

A Life-Changing Conversation
Isaiah 61:1-2

The Spirit of the Lord God is upon me, Because the Lord has anointed me *To bring good news to the afflicted; He has sent me to bind up the brokenhearted, To proclaim liberty to captives And freedom to prisoners; 2 To proclaim the favorable year of the Lord And the day of vengeance of our God; To comfort all who mourn,*

Truth #1: We live in a broken world where life doesn't work.

1. People with broken lives can be seen all around us
2. People with broken lives are suffering all around us.
3. People with broken lives are searching for answers all around us.

Truth #2: God's design for life is a perfect.

God saw all that he had made, and it was very good. (Genesis 1:31)

1. God designed man to worship him. (Gen 1:27)

God created man in His own image, in the image of God He created him; male and female He created them.

2. God designed man to walk with him. (Gen 5:24)

Enoch walked with God; and he was not, for God took him.

3. God designed man to work for him. (Gen 1:28)

God blessed them; and God said to them, "Be fruitful and multiply, and fill the earth, and subdue it;

Truth #3: Man's brokenness is a result of sin. (Romans 3:23)

"All have sinned and fall short of the glory of God."

1. Sin is willful disobedience to God. (Romans 1:25)

They exchanged the truth of God for a lie, and worshiped and served something created instead of the Creator.

2. Sin is walking every direction but to God. (Isa 53:6)

All of us like sheep have gone astray; Each of us has turned to his own way;

3. Sin wants deliverance without God. (Proverbs 14:12)

"There is a way that seems right to a man, but its end is the way of death."

Truth #4: The Gospel is the remedy for Man's brokenness. (Matt 24:14)

"This gospel of the kingdom shall be preached in the whole world as a testimony to all the nations, and then the end will come."

1. The Good News is that Jesus came to rescue us. (John 3:16)

"For God loved the world in this way; He gave His One and Only Son..."

2. The Good News is you can be restored today. (Col. 2:14)

"Jesus erased the certificate of debt...and has taken it out of the way by nailing it to the cross."

3. The Good News is you can repent today. (Mark 1:15b)

"Repent and believe in the good news."

Truth #5: God empowers us to recover His design for life. (Phil. 2:13)

"It is God who is working in you, enabling you both to desire and to work out his good purpose."

1. God begins to work in our heart. (Phil 1:6)

For I am confident of this very thing, that *He who began a good work in you will perfect it* until the day of Christ Jesus.

2. We begin a new walk with God. (Eph. 2:10)

For we are His creation, *created in Christ Jesus for good works*, which God prepared ahead of time to that *we should walk in them*.

3. Others begin to witness the change in us. (Matt 5:16)

"Let your light shine before men in such a way that *they may see your good works*, and glorify your Father who is in heaven."

Is this your life changing moment?

Is there someone who is broken?

Where do you go from here?

