

2. Building the Kingdom Through Your Heart's Desire

#1 Start with the Right Theology

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a. Why Jesus Came (to bring us "life") – It's the nature of God

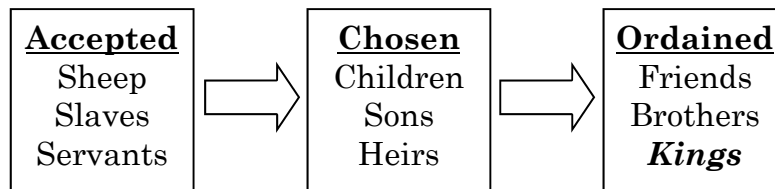
9 I am the door: by me if any man enter in, he shall be saved, and shall go in and out, and find pasture. 10 The thief cometh not, but for to steal, and to kill, and to destroy: I am come that they might have life, and that they might have it more abundantly. Jn 10:9-10 KJV, Jn 3:16-17, Jn 6:33,51

b. The promise to Kings (Friend of God Jn 15:15)

Trust in the LORD and do good; dwell in the land and enjoy safe pasture. Delight yourself in the LORD and he will give you the desires of your heart. Ps 37:3-4 see also Ps 20:4, John 15:7-8, 14:13-14, 15:7-8, 15:15-16, 16:23-24

c. The degree of difficulty

13 "Enter through the narrow gate. For wide is the gate and broad is the road that leads to destruction, and many enter through it. 14 But small is the gate and narrow the road that leads to life, and **only a few find it.** Matt 7:13-14 (from New International Version)



d. Servants Substitute Obedience for Relationships

You do not delight in sacrifice, or I would bring it; you do not take pleasure in burnt offerings. The sacrifices of God are a broken spirit; a broken and contrite heart, O God, you will not despise. (Ps. 51:16-17) and (Ps. 40:6-8)

e. What We (servants) Think God Wants

- don't _____
- stop _____
- give up _____

"Give up the desires of your heart"
Enjoy being a monk
#1. I don't want to,
#2 I can't

f. What is Spiritual Warfare – Guarding Your Well Spring – Heart's Desire

23 Above all else, guard your heart, for it is the wellspring of life. Prov 4:23

g. The Goal of Morality – Ecstasy

11 You will show me **the path of life**; In Your presence is fullness of joy; At Your right hand are pleasures forevermore. Ps 16:11 NKJV

h. Dreams Keep Us Young

2 Praise the LORD, O my soul, and forget not all his benefits — 3 who forgives all your sins and heals all your diseases, 4 who redeems your life from the pit and crowns you with love and compassion, 5 who satisfies your desires with good things **so that your youth is renewed like the eagle's.** Ps 103:2-5 NIV

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2. The One Question God Asks Every King

At Gibeon the LORD appeared to Solomon in a dream by night; and God said,

"Ask! What shall I give you?" 1 Kings 3:5 NKJV

...friends, if our hearts do not condemn us, we have confidence before God **and receive from him anything we ask**, because we obey his commands and do what pleases him. 1 John 3:19-22

3. What is your "Joy Ahead"? _____

2 Let us fix our eyes on Jesus, the author and perfecter of our faith, **who for the joy set before him endured the cross**, scorning its shame, and sat down at the right hand of the throne of God. 3 Consider him who endured such opposition from sinful men, so that you will not grow weary and lose heart. Heb 12:1-3 (from New International Version)

29 "I tell you the truth," Jesus replied, "no one who has left home or brothers or sisters or mother or father or children or fields for me and the gospel 30 will fail to **receive a hundred times as much in this present age** (homes, brothers, sisters, mothers, children and fields-and with them, persecutions) and in the age to come, eternal life. Mark 10:29-30 (from New International Version)

4. What's Your Heart's Desire? _____

"This is the covenant I will make with them after that time, says the Lord. **I will put my laws in their hearts, and I will write them on their minds.**" Heb 10:16 (see also 8:10)

5. Learn To Be Childlike

- Pretend (daydream, meditate)
- Play (Act, Practice)
- Dream (Prophesy, Proclaim)
- Shop till you drop

"In the last days, God says, I will pour out my Spirit on all people. Your sons and daughters will prophesy, your young men will **see visions**, your old men will **dream dreams**. Even on my servants, both men and women, I will pour out my Spirit in those days, and they will prophesy. Acts 2:17-18

