

## Attitudes for Christian Living

### Introduction:

1. Attitudes not only affect our way of thinking, but those we come in contact with.
2. Therefore, it is necessary to consider the Christian's attitude toward a God, life, and worship.

### Discussion:

- I. Our attitude toward God.
  - A. We must have an attitude of love (Deut. 6:4-5; Mt. 22:36ff).
  - B. We must show an attitude of thankfulness (Jn. 3:16).
  - C. We must have an attitude of respect and reverence toward God and His words (Nehemiah 8)
- II. Our attitude about life.
  - A. Have we counted our blessings to see what we have versus what we don't have? (Rev. 2:10; Eph. 1:7)
  - B. We must live the life of a servant (Gal. 6:1-2, 10; Eph. 2:10).
  - C. We must recognize the purpose of life, which is fulfilling our servant duties (Eccl.12:13-14).
- III. Our attitude toward worship.
  - A. Some attitudes people have toward worship (Mt. 5:23-24).
    1. Worship as a duty/obligation – checklist approach.
    2. Worship can be done in a private individualistic religious manner.
    3. Some come for emotional satisfaction.
  - B. We must worship with the attitude that what I am doing is acceptable to God (Jn. 4:23-24).

### Conclusion:

1. What impact/impression are you leaving in the site of others about God, life, and worship?
2. Tonight is your opportunity to consider and change toward a life with a positive outcome.