fills our Personal World (HEART)**

**Prov 4:23 NIV** Above all else, guard your heart, for it is the well-spring of life.

#### **THE GOOD (TOV)**

Love – Acceptance – Appreciation - Grace – Hope - Purpose — Joy –  
Peace – Patience – Kindness – Gentleness - Goodness –  
Self Control — Wisdom – Calmness –

**Am I** Proactive – Respectful – Honoring — Belonging – Understanding – Self Aware - Responsible – Secure – Generous - Making a difference – Authentic – Reliable – Achieving – Relating – Encouraging – Developing – Compassionate

#### **THE WRETCHED (RA)**

Pride - Fear - Rejection - Abandonment - Betrayal  
Selfishness - Anger - Envy - Hatred - Bitterness  
Sadness - Regret - Grief - Domination - Intimidation - Manipulation  
Judgments — Blame - Shame - Guilt - Irresponsibility - Lies - Inner  
Vows - Lust - Prejudice - Jealousy - Abuse - Unforgiveness -  
Disappointment — Greed - Love of Money - Materialism  
Laziness - Apathy - Indifference - Loneliness

## **III. A New Creation Heart Will Change Your World!**

### **A. Developing a PURE HEART:**

**1. BEHOLD the manner of Love He has lavished upon us! 1 Jn 3**

**1 John 3:1–3 NKJV** Behold what manner of love the Father has bestowed on us, that we should be called children of God! ...

**3** And **everyone** who has this hope in Him **purifies** himself, just as He is pure.

**2. BLESS the Lord , REHEARSE His Kindness Ps 103**

**Ps 103:1 NKJ** **Bless** the LORD, O my soul;

And **all that is within me**, *bless* His holy name!

**2** **Bless** the LORD, O my soul,

And **forget not** all His benefits:

### 3. Eliminate the NEGATIVE

**Phil 2:14 NIV** Do everything without complaining or arguing, 15 so that **you** may *become blameless and pure*, children of God **without fault** in a crooked and depraved generation, in which you **shine like stars in the universe** 16 as you hold out the word of life...

### 4. IMITATE God

**Eph 5:1 ESV** Therefore **be imitators of God**, as **beloved children**.  
2 And **walk in love**, (**Stay in the AQUARIUM of the Waters of Life**) as Christ loved us and gave himself up for us, a fragrant offering and sacrifice to God.

## B. The Activity of His Presence — Heart Transformation

**Phil 1:9 NIV** And this is my prayer: **that your love may abound more and more in knowledge and depth of insight**, 10 so that you may be able to **discern what is best** and **may be pure and blameless** until the day of Christ, 11 **filled with the fruit** of righteousness that comes through Jesus Christ — to the glory and praise of God.

**Eph 3:14 NIV** For this reason I kneel before the Father, 15 from whom his whole family in heaven and on earth derives its name. 16 I pray that out of his glorious riches (*ESV according to the riches of his glory he may grant you to be*) he may strengthen you with power through his Spirit in your inner being, 17 **so that Christ may dwell in your hearts** through **faith**. And I pray that you, being rooted and established in love, 18 may have power, together with all the saints, to grasp how wide and long and high and deep is the love of Christ, 19 and to know this love that surpasses knowledge — that you may be filled to the measure of all the fullness of God.

### **III. Cultural Revolutionaries!**

Renewing all things with our LIFESTYLE & MINISTRY (WORK)

[Eph 3:20](#) Now to him who is able to do immeasurably more than all we ask or imagine, according to his power that is at work within us, [21](#) to him be glory in the church and in Christ Jesus throughout all generations, for ever and ever! Amen.

**Cheerfully Carry the Divine Presence into Your Everyday Situation — Renew the Wonder!!!**

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