6. What to Ask – Live on 10%

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. Eph 3:20-21 (from New International Version)

...and all peoples on earth will be blessed **through you** Gen 12:3

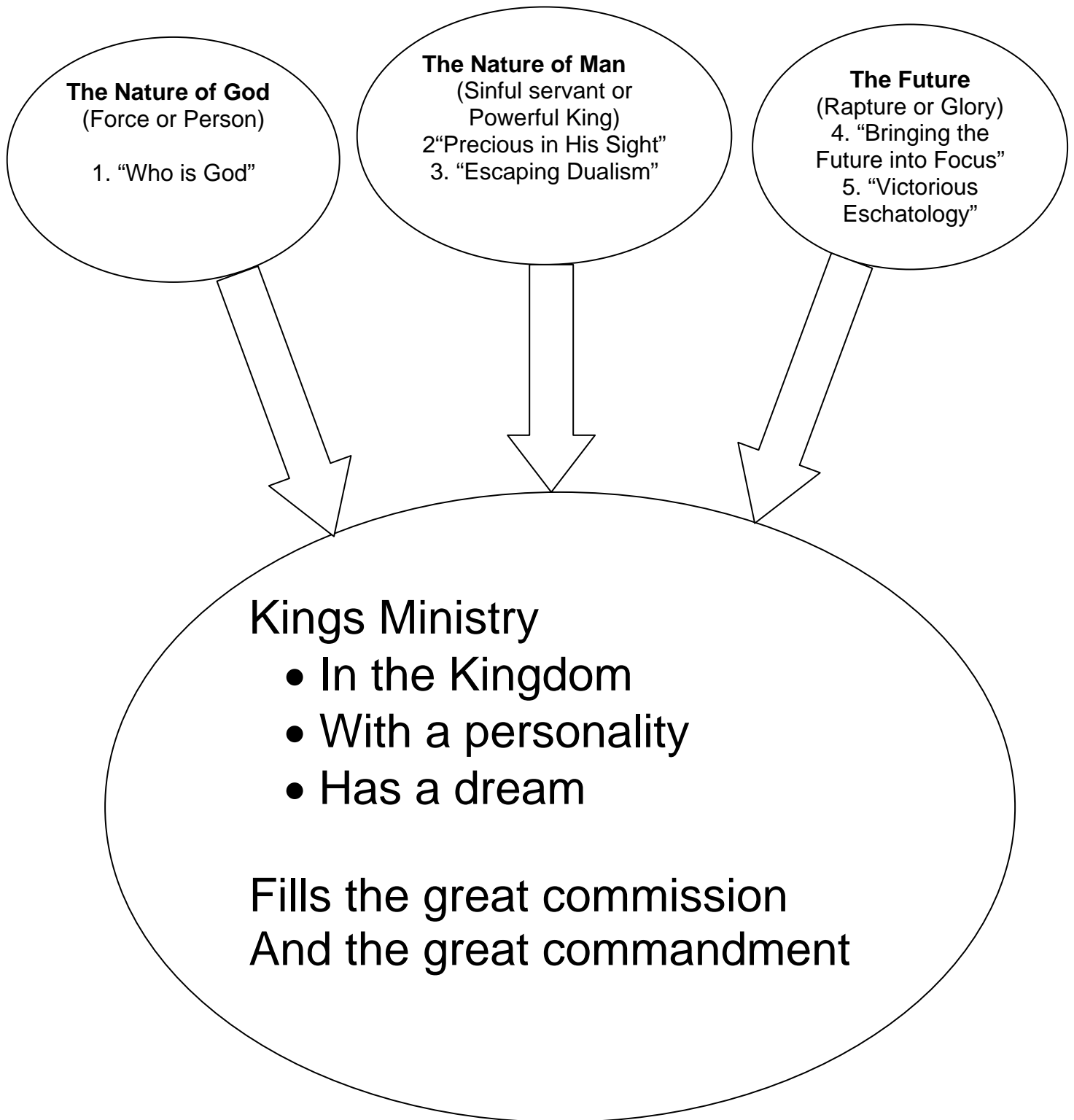
7. Choose Life

19 This day I call heaven and earth as witnesses against you that I have set before you life and death, blessings and curses. Now **choose life**, so that you and your children may live 20 and that you may love the LORD your God, listen to his voice, and hold fast to him. **For the LORD is your life**, and he will give you many years in the land he swore to give to your fathers, Abraham, Isaac and Jacob. Deut 30:19-20

