



CHAPTER 1 – SECTION A

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GOD'S PURPOSE ON EARTH

The Purpose Series

One life, one purpose...Your purpose in life is specific and significant, but it will always be part of a bigger plan. This workshop will help you gain knowledge about that bigger plan, help you to understand your part in that plan and enable you to fulfil your purpose. It will provide you with tools, **based on the Word of God**, to not only overcome your current and future challenges but also help you become a solution to those around you.

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CHAPTER 1: GOD'S PURPOSE ON EARTH

SECTION A: WORSHIP GOD IN SPIRIT & IN TRUTH

PLEASE REMEMBER:

- This course is all about activation. It must move every person to action. The function of this course is to help people live and fulfill their purpose.
- This course is here to help people in many different ways. The tools they will be provided with, will be explained throughout the content.
- This course is strategic. Whether we call it *equipping of the Saints*, or *discipleship*, one of the flaws of many processes is that it makes people dependent on the person helping them.
- The focus of this course is to make people independent yet interconnected. This is critical to understand!

TOPICS AND QUESTIONS COVERED IN THIS SECTION:

- God is a Spirit and wants people to worship Him in Spirit and in Truth
- What does it mean to renew your mind?
- What is Spirit and Truth?
- God is a Trinity
- How God wanted to establish Himself in earth
- The presence of God
- YouTube Video – **Chapter 1 section A** (duration: 49 minutes)

https://youtu.be/kL9KwyKZh_c

1. WORSHIP GOD IN SPIRIT AND IN TRUTH

Key points:

1. God is Spirit, and He desires that those who worship Him do so in spirit and truth as opposed to:
 - a) Religion
 - b) Habit
 - c) Doctrine
 - d) Rituals
 - e) Man-made rules
 - f) In specific building
 - g) A specific framework
2. Christianity is not a religion.
3. Religion is man-made, designed to control people. It held us in captivity by not telling us about our responsibility in relation to God's responsibility.
4. God has done what He needed to do.
5. God pre-existed the physical world.
6. Spiritual realm vs the physical realm.
7. It is not God's responsibility to transform your life.
8. Your life will be transformed by the renewal of your mind. It is your responsibility.
9. For a different set of results, change the way you think – it will overflow in what you do.
10. There is a specific way that God functions.
11. When you renew your mind, you align it to the way God thinks. He can then work through you.

2. WHAT IS SPIRIT AND TRUTH?

Key points:

Two components:

- a) Truth
- b) Spirit

1. **Truth**

- a) Truth is reality.
- b) Spiritual realm is real and superior to the physical realm.
- c) Worship Him in truth: according to the reality that He is and that He exists in = the spiritual realm.

Faith

What is faith?

- a) It is not crying out.
- b) It is not a "leap in the dark".

Faith is acting, based on reality. What does that mean? We need to know who God is, what the spiritual realm is and what the laws are in the spiritual realm, because they are superior to the physical realm. Faith is nothing other than spiritual laws

- Spiritual laws vs Physical laws

2. **Spirit**

- a) The part that gives life
- b) You can walk in your purpose by your own ability
- c) God needs your heart
- d) Focus on God

3. GOD IS A TRINITY

Key points:

- 1) To understand your purpose, you need to know what **God had in mind**
- 2) God is trinity, so you need to understand:
 - a) What **God** did and what He is doing
 - b) What **Jesus** did and what He is doing
 - c) What the **Holy Spirit** did and what is He doing
- 3) Religion **doesn't** have answers.
- 4) People in religion miss out on real Christianity.
- 5) We need to be willing to renew our **mind** to be consistent with **reality** not with man's opinion.
- 6) We need to be willing to **learn** more from the Word and change our current beliefs, if required.

