

The Facts Of Function

In The 4 Realms of Reality

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An Introduction

The other day I saw something sticking out of the ear of an acquaintance and stopped him to examine what it was. Upon inspection, I discovered it to be an anal suppository for hemorrhoids'. "Thanks," he said, "you really helped me. Now I know where I stuck my hearing aid."

This joke points out a wrong way to function. Functions happen all the time and occur in all four realms of reality: Individual, Social, Environmental and Spiritual. We first experience these realms in this order, but it too is stuck backward. So is it a wonder why we make mistakes? Our operations in these realms are confused and corrupted.

Ahead, in part one—*The Individual Realm*—we look into our thinking and belief formation abilities to help explain why this is so. If we do not think properly and form better beliefs, we end up doing things like the joke so humorously pointed out. We get things mixed up and put in wrong places. Our many habits and addictions do not help.

The Facts of Function is a summary work featuring the *functional* perspective that ought to have been taught early on in education, but was not. Now that this brief work gives some exposure to it, every reader is encouraged to see things from the functional perspective for what they do, not just existing as a fact for what is.

We humans are in the early phase of our development. Pulled and pushed in many directions from the outside, is it a wonder we have confusion on the inside? It takes great patience and perseverance to endure this painful slow-growth process we call "**life**" for living.

We are dependent beings having never created so much as a single new original independent atom. Even so, we believe, and operate as though we are independent and with "*free*" will, no less. But since we all die, we are far from being independent agents. Interdependence, is no escape either as our social systems often fail.

Functionally, the truth is, we are corrupted, limited, dependent beings based on "humanism" where we deny God and work toward "transhumanism." Are we are being pushed and put in the wrong place through technology?

The Individual Realm

There is one fact that is against all proper individual function and that fact is separation. We are unique beings but we are separated from our source, from truth, and from many major functions. Being separated individuals does not bode well for us—we all die. We are not the independent beings we think we are, but are born dependent to *experience* and learn about evil.

As unique, but separated individuals, we are adapting and expanding through progressively evolving experiences. But we are no match to compete with an enemy called “deception” that increases our separation and encourages “*free*” will. Our knowledge is most often a mixture of both truth and lie. The trouble with this model of educational experience about evil is that it occurred when the function of unity was broken. Although we are unique, we are not unified. We are broken, and try as we might, we will never unify because the way we were meant to function has been reversed.

Instead of operating from the top down, inside out, we now operate from the outside in, below up. This way of functioning works for us neither as separated individuals nor collectively as a social system with others. The only thing that it produces is further separation, not life, and that problem has been happening to all types of living beings at all levels throughout all known history. Separation from source does not work! We are not “free.”

The ways we fight against this predicament are as wrong as the problem itself. Until individuals or groups of individuals, called societies, come to see that aggressive *competition* and *deception* do not unify, death will remain as our greatest enemy for our thoughts, words, or deeds—indeed, for our life.

About YOU

When you were conceived, it took a while before you realized you were being formed. It didn’t matter whether you were planned, unplanned, or even unwanted—you were conceived and started forming. From just two different cells that could fit on the head of a pin, your evolving experience was forming you into a created physical creature. You had a purpose which no process could perform through randomness. **You** were *predestined*.

At birth you were separated from your mother, and at your first breath, you became a unique individual but a separated one. You did not yet know that you had an inborn spirit with intelligence that was directing your design as

an *unique* individual. Even if you had a twin, you were still unique, **but your life was a conditional privilege, not a right—you do not make the laws.**

Once born and as time passed, you continued to grow. By the age of two, and beyond, “no” probably became a favorite word to establish what you thought was your independence. By the age of five you used the lie as an excuse, thinking here that you could escape any accountability for your misdeeds. Your *conscience* was forming and told the truth about your lying—that it was wrong to do so. By that age you also killed some flying or crawling bugs you discovered. From your actions with their encounter you knew what murder was. You deliberately killed them and they died.

It took a while to learn later that you also inherited this same terrible condition called *dying*. Humans are living a suffering dying life in the flesh that age until dead. *Malfunctions* are what make the problem and their consequences accumulate. These cause *aging* and many people in various ways try to avoid this problem, but dying until dead always happens to everyone and the cause is always the same—wrongful function.

Collectively, our human efforts are no match to solve this problem; we were lacking many factors and qualities from the get-go. The following three are just a *few* of the factors we were lacking:

- **Independence:** While unique, we are not the free-willed independent being we think we are... we were born dependent and stay that way
- **Truth:** Knowledge is most often a mixture of truth and lie. Filled with fraud, our understandings are corrupted
- **Power:** No person or group has ever created a single original elemental atom. We may use them all, but we create not one.

How We Operate

Regardless of these shortcomings we still operate with our outside-in, below-up deficient **self-opinions, traditions, technology, artificial intelligence (AI), atheistic science, mathematics, and humanistic religions** in our social systems. These are all “*free*” will fact-based thinking and actions, although you may not realize it. There is a great need for individuals to see the difference between facts and functions.

The Facts of Functions provides a deeper answer for understanding the ‘*How*’ and ‘*Why*’ of life’s functions, such as our thinking and the formation of

our beliefs, not just the ‘*What*’ of some facts. It is far more important to understand the function of what something does, than the facts of what something is. Both facts and functions have built-in problems and we need to know what they are or we are forever repeating mistakes.

Facts are perspectively spherical and exist in us as various types of *thoughts*, *ideas*, and *beliefs*, and around us as *objects*, *actions*, or *forces*. Their *attributes* and *values* are influenced within us by our *beliefs* and *desires* resulting in our *attitudes* about them. Facts are what is, but they have a problem—**some facts are filled with deceptions—lies**. This is the reason they usually require many points of view before some trust can be placed in them. There is a war going on against truth and a fact-based thinker must be cautious in their conclusions to know the cause(s) of a fact.

Functions are what cause facts. Functions are what do something to make facts as a product. Wholesome facts are made by a function-based thinker using actions with correct points of view. By following very specific principles the negative consequences of malfunction become far less.

As young individuals we liked our mysterious motives and the motions of our activity, but we lacked the wisdom to manage them. Until a person sees the purpose in the functions behind their actions, they will remain separated and immature. Unity is lacking. This life is not a game and the many terrible consequences of malfunction prove it.

We operate and function in just four realms. They are first ordered and experienced as the *Individual*, *Social*, *Environmental*, and *Spiritual*. Only later are we led to reverse their order for getting their priorities straight. This means that everyone should develop a reasonable level of caution about what is accepted as “truth” or what is “normal” in society.

Sustainable life requires that we do things correctly... and that is difficult if not outright impossible for us as we are born imperfect and often malfunction. We lacked experience when young and thus had, at first, little wisdom about our choices and found it difficult to avoid wrong decisions. Too late did we find out that our *desires* were faulted on the inside and that harmful *deceptions* and *addictions* were waiting for us on the outside—our beliefs, habits, and attitudes were heavily influenced by them.