Seize initiative Josh 17:14-17

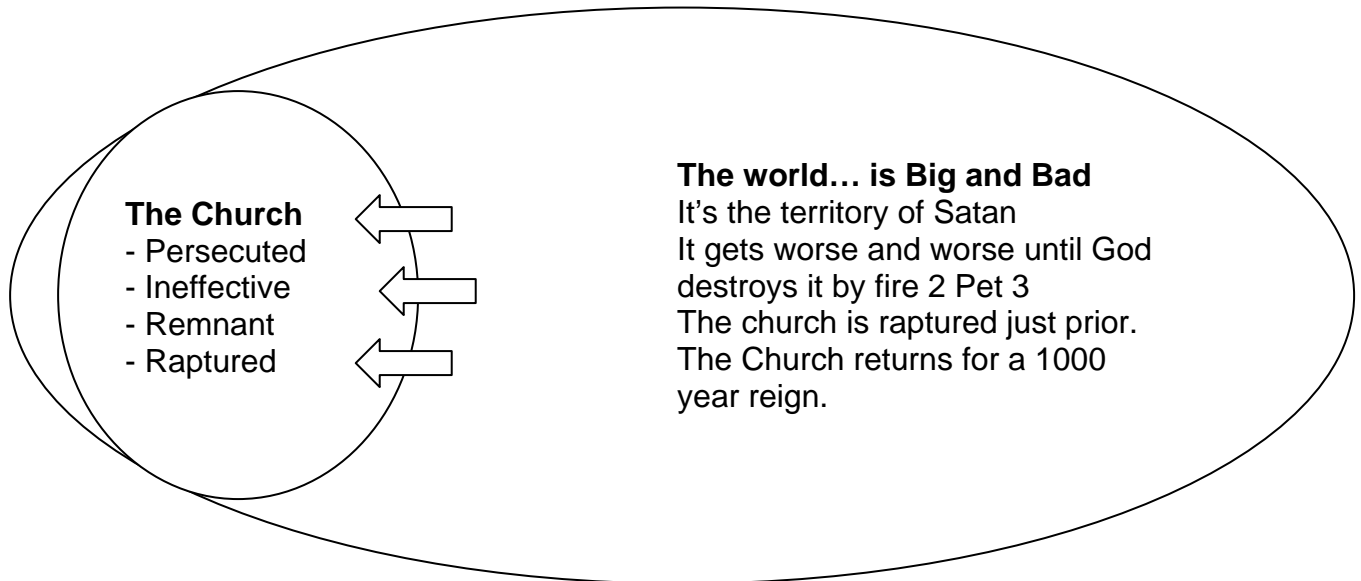
Foundations in Theology

Part 2 – Releasing Kings

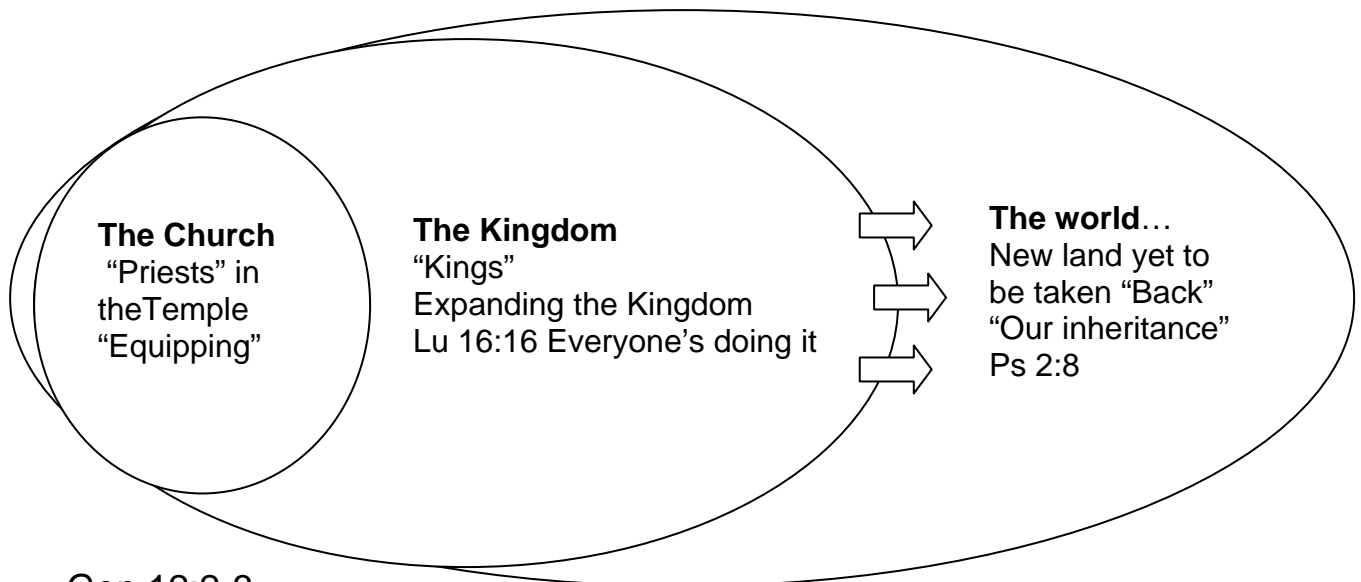


Kings – Expand the Kingdom

The Church = Kingdom



Church Equips; Kingdom expands



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The Nature of God

May the force “Not” be with you

The Philosophic god

Experience the personal God

Impassable – Unemotional..... Freedom

Immutable – Never changes..... Conversation

Omniscient - Knows all..... Seek one another

Timeless – Knows the future..... I shape the future

Sovereign – Controls all..... I take initiative

“force-ful” concepts of God (Big God Little people)

produce:

1. Authority based relationships

(the premium is on obedience from the ants)

2. A Legal approach to faith

(Covenants are contracts vs. relationships)

3. Lethargy

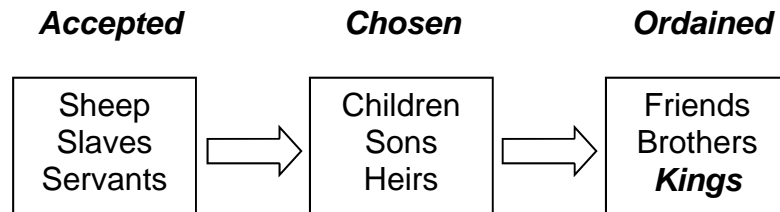
(Predestination - He’s in control, why bother)

4. Stoicism – Emotions just get in the way

(hide your emotions, God doesn’t like them)

The Nature of Man – friend of God

Making the Transition (Maturing) from “Sheep” to “King”



Focus..... Rules/Principles..... Vision/Dreams
 Responsibility..... God..... Me

Kingly Leadership – Helping people connect with their own unique vision & showing success by example
Servant Leadership – Making people do what they don't want to do..... & showing success by example

From the Head

Obedient
 Unity
 Submissive / Compliant
 Servant's heart
 Humility
 Meekness
 Faithfulness
 Principled / ethical

From the Heart

Initiative / Assertive
 Unique
 Power / Authority
 Creativity / originality / ingenuity / resourceful / visionary
 Boldness
 Enterprising
 Decisiveness
 Flexible / inspirational

Ezek 36:25-27 KJV (See also Heb 8:10, 10:16)

25 Then will I sprinkle clean water upon you, and ye shall be clean: from all your filthiness, and from all your idols, will I cleanse you.

26 **A new heart also will I give you**, and a new spirit will I put within you: and I will take away the stony heart out of your flesh, and I will give you an heart of flesh.

27 And I will put my spirit within you, and cause you to walk in my statutes, and ye shall keep my judgments, and do them.

Ps 37:4 Delight yourself in the LORD and he **will give you the desires of your heart.**

Ps 20:4 4 May he **give you the desire of your heart** and make all your plans succeed.

Ps. 37:31 The **law of God is in his heart**; his feet do not slip.