4. HOW GOD WANTED TO ESTABLISH HIMSELF IN THIS EARTH

Key Points:

1. God wanted to establish Himself in this earth.
2. He wanted to recreate or replicate Himself in this world and fill the earth with His presence.
3. The way He wanted to establish Himself in this earth, was to make a physical human being, and put His life form into that being and allow that being to recreate God in this earth.
4. On the 6th day, God created man in His **image** and **likeness**, in other words, a spirit (God is a spirit).
5. Man was **inside** of God when He created them.
6. God took dust of the physical realm, He created man as a **physical being**. He put the spiritual being inside the physical being.
7. God's intention and plan **has not changed**.
8. The **way/execution** had to change, but **God's purpose has not changed**.
9. The average Christian doesn't know **who God is**, what **His nature is**, and **how He functions**.
10. God's presence, His ability who He is – **it's enough**.

5. THE PRESENCE OF GOD

Key Points:

- 1) The Israelites carried the presence of God.
- 2) What did the lives of the Israelites look like carrying the presence of God?
- 3) God was never a physical being. We've been created in His image and likeness. This refers to His Spirit.
- 4) Some things cannot exist in the presence of God.
- 5) Sin cannot exist in the presence of God.
- 6) Adam and Eve committed sin and God had to separate Himself from them.
- 7) Spiritual death is separation from God.

Scriptures

John 4:23-24 (NKJV)

²³ But the hour is coming, and now is, when the true worshipers will worship the Father in spirit and truth; for the Father is seeking such to worship Him. ²⁴ God is Spirit, and those who worship Him must worship in spirit and truth.

Romans 12:2 (NKJV)

And do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind, that you may prove what is that good and acceptable and perfect will of God.

Psalms 103:7 (NKJV)

He made known His ways to Moses, His acts to the children of Israel.

Hebrews 11:1-3 (NKJV)

¹ Now faith is the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen. ² For by it the elders obtained a good testimony. ³ By faith we understand that the worlds were framed by the word of God, so that the things which are seen were not made of things which are visible.

Hosea 4:6 (NKJV)

My people are destroyed for lack of knowledge Because you have rejected knowledge, I also will reject you from being priest for Me; Because you have forgotten the law of your God, I also will forget your children.

John 6:63 (NKJV)

It is the Spirit who gives life; the flesh profits nothing. The words that I speak to you are spirit, and they are life.

2 Corinthians 3:6 (NKJV)

who also made us sufficient as ministers of the new covenant, not of the letter but of the Spirit; for the letter kills, but the Spirit gives life.

Colossians 2:8 (NKJV)

Beware lest anyone cheat you through philosophy and empty deceit, according to the tradition of men, according to the basic principles of the world, and not according to Christ

John 3:11-12 (NKJV)

¹¹ Most assuredly, I say to you, We speak what We know and testify what We have seen, and you do not receive Our witness. ¹² If I have told you earthly things and you do not believe; how will you believe if I tell you heavenly things?

Genesis 1:26-27 (NKJV)

²⁶ Then God said, "Let Us make man in Our image, according to Our likeness; let them have dominion over the fish of the sea, over the birds of the air, and over the cattle, over all the earth and over every creeping thing that creeps on the earth." ²⁷ So God created man in His own image; in the image of God He created him; male and female He created them.

Genesis 2:1-7 (NKJV)

¹ Thus the heavens and the earth, and all the host of them, were finished. ² And on the seventh day God ended His work which He had done, and He rested on the seventh day from all His work which He had done. ³ Then God blessed the seventh day and sanctified it, because in it He rested from all His work which God had created and made.

⁴ This is the history of the heavens and the earth when they were created, in the day that the Lord God made the earth and the heavens, ⁵ before any plant of the field was in the earth and before any herb of the field had grown. For the Lord God had not caused it to rain on the earth, and there was no man to till the ground; ⁶ but a mist went up from the earth and watered the whole face of the ground. ⁷ And the Lord God formed man of the dust of the ground and breathed into his nostrils the breath of life; and man became a living being.

Exodus 3:14 (NKJV)

And God said to Moses, "I AM WHO I AM." And He said, "Thus you shall say to the children of Israel, 'I AM' has sent me to you.'"

Deuteronomy 29:5 (NKJV)

And I have led you forty years in the wilderness. Your clothes have not worn out on you, and your sandals have not worn out on your feet.