When young, we were taught to be more fact-based, not function-based, for directing our lives. We needed mature desires and attitudes in our character

for faultless conduct. There is a great deal of difference between these two approaches in the management and use of our thinking for greater maturity and more truthful beliefs. The one (fact-based) is common but immature; the other (function-based) is more mandatory in order to mature. The following is a small commentary and comparison to help see why.

Fact-based People Function-based People

Make many unwise decisions	Make mostly wiser decisions
Often impulsive or compulsive	More thought out and reserved
Inconsiderate of consequences	Consider many consequences
More reactive and unplanned	More proactive and planned
Driven more by emotions	Led more by reason and truth
Wrongly <i>applies</i> force of will	Correctly <i>defers</i> force of will
Are usually younger people	Often older more mature people
Largely competitive	Generally cooperative
Frequently deceptive and harmful	Usually truthful and helpful
Use 'self' as a standard and idol	Use a higher standard than self
Distractions monopolize attention	More focused on purpose & plan
Do not understand the <u>Law of Return</u>	Realize what we do returns to us

About Fact-Based Thinking

Fact-based thinking is to think *unstructured*, *unrestricted*, and *liberal* for saying or doing anything we want just because we can—it is acting out with little regard to *values*, *rules*, or *permission*. Often, not even *consequence* is taken into account. This is rash and reckless criminal thinking based more on pride and emotion than on common sense. Many harmful effects happen. We think this humanistic way more than we realize, after all, we were taught to believe that we have “*free*” will.

Truth will set us free, but when young, we also fell captive to willful ignorance. We lacked the self-motivation to research privately. As adults we still do the same thing and resist studying for seeking truth—**truth**, being all the correct perspectives on any given subject or thing. Remarkably, most

adults do little checking to verify their beliefs—even major beliefs.

There is too much evil—**evil**, being a mixture of both “good” and “bad” so malfunction happens. Many religsters and banksters use their “authority” and evil to influence what we believe and how we act. They mold the minds of the masses through authoritative schooling and education for enslavement to their will. Even when these tyrants are exposed, as the lying murderers they often are (study), nothing corrective happens. While people need truth, honesty, and peace they still neglect them. Instead, they choose willful ignorance and the humanistic way of “don’t think—just go do it.”

About Function-Based Thinking

Function-based thinking is mature *structured* thinking where legitimacy, permission, and a degree of kind goodness are carefully considered in our actions. This type of thinking is most often acceptable, does no harm, and usually produces pleasing consequences. As such, we would think early schooling would have taught everyone the truth of seven-step function-based thinking and not the deception of unstructured fact-based “free” will.

The Seven Functional Steps of Thinking

We find just seven steps to our human thinking process. Listed below is the *Facts of Function Thinking Model* as taxonomy about forced-function structured thinking. Everyone already uses these functions throughout the day as they live, think, and work but with very little awareness of their steps as functions. Few seem to understand the importance of their operations within the process of thinking. Schooling only used these natural functions of our thinking and did little to tell, teach, or train us in their use. We were not taught how to methodically process our thinking with these seven steps.

1. Conscious awareness (input)
2. Definition
3. Perception
4. Perspective
5. Organization
6. Systematization
7. Production (output).

Proving the Steps and Their Functional Order

Come to see how each step is dependent upon the former. Knowing the importance of these functions is critical so we become aware of the subject and accurately process it for our use—**and they often work so fast!**

- ✓ We do not define anything unless we are first conscious and aware of something specific about a subject. Our consciousness is like a flood light on reality. Awareness is like a spotlight on something specific about it
- ✓ We do not usefully perceive unless we first define the object, action, or conceptual insight from the facts or functions found in some information
- ✓ We do not have a useful perspective until we first perceive through the senses and then add reasoning, imagination, and intuition (cognition)
- ✓ We do not have proper organization until we first have a main correct perspective out of the many (comedians reverse them in their jokes)
- ✓ We do not systematize effectively or efficiently for production unless we first organize
- ✓ We do not produce anything unless we use at least one system
- ✓ We do not build a belief, achieve a goal or complete a plan unless we produce.

Further defining them for perceiving how they work:

1. **Consciousness:** Our first priority in its use is to become *intentionally aware* as we focus on the properties of something specific above and beyond our general consciousness—we focus on its facts and functions
2. **Definition:** We accurately separate and define what something is or is not by defining the many objective or subjective factors about it
3. **Perception:** Associating the facts and functions to form ideas to see general relationships with other things for how they relate and work
4. **Perspective:** Opinions and beliefs are based on specific relationships in a point of view. We rarely have or know enough of them and never all of them despite their extreme functional importance. *Just one new factor can change a system for how we do things or cause a long-held belief to be abandoned and thrown out*
5. **Organization:** Proper separation of the parts for ordering or reordering their placement and use by some system is the focus
6. **Systematization:** The selection of the work system(s) to do whatever work is necessary (all work occurs through a system of some sort)

7. **Production:** Producing some “product” to satisfy a want or need goal. These seven functions provide the process and guidance to satisfy our desires and fulfill our needs or wants when we work. The first four are mostly involved in our discovering and our inventive work of mind. The latter three are more involved in our productive work.

The Open-Minded Analytic Model

Inventive Side (Input)-----Productive Side (Output)

1. Consciousness

7. Production

2. Definition

6. Systematization

3. Perception

5. Organization

4. Perspective

Shaped like a V or bowl so as to “catch all” new input, it follows the inventive flow to learn without prejudice. There is little or no pre-judging of the new input as is done in the close-minded model next illustrated. Here, we simply process the input in innocence and openness and drill down until we form a perspective. Not until we form and select a perspective about it do we judge what to do next.

This is serious work and not kid stuff. We ought to have had years of teaching and training in its use. It was omitted to dumb us down just like the lack of sense and memory training was. Many schools today do not even teach how to read an analogue clock or teach cursive writing and reading.

The Close-Minded Analytic Model

Inventive Side (Input)-----Productive Side (Output)

4. Perspective

3. Perception

5. Organization

2. Definition

6. Systematization

1. Consciousness

7. Production

Perspective is at the top here because it “observes” all new input on the inventive side with a prejudiced eye. *It dominates by acting as a top-down judge.* It is constantly comparing and judging new information and usually acts as the front-most point of our beliefs.

Our past perspectives, and their resulting beliefs, act as a filter. As *the*

stimulus is passed from function to function up the inventive side for processing, *much of the input is made to fit our old experience*.

Because people are separated from each other, the uniqueness of their individual personal experience makes it quite difficult, if not impossible to (1) become conscious and aware of the same thing in the same way; (2) define it correctly; (3) perceive it precisely; and (4) be consistent with our perspectives for communicating with others. Too much is ambiguous. When it comes to our PRODUCTIVE purposes we have problems with (5) organizing it effectively; (6) systematizing it efficiently; and (7) empowering the production of something for the intended result.