The Good News (Gospel) 1Cor 15:1-6

Death

Burial

Resurrection

Reformation Theology
(our theology)

- no sin
- no life

My carnality vs. God's will
Never finds Heart's desires
Deut 29:16-19

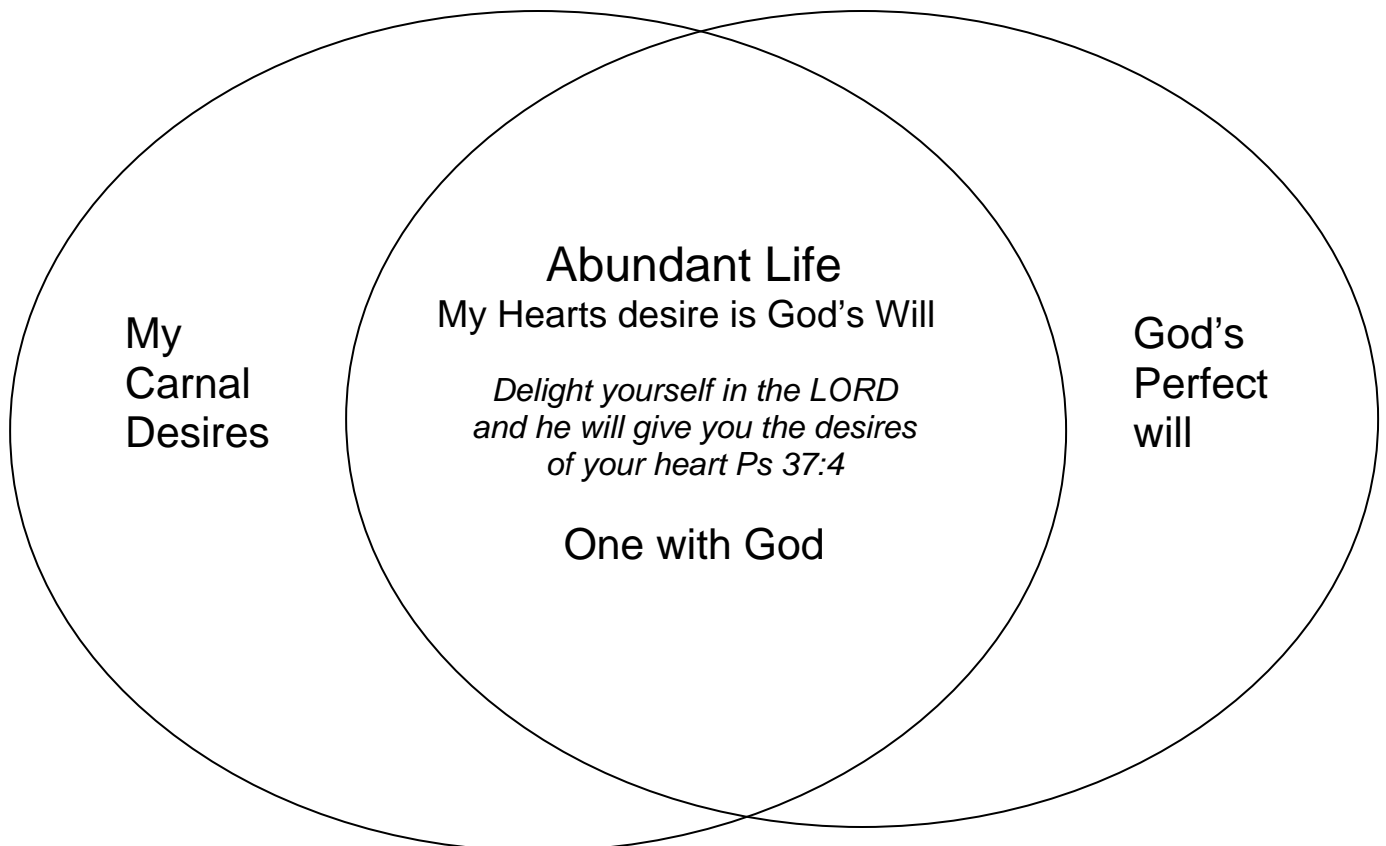
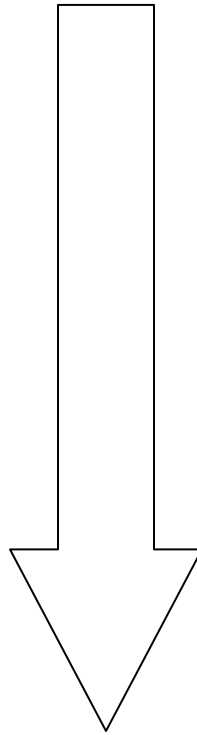
Divides into 2 people
"Bi-polar"

