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HAVING THE RIGHT MIND

(Acts 17:16 - 34)

INTRODUCTION

Last week's lesson was "Not The Right Mind" - (Matt. 13:15) "their ears are hard of hearing"
(Acts 17:21) broad-minded (James 4:8) "you double-minded"
(1 Timothy 6:17) "be not high minded" (Romans 8:6) "carnally minded is death"
(Romans 1:28) "a debased mind"

"Mind" - that which thinks and perceives; mental ability; rationale or reasonable part of us.

1. READINESS OF MIND

(Acts 17:11) "... they received the word with all **readiness of mind** ..." (KJV)
(Acts 2:41) "Then those who gladly received his word were baptized ..."

2. SOBER MINDED

(Titus 2:6) "... exhort to **be sober minded** ..." "
(1 Peter 1:13) "Therefore gird up the loins of your mind, be sober ..."

"Sober-minded" - well balanced state of mind; self-restraint.

"Gird up" - take the improper thoughts and restrain them so that your progress toward heaven is not hindered.

3. SOUND MIND

(2 Timothy 1:7) "For God has not given us the spirit of fear, but of power, and of love, and of a **sound mind**" (v8) "Therefore do not be ashamed of the testimony of our Lord ..."

Obedying the gospel was a wise decision; therefore, (Romans 1:16) "For I am not ashamed of the gospel of Christ, for it is the power of God to salvation for everyone who believes ..."

4. LIKE-MINDED

(Romans 15:5-6) "Now may the God of patience and comfort grant you to **be like-minded** toward one another, according to Christ Jesus, that you may with one mind and one mouth glorify the God and Father ..."

(Philippians 1:27) "... that you stand fast in one spirit, with one mind striving together for the faith of the gospel"

(Phil. 2:2 and 1 Corinthians 1:10)

5. THE MIND OF CHRIST

(Phil. 2:5) "**Let this mind be in you** which was also in Christ Jesus"
(Matthew 20:28; John 4:34; Luke 22:42)

CLOSE - (Colossians 3:2) "**Set your mind on things above**, not on things on the earth"
Get your mind right with God.