While new information continually flows, making this information fit our old learning often prevents new learning. This practice, along with *passivity*—the “I am comfortable” attitude, or *condemnation*, “this is different from what I currently believe, therefore I’ll condemn it”—prevents new learning. Many other practices and habits also suppress it, but *passivity* and *condemnation* are the worst.

Thinking with this close-minded model readily “sheds” new input because it is pre-judging and filtering new experience through our past experience and associated beliefs. Beware of personal prejudice as it is often not our friend.

Think of close-mindedness as *always making statements*, *rarely* asking questions, or being unwilling to add new perspectives for changing position on an opinion or belief. The truth of a matter becomes too hard to accept.

About Belief Formation

There are many forces and factors that we progressively become aware of throughout the day. Our beliefs take root in them. Four progressive functional stages are important to become conscious and aware of in the development and formation process of a belief. Looking at them we find...

(1) Awareness and definition of some specific input information at lower levels of consciousness. After more reflection we dismiss it or move on to

(2) Acknowledged acceptance and definition at higher levels of consciousness where more reflection occurs—we accept but not yet fully believe what we became made aware of

(3) Implied (passive) or express (active) consent is given as we perceive and form perspectives whether to believe or not believe as a product

(4) A varying degree of commitment is then formed for either decision.

Once commitment is reached, organization, systematization, and production become much more involved and are used for the productive activity.

We **consciously** became aware of received information from some source, worked on expanding our definition of it and then **accepted** it. **Consent** is when we judged to form our agreement or disagreement about it (we must beware of passive agreement where we “assume,” but did not first investigate). And finally, when we **committed** to what we consented to we also embraced the belief and put force of will behind it.

The common usage of the term “belief” from dictionaries is understood to have facts and force of will behind them, but understated is the function of emotion as if it has no part in them. So the better *functional* definition is that most beliefs are composed of associated emotional motivations, rational reasons and willful volitional *properties* that give them form and force.

Due to emotion, belief has both *voluntary* and *involuntary* functional parts. To understand what we mean when we say that we believe something, these distinctions become very important. Look and see why.

Emotion lends felt sensations to a belief—it is essentially *involuntary*. When associated with moral issues, emotion is a contentious and complicated issue. The view in this writing is that emotion is *involuntary*. This is often seen through the quick-tempered reactions toward anyone who disagrees with our favored opinions or beliefs. Our ego gets involved.

Reasoning lends credible reasons as facts with some understanding about the functions involved with a belief—it is *voluntary*.

Will lends force of commitment to a belief—it is *voluntary*.

The reason this is a problem is that emotions are largely *involuntary*, while thinking and willing are *voluntary*. When both of these types of expressions—involuntary or voluntary—are considered, our work to understand and define belief formation is simplified. It should be seen that in the one (involuntary) we often have little to *no* control to prevent it, though we are obliged to train and contain many of our emotional responses even when we have difficulty doing so. In the other (voluntary) we do have control; we select the subject on which we focus and think.

To summarize: Belief is an internal view of mind that employs all seven functions of *the model* in its formation. A conclusion was

formed based on or about the substance of *the stimulus* having the *properties* of emotional feelings, reasoned facts, and force of will associated with it and is accepted by one or more people.

We develop beliefs and habits regarding our Knowledge, Understanding, and Wisdom for satisfying our desires. Knowledge is about the ‘*what*’ of facts; Understanding is about the ‘*how*’ and ‘*why*’ the way things function and work; Wisdom is concerned with the ‘*when*’ and ‘*where*’ of our choices, decisions, and actions as it is applied toward living and a goal.

It is easy to stay enslaved to our old beliefs and habits and we must be more reflective on them. **Until a person experiences learning that a belief they long held as true is a fraud, they have not yet begun on the road to maturity.** Deceptions abound in governments, religions, education, professions, skills and trades, and in corporate agendas—that’s how they maintain their “authoritative” control over all of us.

A Short Note about the Function of Health

Of striking importance about health is to perceive the principle that LIFE is time based whereas HEALTH is condition based. *The Law of Return* returns the effects of harmful conditions. The conditions we submit to require careful thought, research, and consideration. Become aware of the following factors for their conditions.

- Air — quite polluted today. Filters and ozone purifiers may help
- Water — in cities it is loaded with fluoride, chlorine, and medications
- Food — acid-base (alkaline) balance is off. We need more alkaline

The following are some others. Add those you think important.

Clothing	Hygiene	Cleanliness	Exercise
Education	Hobby	Friends	Location
Supportive work	?	?	?

The condition(s) found in each of the above have a great deal to do with our health. Each has many functions involved with them and need serious thought from time to time. In each of these factors, health is easy to lose. Oftentimes we do not see the dangers posed in them until too late. Think and consider them as most require considerable study.

The Social Realm

Functionally, human society is a group of individuals making up the populations of countries covering the Earth. Unfortunately individuals are corrupt so there are no sustainable societies. Individuals come in only two genders: male or female, but hormones and social agendas greatly influence and prejudice how each functions. Families are the smallest social unit and throughout history consisted of a man, a woman, and their naturally resulting children. Individuals and families interface (just meet) and interact (do things together) in societies, and this makes societies quite complex.

Societies throughout history have been heavily influenced to be *socially engineered* by those born ahead of us. As we aged, we found out that **we were all born into an *engineered* society in which others controlled through the *evil* practices of aggressive competition and deception for domination** to favor criminal antagonistic agendas for overall control.

Most people today accept competition, deception, and today's social feminization agenda of young males as "normal." These sinister practices were *infused* into society for profit and control through deficient education, win-lose sports, and heavily slanted liberal negative media influence. Instead of individuals overcoming them through private personal research, truth, and common sense, these enslaving practices overcame people and changed society in order to perpetuate their use. The point and purpose of *social engineering* is to change society according to the rules of the insensitive avaricious few to a standard that is harmful and outright hostile toward the majority of others. They use the outside-in, below-up approach.

The first target for malformation and malfunction for gaining social control is directed against the *individual*. See to it that they are deceptively miseducated and you probably have control of the second factor—the entire *family unit*. Eventually the entire society succumbs.

There is no unity. There is also no easy way for young individuals to accurately define, perceive, and form the correct perspectives to avoid this evil. What is the underlying problem? The problem is individuals thinking they have "*free*" will to do whatever they want. Operating under the long reversed order of "self" first, an individual rarely matures (highly improbable, really) to where other individuals, or the social, environmental, or spiritual realms come first.

Instead, most interloping authorities subjected us to their error-filled fact-based thinking. They greatly influenced our budding development and left us immature by teaching that we have “free” will. But **we have no true “free” will** as there is no known way we can be free from past experience—we were heavily influenced by their evil teachings each and every day!

