



THE TRANSFORMED WORSHIPPER

Romans 12:1-2 // Dr. Ron Jones

I appeal to you therefore, brothers, by the mercies of God, to present your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and acceptable to God, which is your spiritual worship.² Do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewal of your mind, that by testing you may discern what is the will of God, what is good and acceptable and perfect. ROMANS 12:1-2 ESV

Conformed or Transformed?

Do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed. ROMANS 12:2 ESV

Do not let the world around you squeeze you into its own mould. ROMANS 12:2 PHILLIPS

Do not love the world nor the things in the world. If anyone loves the world, the love of the Father is not in him. For all that is in the world, the lust of the flesh and the lust of the eyes and the boastful pride of life, is not from the Father, but is from the world. The world is passing away, and also its lusts; but the one who does the will of God lives forever. 1 JOHN 2:15-17 NAS

“Transformed” = (Greek, *metamorphomai*) to change the essential form or nature of something, metamorphosis

How Transformational Worship Happens

1. _____ your _____.

Present your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and acceptable to God, which is your spiritual worship. ROMANS 12:1; 1 CORINTHIANS 6:18-20

- Your body belongs to _____.
- Your body is the _____.

“I am not my own, but belong with body and soul, both in life and in death, to my faithful Saviour Jesus Christ.” HEIDELBERG CATECHISM

2. _____ your _____.

Do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewal of your mind. ROMANS 12:2a ESV

- _____ God’s word daily.
- _____ God’s word regularly. 2 TIMOTHY 2:15
- _____ upon God’s word deeply. JOSHUA 1:8; PS. 119:97
- _____ God’s word strategically. PSALM 119:11
- _____ to the preaching of God’s word intently.
2 TIMOTHY 4:2; ROMANS 10:14

3. _____ your _____.

... that by testing you may discern what is the will of God, what is good and acceptable and perfect. ROMANS 12:2b ESV

MATTHEW 26:39, 6:10; MARK 3:35; JAMES 4:15; PSALM 40:8 ISAIAH 1:19

Discern the _____ of God by reading the _____ of God.

FILL INS: present, body, God, temple of the Holy Spirit, renew, mind, read,
study, meditate, memorize, listen, yield, will, will, word