New Age theology

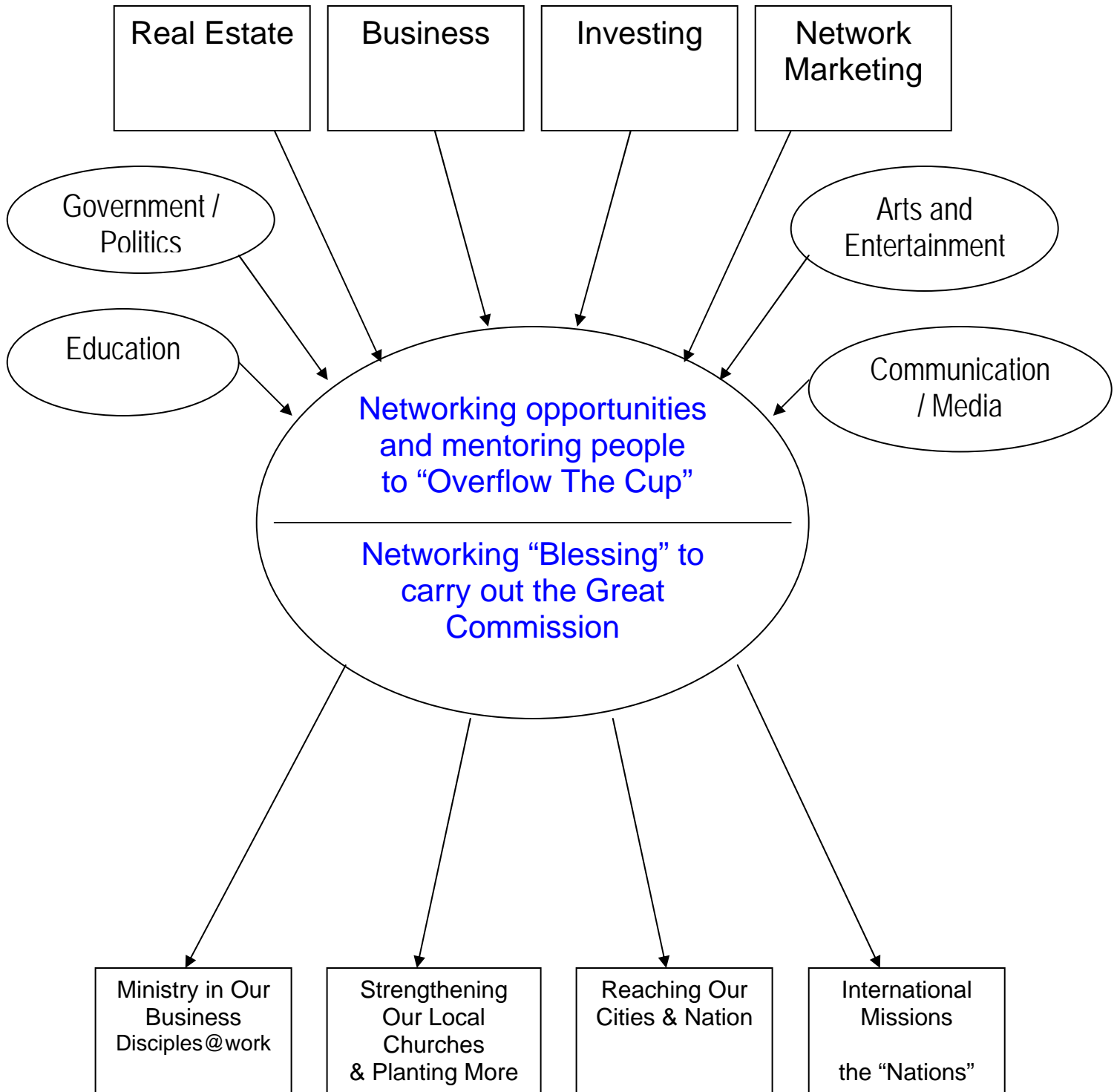
Life (Spiritual Activity)
Apart from the Blood