To form an uninfluenced decision from the available choices, we cannot separate and remove part of our mind and take it outside of ourselves. As our mind mulls over the choices, the decision part is not free from the many past influences introduced by parents and so many others. Those with hostile agendas work at cleverly enslaving others to their terrible teachings and negative practices. “Free” will, fact-based thinking, outside-in below-up (you are the boss), aggressive *competition*, and *deception* for *domination* are the main examples. Thus, people are made into social slaves.

Humanity has had **no plan** by which to manage themselves as individuals, much less their collective societies. Societies make demands, but have no real plan for how to live. Consequently, there has *never* been a lengthy time of “oneness” and unity where all peoples of all the various countries cooperated and truly got along. Constant conquest and war was, and often still is, the method for worldwide management by crisis by the dominators.

Today, the so-called New World Order types of people have been refining their methods of *social engineering* in their conquest for world control across all people and their social functions: religions, governments, education, economics, banking, energy, healthcare, and now food too, are the pillars for social control backed up by police and military force. Their “education” is focused more on how to make a living, rather than on how to live.

Are you prepared to be in a digitally controlled social future like a robot with an e-ID? Research what is happening in Estonia. Check out Saudi Arabia’s Neom project and China’s “social” credit rating for individuals. The *Internet of Things* is being used to become totally aware of everything! This is the future being rolled out and tested for absolute awareness and control of everything a person is and does. It is the counterfeit control for obedience to the power people making the social rules.

A socially controlled individual through computerized AI software is the new future. The *Internet of Things* is working on running all societies and you. By the time people begin realizing what has happened, it most likely is too late to change. It all sounds so right and good at first—not.

The Environmental Realm

Earth is a special *expanding* planet formed as part of an electric universe. On it is a natural environment, but there is also a synthetic environment—the one we humans have introduced. This is accomplished through the approval of implied or express consent. Collectively we humans are fast polluting the Earth and its natural environment. The onslaught of misplaced invasive species, industrial chemicals such as agricultural chemicals, plastics, and drugs got stuck in the wrong place. As bad or worse are radiation, electro-magnetism, microwave, and genetic alterations which are accepted mostly through *implied* consent, not *express* consent. The powers that be ‘do first’ and ‘ask later’ with their geo-engineering. Has anyone ever asked your permission to geo-engineer the natural environment? Or the right to genetically change plants, animals, fish, birds or anything else a government or corporation desires with their ‘science’?

For air, sea, and land, the idea that “might makes right” comes into play. It is a wrong concept, of course, for when the mighty weaken, their “rights” are also taken away like everyone else. This cycle has been going on throughout history and this is the way of aggressive *competition* and *deception* for *domination*. These practices neither unify the world’s countries nor are they environmentally sustainable. Individually, or taken together, they are a failed system and must be discontinued and switched over to agreeable cooperation, service, and truth for honesty.

Time and space also have certain reservations for personal use. But it is no secret that people are often wrongly infringed upon by others, especially by physical religions, governments, and large corporations for their own advantage... use and abuse of a person’s personal time in particular.

These huge organizations do first, and ask later (if they ever do). They do what they want because they know *implied* consent comes into play and can claim people had an opportunity to question their actions, but did not... so now whatever they do is permissible. *Implied* legal consent is sneaky, usually corrupt, and has selfish malicious intent. These are not quality actions that are in the best interests for the Earth’s environment and especially for its inhabitants—the natural environment is being intimidated by greedy governments, corporations, and individuals using human science. Unequipped as we were, but through much work by our parents and later by others, we each grew, learned about, and contended with our

environments—both of them... the natural and now the human-made *synthetic*. The former is sustainable, the latter is not. Reports and articles in 2019 claim we may lose a million species to extinction this year.

Did you know that the Earth is full of “free” energy, but the political and social engineers, along with the geo-engineers will not release it in useable forms to the common people? Consequently our science follows the wrongful outside-in, below-up practice and thus remains ignorant of truth and wisdom. They wrongly deny cooperating for the benefit of others. Everyone is enslaved.

Is the atom smashing, by the Large Hadron Collider (CERN) merely a desperate attempt by humans to create a new atom for new matter? Is it also an attempt for inter-dimensional communication with negative spirit beings?

Is our outside-in, bottom-up space exploration a violation of our human function? Or is it merely another negative example of “*free*” will fact-based thinking and doing?

There are many more secrets held in captivity by our natural environment.

We should all been taught, know, and have learned about the Fibonacci numbers and the Golden Mean ratio. But until wrong-way societies and their “scientists” become right-minded and operate from above-down, inside-out, they will *never* understand the universe or be socially united.

As individuals, however, we can do so on a personal development level, but few have the resolve to do so—it takes considerable research, study, and inspiration plus a large amount of determined motivation to do so.

Learning the truth about the matters of our reality is not easy, but it is something on which everyone ought to spend a great deal of time, thought, and resource. The thoughts we hold in the environment of our mind also have the natural (the truth) and the artificial (the lie). To protect ourselves from the unwanted lies we are to think inwardly on things *true*, *honest*, *just*, *pure*, and *lovely* pondering *virtues*, *good reports*, and *praise*. But few people have ever considered these as a habitual practice for their thinking. Yet, if we get serious for a moment, we can see that if these are followed and used in our thinking, there is no room for thought malfunction. These factors are all positive and constructive and ought to be the pattern and principles our thinking and consequent thoughts always use and follow. Make a determined effort to implement them in your thinking for a difference in life.

The Spiritual Realm

The Spiritual Realm, just like the Individual, Social, and Environmental Realms, operates with rewards and punishments. Do no malfunction and things usually work well, but if malfunction happens, punishment of some sort occurs. This is what we are being taught in this phase of progressive creation for how to function at this time.

In the Spiritual Realm we are to learn that there is a very large functional difference between what is religious and what is spiritual. Humanistic religion is outside-in and bottom-up, but the spiritual is topside-down and inside-out. Humanistic religions of the past have required humans to agree and ratify them in the hopes to become spiritual and therefore are humanistic. Even Moses and the famed Ten Commandments, given to the Israelites through an angel after they were led out of Egypt, were a humanistic contract. The Israelites ratified them by saying they would obey and do them, so they were humanistic even though they came from God. But understand, no one was ever “saved” by obedience to these commandments good as they were. They were missing something.

Although humanistic religions tend to point *to* the spiritual, they also tend to blind the minds of people *from* the Spiritual. This is a mystery to most people caught up in these organizations so they continue to blindly follow them and what they have been taught to believe. Like the Israelites of old, nothing persuaded them and their beliefs to “see” the spiritual realm. The comfort of associating with others in the group was enough of a reward.

