

# **Liberty of the Spirit**

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## I. Introduction.

A. Text: 2 Corinthians 3.

B. We are letters of recommendation by the Spirit.

## II. Responsibility.

A. God has a responsibility in salvation.

1. The Spirit of God gives life.

2. The glory of God shown on Moses face, but the believer's glory will be greater. (Exodus 34:29)

3. The consequence of the unfading glory of the believer is boldness in preaching.

B. We have a responsibility. Beholding the glory of the Lord, we are changed.

1. We have liberty, but what is more important is the inner liberty of Spirit that comes from being guilt free before the Lord.

2. We are being daily renewed by God. (2 Corinthians 4)

3. We are not to worry about little things. (Ephesians 3:16)

4. To be purified we are to live by the Word of God. (Psalm 119:116, 119:118, 119:32, 119:89, 119:97-98, 119:148, 119:155, 119:164-165)

5. The Word of God helps in meditation, evangelism and peace.

6. We get life through the Scriptures and need a practical form of intake.

7. The speaker meets with men for Scripture memory.

8. Power comes from the Spirit of God but it takes work. (John 6:63, Ephesians 6)

9. Find a man to follow and be willing to put off any sin. (Isaiah 41:15, Song of Solomon 3:8)

10. We are to get to know Him and put Him first. (2 Corinthians 3)

### Application questions

1. Why is our responsibility centrally to behold God's glory instead of simply "behave"?

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2. How does the Word aid us in beholding God's glory?

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3. What is the importance of accountability? Are you being invested in by another man spiritually? Are you doing the same for someone else? What steps will you take to make this a reality in your life, if not?

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