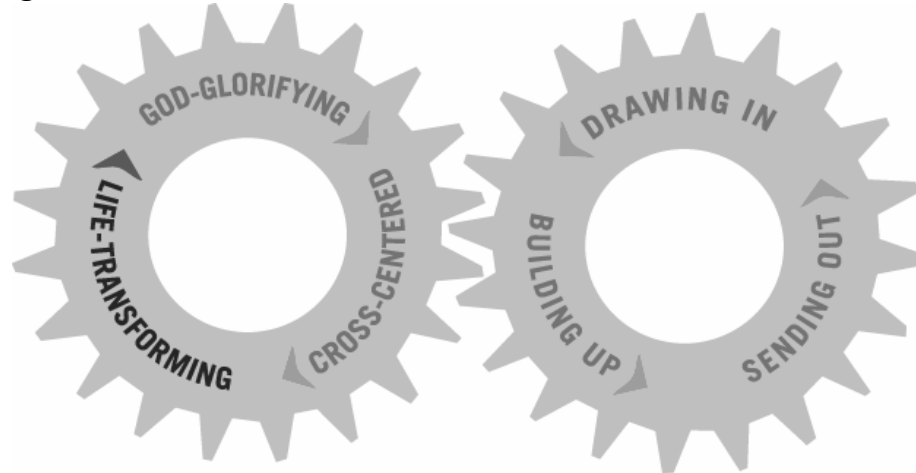


EAST VALLEY BIBLE CHURCH TEMPE

The Vision of East Valley Bible Church Tempe: Life-Transforming part 2 Scott Maxwell

What is significant about biblical, transformation of life?:



1. *Belief/faith is the dominant characteristic of a transformed life.*

- Mark 1:14-15; Matthew 8:5-13 (Luke 7:1-10); 13:54-58 (Mark) 6:1-6); 21:28-32; Luke 7:40-50; John 1:12-13, 50; 2:11; 3:14-16, 18, 36; 4:39-42; 5:24; 6:26-30, 40, 47; 8:21-30; 9:35-41; 10:37-42; 11:25-27, 40, 42, 45 48; 12:9-11, 35-36, 41-44; 17:20-21; 20:30-31.
- Matthew 6:30 (Luke 12:28); Matthew 8:23-26 (Mark 4:36-41; Luke 8:22-25); 9:20-22 (Mark 5:25-34; Luke 8:43-48); 14:28-33; 15:21-28 (Mark 7:24-30); 16:5-12 (Mark 8:11-21); 17:14-20 (Mark 9:14-28; Luke 9:37-42); 21:18-22 (Mark 11:12-14, 20-24); Mark 9:42; 10:46-52 (Luke 18:35-43); John 4:46-54; 13:19; 14:12; 16:25-27; 20:25-29.

2. *The transformed life is described as a discipleship relationship with Jesus.*

- Matthew 10:24-42; Luke 14:25-33; John 2:11; 8:30-31; 13:34-35; Matthew 28:18-20.

3. *The transformed life creates a 'new' family relationship dynamic.*

- Mark 3:20-22, 31-35 (Luke 8:19-21; Matthew 12:46-50); John 1:12-13; Matthew 18:15-17, 21-22, 35; 5:21-26.

4. *The transformed life begins first with and flows from a changed heart.*

- Matthew 5-7 (e.g. 5:3, 6, 8, 27-28; 6:1, 2, 5, 16, 18, 21); Luke 8:11-15 (Matthew 13:18-23; Mark 4:13-20); Luke 6:43-45.

5. *The transformed life stands in measurable contrast to the 'old life'.*

- John 15:2, 4-5, 8, 16; Matthew 7:15-23; 12:33-37; 15:1-20 (15:6-9, 18-20); 23:1-16 (23:5-7, 25-28); 5:20.

6. *The transformed life is marked by love for God; loving obedience to Jesus.*

- Matthew 22:36-40; Mark 12:28-34; John 14:15, 21, 23-24; 15:9-10; 16:25-28; 21:15-17.

7. *The transformed life leads us away from ourselves to others (selflessness).*

- Matthew 4:19 (Mark 1:17); 7:12; 18:15-17; 20:20-28; 22:36-40; John 13:34-35; 15:9-10, 12-13, 17; 17:11, 21-23; 21:15-17.