Back when Jesus was walking among the Israelites, His proof of His spirituality by sinlessness, genealogy, prophecy, or miracle was rejected. Instead, those at high levels over Israel (both rulers and priesthood) wanted to kill Him... and eventually they did persuade the Romans to do so. In many ways it remains spiritually true to this very day through deception. Jesus warned, time and time again, to beware of deception and not to fall for them. Nevertheless, many if not most of those calling themselves Christians today, believe in the deceptions of the (1) *Trinity*—Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. But God is bringing many Sons to glory. (2) *Hell*—a fictional hot place for endless torture, but death was the consequence of sin, not Hell... and besides, if Hell was the consequence, then Jesus should be there forever as He took all sins upon Himself. (3) *Immortality*—the ability to

live forever, but do you *really* think, as an individual, that you have any power to prevent death and live forever?

The only “sign” Jesus stated would be proof of His authenticity was the sign of Jonah—*resurrection*. To be resurrected after death is the work of God and this begins in the spiritual realm, not the physical. It is called salvation.

Salvation follows a four-part plan and program as defined in the Bible for an individual *after* the life, death, resurrection, and judgment of Jesus happened. The works Jesus did were also applied to all Christians through *imputation* for adaption and then adoption by God as a “son.” This means the works He did under Mosaic Law (the Ten Commandments, ordinances and more) were legally applied to each Christian as though they were personally performed by them as their own. Salvation came by these works and others as pictured by the Holy Days, the temple offerings, rites, and rituals during His sinless life and then His death. He performed all and fulfilled all God desired for the salvation of all.

There is an established process which is followed before the full effect of salvation as a Christian occurs—just joining an organized humanistic “church” claiming to be Christian, does not cut it. The four main parts are (1) the *calling*, (2) *conversion*, (3) *justification*, and (4) *glorification*. These are all individual *spiritual* gifts and events directly from God made possible through the work of Jesus Christ. All four occur instantaneously.

A person becomes a Christian by first being called by God so that they will respond to hearing what Jesus did for them. This is “the gospel” or “good news” that is told and preached, but God does not call everybody at the present time—some are *predestinated* and called while some are not. The “calling” is not ratified, but it is *confessed* by the person stating that they believe in Jesus Christ as their personal savior.

Conversion occurs because of the giving of a new, but single spirit, composed of two aspects or parts—God the Father’s and the one formed for us out of the sinless character of Jesus while in the flesh. His sacrificial blood is then applied to a person and they are justified and *spiritually* cleansed of all offense or sin and malfunction for acceptance by God. Our own death ends the physical consequences here on Earth for our malfunctions. Glorification is the *ongoing* progressive spiritual development of the person with many of its growth aspects never ending. All four of these

events occur *instantaneously* as a gift from God. But it takes personal study, time, and Godly inspiration for this to be realized for development

Some Christians grow quickly; some slowly if ever at all... just being “saved” seems to wrongly satisfy their thinking usually through their humanistic religious “physical” efforts and church going while they reject spiritual growth to grow in spirit and truth.

What is confusing to many Christian’s, due to wrong understanding and deception, is that salvation is an *already* accomplished fact for everyone. In God’s eyes, after Jesus finished His work of living the perfectly obedient life in the flesh culminating with His sacrificial death and the shedding His blood—everyone was saved, but it is being worked out for different individuals at different times and purposes in various ways.

This fourth part, which should be placed first, has the job of bringing *awareness* into the reader’s consciousness certain facts and functions about this most difficult of subjects—the “spiritual” realm. Though the spiritual realm is largely *unseen* by us, the physical creation does reflect its existence, even its top-down inside-out pattern of operation. But humanistic religions, those that are loaded with rules, rites, and rituals as “works,” have so clouded the definition and perception of the subject, it is about impossible to learn the truth from them. Humanistic religions each have their own story and version of what to believe and do as their path to the spiritual realm, but they all have a problem—is what they tell, teach, and promote true? Test and try them against the full truth. Will they stand up? Each say they do.

We humans are learning that we do not have the right to cognitive freedom to think, believe, and then do anything we want. This is fact-based “free” will thinking—where we see the apparent fact, freedom, and our ability to do something without regard to permissibility, legitimacy, or even consequence.

Recall what was written earlier that **evil** contains both “good” and “bad.” We are living in evil times. The property of evil has not exempted religions, and as anyone can see so plainly today, their degenerate bad acts are on-going. War, killing, murder, robbing, and their sexual exploits, especially against children, are offences and malfunctions that are happening all the time—everywhere. More people have been killed, or are now being killed, due to religion than any other organizational entity.

Ironically, the first victim that is mutilated and murdered—so killing becomes acceptable—is not a person, but truth. Recall what was stated earlier about **truth**—that it is all the *correct* perspectives on any given subject. Slant them ever so slightly and truth is compromised. Because we experience the realms of reality backward starting out as infants, they need to be reversed when older. In terms of importance and power, the spiritual realm ought to be first, but this order is not understood by the young (or by many adults.)

Since most all religions claim they are “the one and only true way” to the spiritual realm and to God, that tendency provides a powerful incentive for *social engineers* to manipulate religions and to use them for their control purposes.

Three False god's

Both ancient and modern writings have many stories ascribing a supernatural being to the spiritual realm as “God”—the Creator of all. But people today have created their own god of sorts. Evolution, science, and artificial intelligence are three.

Evolution cannot create “originals” like God and therefore creates no new original atoms, natures, or rights. It has no power to do so as it only modifies what already exists as adaption. Any believer in evolution, as a sentient god through chance, denies the obvious need for a controlling smart being with power to unify and manage the functional production of all facts from the top down. Only an intelligent powerful creative being has that capacity. It ought to be seen that a “process” simply does not fit the bill and that it is a deception to believe in it as the real and only creative God.

“Science” is what we call the efforts produced by people speculating about the universe through observation, measurement, and experiment. Human science is mainly reverse engineering what already exists for its knowledge. It attempts to deduce from what exists as to how it was formed and operates. This is why no person or group of people (scientists) has ever created a single never-before-existing original atom—not one! Like the evolutionary process, they can’t. The bottom-up approach is backward from the top-down way God uses and they therefore back into what they learn, mainly through deduction.

Artificial Intelligence (AI) is the developing fake savior and false hope of humanity. Its “intelligence” comes mostly from our past facts and functions that we performed. Most all our actions have long been observed, recorded,

and analyzed to make up AI. It is “smart,” but becomes autonomous and enslaving. As it becomes more controlling, it also becomes much more evil. Creation takes a sentient being that acts from the top down, inside out; one that infuses the *nature* and *purpose* for its being into any created creature or thing. Operating with intention and power, the plan is to bring about a unified creation, not one as a separated random “process.” But a Creator God can even delegate His power of creativity to another being or, as in the case with the above three, to a lesser process in a limited way as adaptability.

Adaptability is a requirement of anything that is created—God made it so. We Adamic humans are to adapt from the top-down, inside-out, not the outside-in, below-up “free” willed fact-based backward way.

