



RESET Part 5 - Why RESET?

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WHY SHOULD WE RESET?

3 PROOFS of a RESET Fellowship with God:

- Presence
- Prayers
- Proclaim

How many think that we should be walking in more of God? How long have we been going to church? How many church people do you actually see walking in those proofs?

Many times church is the only place people actually experience anything of God.

Going to church is HUGE & important! But it is not the most important

thing.

It IS A PART of the most important thing.

Humanity is generally good.

I've found that most people don't do things straight out of malice or just a desire to do bad things.

Church people are not trying to live without those proofs.

The end result HAS BEEN that we come to church, have a prayer answered here & there & some temporary good feelings but NO lasting results or proofs.

If feeling good from a message is only TEMPORARY, why continue to do that??
IS WHAT WE HAVE BEEN DOING REALLY WORKING THE WAY GOD SEES IT??
If it's not working then something is off.

It's not God's way or Him that is off. It's us. Something needs to change...

After reviewing our 2013 year, I believe God said to me:

"You can have the best teaching in the world, but if you don't have fellowship, you really have nothing."

RESET is not really taught. It is caught. It is spiritually discerned.

What is RESET?

- A RESET is a continuous, heavenly, SPIRITUAL FELLOWSHIP with our Father.
- A RESET is NOT feelings or warm & fuzzies.
 It is unconditional giving, back & forth, between you & God.
- A RESET is going back to our first love of God before corruption set in.

Revelation 2:1-5 NASB "To the angel of the church in Ephesus write: The One who holds the seven stars in His right hand, the One who walks among the seven golden lampstands, says this: (2) 'I know your deeds and your toil and perseverance, and that you cannot tolerate evil men, and you

put to the test those who call themselves apostles, and they are not, and you found them *to be* false; (3) and you have **perseverance and have endured** for My name's sake, and **have not grown weary**. (4) 'But I have *this* against you, that you have left your first love. (5) 'Therefore **remember from where** you have fallen, and **repent** and **do the deeds you did at first**; or else I am coming to you and will remove your lampstand out of its place--unless you repent.

Are you ready to RESET with God?

- You are RESET right now,
- BUT if you continue walking like you did, you will just need another RESET before long.
- Let's start to LIVE a RESET LIFE!

What I want you to do:

- 1. Keep in mind all week that He is RIGHT THERE with you
- 2. Look for acts of His grace
- 3. Stop & Thank God for ANY good or perfect gift
- 4. When you go to bed tonight, tell Him goodnight
- 5. When you wake up in the morning, welcome Him again
- 6. Everytime you think of God, allow the Holy Spirit to lead you in your worship/prayer