No foundation....
Rains come....
Matt 7:27

Subject to deception

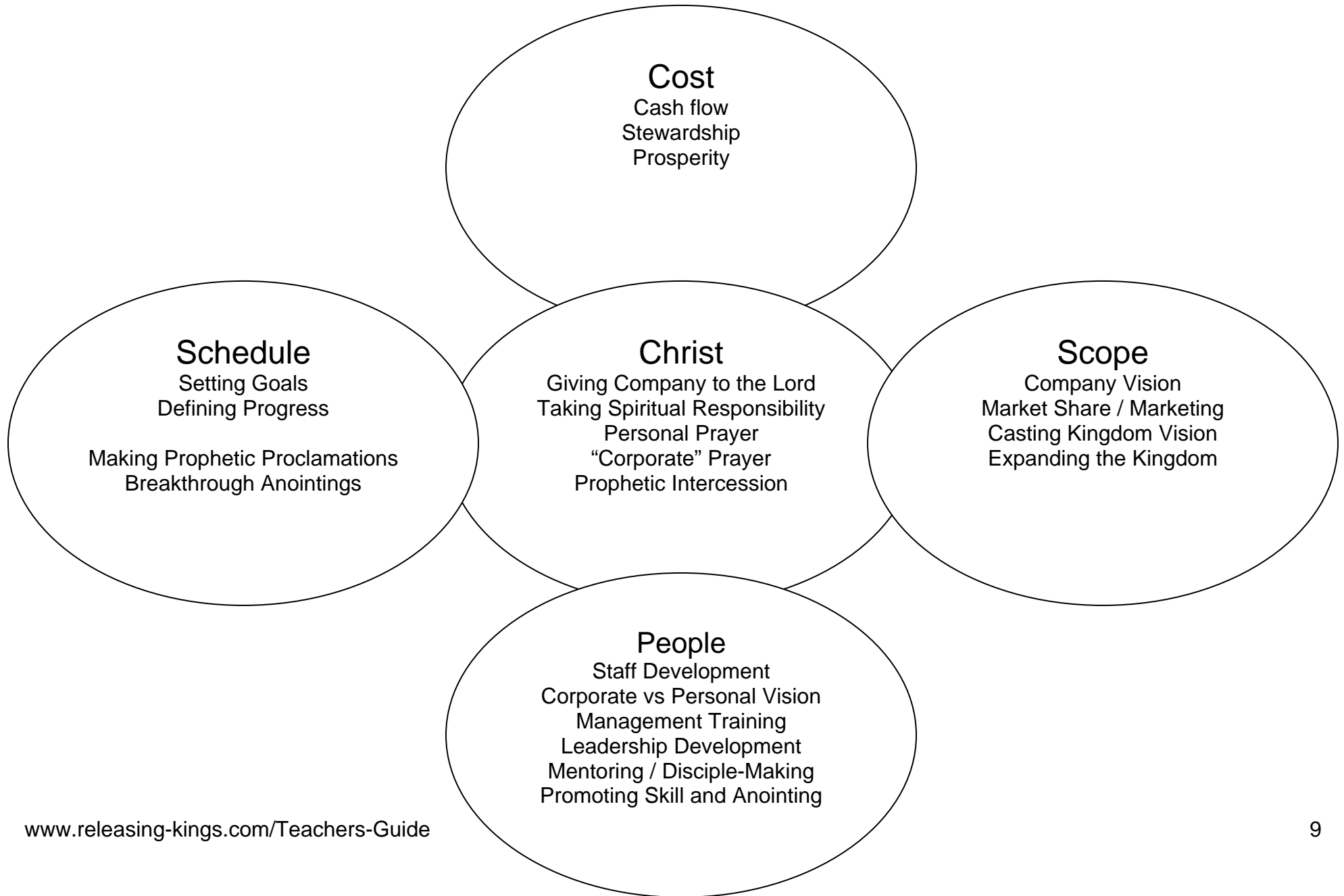


Networking Kings – why we're Here!



Kings - Making Money to Make a Difference

How to Put Christ in Your Company and How to Put Your Company into Christ



Actions for Kings

1. To lay a foundation

- a. Go to www.releasing-kings.com
- b. Sign up for our free email newsletter
- c. Look at the 4 free reports
- d. Order copies of the book and give them to entrepreneurial personalities

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dream, and God said, "Ask for whatever you want me to give you."*

a. Learn to spend on income generating assets (why you save)

(instead of houses, cars, boats, swimming pools, vacations)

- i. Start a business
- ii. Invest
- iii. Buy Real Estate
- iv. Network Marketing (direct sales)
- v. Spend time with contacts in the above areas (see web)

b. Pursue your vision for ministry / Generosity

3. Spread the word

- a. Bible study with our book "Releasing Kings"
- b. Start a ministry to equip and release Kings in your local church
- c. Start a network group to equip youth 16-22 (www.thenetwrk.com)