Examples of Wrongful Competitive Outside-In Below-Up Adaption

Profaning, cursing, fornication, adultery, covetousness, drunkenness, envy, extortion, hatred, heresy, idolatry, lasciviousness, lying, manslaughter, murder, revelry, sedition, strife, stealing, sorcery, variance, witchcraft, wrath, and many others are typical types of human malfunction based on “free” *will fact-based* thinking and actions—these are ALL *negative* forms of conduct encouraged by aggressive competition.

To change a problem of this nature requires a higher power than those individuals who began and do the practice of them. While societies demand positive forms of conduct from individuals, they do not teach how or supply the power—they just make demands for whatever they consider to be proper conduct.

Religions are brought into societies to supposedly teach morals and ethics, but few people distinguish the difference between the two. Morals relate to above-down inside-out *spiritual* laws and principles for conduct. Ethics are principles and guidance according to outside-in, below-up human *social* rules and laws primarily made by governments. Religions are many and some want to change governments by changing the beliefs they hold. To do so they may use magic, mysticism, or agendas with molded philosophies. They tend to operate as outside-in, below-up, “free” will, fact-based organizations with clever entrapments for mind or body to obtain and maintain influence for social control. AI is becoming their latest means.

One control practice used is to require *surrender* to their beliefs. It stands to reason that some individual “rights” must be yielded for any society to

function, but what gets pushed aside in the process is the *development* of the unique individual according to function-based principles. *Aggressive competition* (the “win” at all costs — be converted or be killed) and *deception* is often their manner of conduct for inward self-righteous satisfaction. Thus, the positive and cooperative function-based principles are never known or taught.

Individuals, and their societies, ought to develop to the point that they no longer do harm. No individual ought to offend self, others, the environment, or God. This is the desire that God has expressed throughout all time in various ways. His human and spirit being creatures are slow to learn from the experience of evil and malfunction. People spend so little time or effort to grasp what evil is, what it is for, and especially what to do about it that ignorance about it prevails. Both religions and governments are victims of evil. It has been that way for as far back as history can peer into.

Examples of Rightful Cooperative Top-down Inside-out Adaption

Love, joy, peace, patience, gentleness, goodness, faithfulness, kindness, and self-control are outward behaviors toward others that individuals desire and appreciate coming from others toward them. But rare is the individual that develops such a character to do so in all circumstances outwardly toward others. The Western World champions Jesus Christ as the one individual that did so as the stories in the Bible reveal. Ironically, the very people (the Israelite’s) who ought to have embraced Him rejected Him. Despite His claim that it was by and through Him that salvation from death and evil would occur. Instead, they got Him killed. Was there a reason? Yes. “Christianity” came about through Jesus Christ. This is the *progressive* story recorded in the Bible as the on-going drama being worked out about human beings and their lives throughout all Ages. Next, we look into what seemingly went wrong—why did they unwittingly seek to kill Him?

For background, it is important to understand that the spiritual Son of Abraham (his physical son was Isaac) came on earth as the Son of God (not God the Son as the anti-Christian false “*Trinity*” belief teaches) and God was His father through His “Holy” Spirit. Holiness has at least two factors of definition important to understand. The first is perfection from any form of malfunction. The second is whatever God says is “Holy” or perfect then is—according to His functional purpose.

Jesus had God's spirit (those nine *outward* functions) without measure and was not human in the true sense of the word in that He was not dying until dead as all other Adamic humans came to be. He did not have our now corrupted nature bent on "*free*" will malfunction, but was a very special spiritually formed being in the flesh. His virgin birth, by Mary His mother, indicates she was only the "carrier" of His fleshly body. Should Jesus have had our corrupted human blood through her, He could not be the God-promised savior. So His blood was uniquely pure and the reason why it was accepted by God to remove all offense, sin, or malfunction of all types.

Jesus could feel, think, and act as we do, but could not malfunction or fail morally. He never indulged in "*free*" will fact-based thoughts or acts to malfunction by negative adaptability. No one could kill Him unless He allowed it to happen. God's spirit in Him totally ruled over His life in-the-flesh. He was the God-sent promised Savior and His life and death on Earth proved that and much more. Biblically, we are told He had come out of God as the first of creation as a spirit being and thereafter was used to create all things. ^(Colossians 1:16-18) Even so, He was then born on Earth physical and placed under Mosaic Law—the Ten Commandments and added ordinances with its rites and rituals. He became *the* Passover, where sin is "passed over" all individuals and laid upon Jesus.

We needed a new spirit formed perfectly obedient to God's will, ways, and plan for us to end the separation from our source. The Bible teaches that God sent His begotten Son, Jesus Christ, to fulfill His promise of a Savior to *the* Adam and woman. He lived out the qualities of God's function-based spirit flawlessly and *developed* it on Earth in the flesh to the full, just as God Himself would have.

Biblically, regarding Adamic humans, *evil* was used by a "*free-willed*" powerful spirit being to thwart the inheritance of Adamic human's and their purposed ruler ship over all creation. So powerful was the ploy of using "*free*" will, as a suggestive temptation to defy God that, all progeny since that early time and event have malfunctioned and died. But God would have none of it and sent by plan His begotten Son to solve the salvation problem.

Physical religion is "earthy" and what man believes they do for God from the outside-in below-up. It came through the bloodline of Abraham by faith belief in God, on through Isaac, Jacob and the twelve-tribe Israelites to Moses and the Ten Commandments. Added to "Mosaic Law" were many

special days, weeks, years, and times with many added ordinances, rites, and rituals, but no Israelite or others could keep them.

Violations against them were “sin.” While malfunctions by those not under Law were an “offense.” To solve the offense, sin, and death problem, God would later send His own spiritual Son in the form of flesh and blood.

The day before His crucifixion, He stated that He was “in” the Father (God) and that we (all Adamic humans) were “in” Him. He was the “Tree of Life” and the Israelite’s (Abraham’s descendants) were the *natural* branches, but they repeatedly refused to believe in Jesus as the Christ or Messiah; this, despite His proof by sinlessness, genealogy, prophecy, or miracle. Consequently New Testament Gentiles were grafted into the Tree of Life according to number to make them—the Jews—jealous. But this did not happen as their blinded reasoning failed. It happened earlier with Jesus at Solomon’s Porch, then with the stoning of Stephen, the first martyr, at the beginning of the book of Acts, and lastly at the end of Acts with Apostle Paul. The Israelites were spiritually blinded by God so they could not “see” the spiritual. Thus, non-Israelites, those of other nations, could be dealt with through *Grace* (unmerited pardon) not Law and mercy. But regardless, most of the *ecclesia*’s (what we call churches today) went back to some form of Law which means they threw out Jesus and His work. They wanted to earn their salvation in some way because they did not understand Jesus did all the work God required. This “doing of works,” such as reciting creeds, special prayers, fasting, observing special days, weeks, months, or years, is still present and ongoing today.

