

“Relationships that Matter: Our Transformational Relationship with God”

Romans 12:2

Message Title: “Our Transformational Relationship with God”

I. The **Deviation**

1 John 5:19 “And we know that we are of God, and the whole world lieth in wickedness.”

II. The **Transformation**

Psalms 119:11 “Thy word have I hid in mine heart, that I might not sin against thee.”

Ezra 7:10 “For Ezra had prepared his heart to seek the law of the LORD, and to do it, and to teach in Israel statutes and judgments.”

III. The **Confirmation**

a. The Will of God is **Good**

b. The Will of God is **Acceptable**

c. The Will of God is **Perfect**

Martin Luther “The “good” will of God creates good out of evil. The “acceptable” will of God moves us cheerfully to love such good. It makes this good acceptable to us, and causes us to agree with it, even if it is evil. The “perfect” will of God will eternally perfect and bring to an end all who are glad.”

IV. The **Application**

a. Application of **Deviation**

b. Application of **Transformation**

D.L. Moody “The Bible was not given for our information but for our transformation.”

c. Application of **Confirmation**

Calvin “I gave up all for Christ and what have I found? Everything in Christ.”