Back then, these groups were largely in modern day Turkey and are written up in chapters two and three of the Apocalypse (Revelation)... the revealing of Jesus Christ. Later, through Romanism, they expanded all over the world as humanistic physical religion. Most of “Christianity” has wrongly copied this form of worship, but this is called “Churchianity;” just start an organization, give it an “...ism” name and you have another new church.

Spiritual religion is “heavenly” and what God does for us from the top-down inside-out. Jesus Christ, God’s begotten Son and sent Saviour formed a perfect spirit for us (He said He came to do the Father’s will). God “calls” Adamic humans to Him resulting in their belief in Him as His church and receive His spirit, but only an earnest or small amount of it for now. True Christians also form the Body of Christ, become a New Creature, and are

the Temple of God. By God's "Grace," not Law, they are awarded their unearned salvation, but their reward is, in part, earned by their degree of growth and development in their likeness to the conduct of Jesus, His knowledge and practice of biblical truth, and by enduring pain and evil. The rewards are not hierarchical as all are equal "in" Jesus.

In Acts 28:28, Apostle Paul stated he would now go to the Gentiles (nations). He then revealed the "*mystery*" in the books of Ephesians, Colossians, and other New Testament books. The "*mystery*" had never before been revealed. The essence of it is that by spirit, all Adamic humans were placed "in" Jesus, so when He was circumcised, we were circumcised. When He was baptized, we were baptized. When He was crucified, we were crucified. When He died, we died. When He rose, we were also spiritually resurrected. When He was judged, we were judged. When He sat down on the right hand of God on His throne, we too, figuratively sat down. For those *predestined* and *called* into Jesus as part of His body, God had legally qualified them all "in" Jesus and His work.

For Christians, this is spiritual religion and they are not under Law or special "works." It is God that teaches this truth. He is directing and developing all things in a Christian through His Holy Spirit and the Spirit of Jesus Christ. (Romans 8:9) This is why no one earned salvation under the physical religious Law of Moses. No one until Jesus could keep them and plan-wise, God placed all humans "in" Him. Thus, all are "saved," just as God meant when He promised a Savior to the first Adam and the woman, wrongly called "Eve," but "Life" is her correct name as she is the mother of all living.

Each individual will eventually receive salvation through Jesus Christ though the experience may be vastly different according to which of two future resurrections they come up in.

God will not accept rebels and those hostile to Him, His creation, or to others, but the end for everyone is reunification with God, life with no evil, no unsolvable problems, and no pain. Gone will be the excusing of self and the blaming others for any malfunctions by a person. This is the pattern both woman and *the* Adam promoted and has been our pattern of individual conduct ever since. Blaming others for our personal failures and bad acts is not in keeping with proper conduct. Everyone ought to examine their conduct to see if they are doing the same. This is what Jesus had to suffer for and overcome during His life and His death for the salvation of all.

What We Must Learn

Even when we experience the negative words or actions against us from others, we are to return, as best we can, the positive thoughts, words, and actions of love, joy, peace, patience, gentleness, goodness, faithfulness, kindness, and self-control toward others. **Forgiveness** is a part of love that is to be applied to all others when necessary and remarkably even to God. After all, we had no say in our making or any choice in having this horrible experience with evil.

The spiritual realm is taught simply and clearly in later biblical texts, but was denied when Jesus Christ walked the earth. He couldn't get through to the leaders of His own people, the Israelites. They denied Him (see John 8) and then got Him killed. Strangely, this was all by plan according to the Bible. Little considered is that He was (figuratively) slain before the foundation (of anything ever created; see Revelation 2:8). This was all in the creative plan of God. Jesus stated that He would suffer and be killed through the very priesthood people (the Israelites) allowed to do so back in Roman Empire times.

What Jesus endured and developed for us during His life and on the cross is His 'gift' to us as a proof of His love. He prophesied it. In *Matthew 16:21* we find that, ***“From that time forth began Jesus to show unto his disciples, how that he must go unto Jerusalem, and suffer many things of the elders and chief priests and scribes, and be killed, and be raised again the third day”***. This was part of being made the promised Savior sent by God, so enduring suffering was part of God's creative plan.

Few people, if any, suffered more than Jesus did. Yet He accepted His role and fulfilled it perfectly throughout His life, as well as in death by crucifixion. During that event He overcame malfunctions of all types for us and this became part of the development of His spirit. Once fully formed, His spirit is a requirement as part of the new spirit given to a called, converted, justified, and glorified Christian. ^(Romans 8:9) Every Christian ought to understand this as it is Jesus' works that saves, not theirs. We examine next some of what He suffered, overcame, and equaled.

Spend some time thinking on these factors as the Bible tells us that He did them for all others and for every called, converted, justified, and glorified Christian as part of God's plan.

Suffering

Crucifixion during Roman times was devised to be a most cruel and painful way to kill a person. In addition to punishing the criminal, the practice was used to deter others from major crime. Whatever happened to the hapless victims prior to the crucifixion was just added torture. In Jesus' case, He had endured severe abuse and mockery all during the night, even a thorn wreath "crown" was pounded onto His head. This was incredibly painful. The reason is that when a person sweats blood (*hematidrosis*), as Jesus did in the garden before His arrest, small vessels rupture and mix with sweat in the sweat glands. This greatly sensitizes the nerves in the area and is very painful even to touch, much less later to have thorns driven in. Then Pilate, the Roman Perfect, had Him scourged. ^(John 19:1) Scourging was usually forty lashes less one according to Jewish custom when given by the Romans using a cat-o'-nine tails.

The meanness of crucifixion cannot be exaggerated for it was the perfection of torture at the time. Once the person was affixed, the slow process of dying began and it was intended to be prolonged and excruciating. Pulsating waves of pain would rack the body from head to foot.

In order to breathe, Jesus had to raise His body to inhale/exhale. The raw flesh of His back would then rub on the rough stake and beam and soon His legs would suffer from cramps as He pushed upwards. The arms would suffer from sharp, shooting, burning pains from where the nails had probably pierced the median nerve in the wrist area. Thirst would become intense from bodily loss of fluids and blood while the opposite would occur to the heart. The pericardium of the heart, the membrane surrounding the heart, would gradually fill with fluids and soon the heart would feel as though it was being stabbed with each beat.

As if that was not cruel enough, stones were also thrown at His defenseless body. It was the Passover observance so there were many that walked by and threw them at Him, not realizing that *He was the real offering of the Passover* (that the sins of every individual would be passed over) due to Jesus becoming sin for all. ^(2Corinthians 5:21) His body was shredded from these sharp stones and was made nearly unrecognizable as a human. No part of His body was spared; even some of His bones were exposed. He was marred more than any other human ^(Isaiah 52:14) yet He forgave all.

Overcoming

Christians are not to be overcome by evil, but to overcome evil with good. (Romans 12:21) Jesus lived out a life script of perfection which formed His spirit. God was in Him forming it. All others from *the* Adam lived out the experience of imperfection as their script. Jesus' work in the flesh was to overcome all the negative malfunctions that began to occur early on through the first Adam and woman formed from him. Through temptation, wrong desires, and the use of fact-based "*free*" will they separated from God by these wrong acts. Negative emotions, wrong self-centered thinking, and foolish actions rapidly happened thereafter.

Jesus OVERCAME the following factors and more for the saving of all.

- **Pride**
- **Fleshly desires and materialism**
- **Acting with "*Free*" will and being fact-based to "just go do it"**
- **Fear and running away.** Read Mark 14:32-42 to see how difficult it was for Jesus to overcome... He never ran away
- **Competition and deception for domination**
- **Evil in all its forms**
- **Harm, coarseness, changeableness, and lack of control**
- **Accusing and blaming others** for our own thoughts and actions
- **Scourging, beatings, and belittling** from others
- **Mockery and false accusation** especially by those around the cross
- **Pain**—the pain we experience joins us, in part, to what He experienced
- **Aloneness**—God forsook Him in His last dying hours of *saving* all just as God was alone when He committed to *creating* all
- **Death**—He conquered death through death.

John 16:33 These things I have spoken unto you, that in me ye might have peace. In the world ye shall have tribulation: but be of good cheer; I have overcome the world.

Equality

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<u>Father God</u>	<u>The Lord Christ Jesus</u>
First and Last	
Isaiah. 44:6-8	Revelation 1:8,11,17
Eternal	
Psalms 90:2, 93:2,	Micah 5:2; Hebrews 1:8
Omnipresent	
Psalms 139:7-10; Jeremiah 23.24; Isaiah 57:15	Matthew 18:20, 28:20; Ephesians 4:10, 3:16-17; John 14:23
Immutable	
Malachi 3:6	Hebrews 13:8
Almighty	
Genesis 17:1; Psalms 135:6	Revelation 1:8; John 1:3; Colossians 1:17; Matthew 28:18; John 5:19
Incomprehensible, while comprehending all	
Job 11:7; John 10:15; Psalms 77:19; Romans 11:33; 1Samuel 16:7; 1Chronicles 28:9; 1Kings 8:39	Matthew 11:27; John 10:15; Ephesians 3:8, 19; John 21:17; Luke 9:47; Revelation 2:23
Judge	
Genesis 18:25; Isaiah 43:3	2Corinthians 5:10; Matthew 25:31-32; John 5:22-23;
The Holy One	
Isaiah 43:3	Acts 3:14; Luke 1:35
The King	
1Timothy 6:15; Isaiah 42:8; Matthew 6:13	Revelation 19:16, 5:12, 11:15
The Rewarder	
Hebrews 11:6; Isaiah 40:10; Psalms 62:12	Revelation 22:12
The Strengtheners	
Psalms 46:1, 84:5, 119:28	Philippians 4:13; 2Corinthians 12:9
The Hope of His People	
Psalms 39:7; Jeremiah 17:7	Psalms 2:12; 1Timothy 1:1; Colossians 1:27
The Only Saviour	
Isaiah 43:11; Psalms 130:7-8	1Timothy 1:15; Hebrews 5:9, 7:25; Acts 4:12; Titus 2:13-14

There are other factors, such as those found in the Overcoming listing, but the above are the main ones. We must remember that God had to avoid wrong conduct and malfunction, too.

Humanism to Transhumanism

Humanism is the belief that mankind can *be* as God. Transhumanism is the belief that man can transcend with the aid of technology. This is the path humanity has wrongly followed. Functionally, this is *idolatry*, the belief and practice of substituting and worshipping something else in the place of God—in this case, of humans attempting to be God. We love our unproven opinions for giving credit to “self” during any argument. We’re always right!

By itself, humanism is a failed system. It is not a means for sustaining life as we can see that the physical creation is slowly dying. We can see it in the Earth. Without the ability to create and sustain, there is no way we can stop the downslide on our own. So sustainability is just a belief we hold, but it does not play out in reality... a belief is not the reality. Humans have no power to sustain so humanity as creator is only an illusion. Humans lack power, all-perspective, and purpose for most anything

So what really is humanism in a single word? Humanism is idolatry. It is the “self” as God. This may sound ridiculous, but that is the gist of it... a person puffed up with pride and unbridled lust for materialism, power, and propagation. It is a competitive close-minded system driven by the death-dealing belief in selfishness and the “self-first.” Icons, pictures, and statues are often used as part of the idolatry.

Tragic as it is, no change will happen through our own efforts. Escape to overcome its limitations, with the aid of technology toward transhumanism, will never transcend its basic limitations. Humanity is so limited in power, perspective, and purpose that it has no hope of rising on its own. Instead, it is doomed and that is the lesson we are being taught. “Self” is not to act as God, but we seem to be helplessly committed to this malfunction through pride and the weakness of our dying.

Neither humanism nor transhumanism is capable of obeying, overcoming, or attaining equality with God, even though we do suffer. Those “in” Jesus Christ, however have suffered, obeyed, and overcame; they are all being elevated to the highest level through Him. We are told that all knees will bend before Him. The gift He will ultimately bestow upon all is Life. With it will come the shock of sovereignty, power, and perfection. This will come as a surprise to many, especially to those who have not studied.

Addendum

The Bible is a progressive book that documents events carried out over the Ages. Every reader must understand that all of it does not apply to everyone all the time—it is *selective* and *progressive*. Adamic humans were the last of creation, but will be placed first. Different portions of the Bible about laws, prophecies, and principles apply to different people at different times and conditions. It is a book teaching about proper function and uses mostly negative stories about the wrong functioning of kings, prophets, or priests and people of all sorts but ends in a wonderfully positive way. Unfortunately few people understand, tell, or teach much at all about this positive aspect. Rather, they stay focused on the negative hell-bent teachings of satanic deceptions. Is it a wonder people are confused?

For those interested, further biblical studies ought to include at least three different functional perspectives. Here are three Internet sites.

1. Historical — www.askelm.com
2. Literal — www.concordant.org
3. Spiritual — www.kingdombiblestudies.org

There are thousands of other sites with varying views and perspectives on thousands of biblical topics. ALL sources will have errors in their statements, beliefs, or conclusions. It is the job of each student to beware of that fact and adjust their analysis accordingly to ascertain the truth. Christianity is not an easy study. Other than Jesus Christ being the Savior, most all writings will vary considerably thereafter in their works. Hence, the need for at least the three perspectives listed for study. Their listing is not an endorsement by the author, but these are a few of the “better” sites of the many out there.

Computer software for biblical studies is helpful. There are many offerings. www.e-sword.net is free to the user (nothing is “free”... someone has to pay the cost to produce the offering... a modest donation is proper) and a separate site www.biblesupport.com offers many additional support services.

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