#### Overflow

**Learning From Jesus** 

"Healing Broken Relationships"

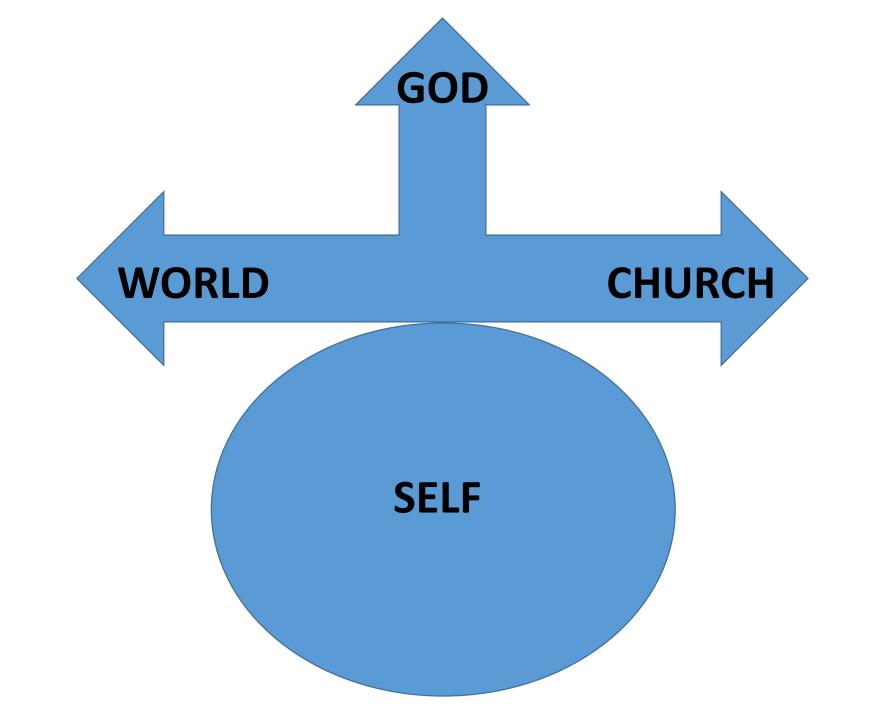
Matthew 5:23-26
Page 684



# Broken Relationships In <u>ANY</u> Area Of Life Affect <u>EVERY</u> Area.

- · Self: "Love your neighbor as yourself"
- · God: 1John 4:20
- · World: John 3:16





# We Bear Personal Responsibility To Seek To Heal Broken Relationships Regardless of Fault.

- Church: 5:23 "If your brother has something against you" 18:15 "If you have something against brother"
- God: Is 55:6 "Seek the Lord while He can be found"
- Self: Psalm 19:12 "Who can discern his own errors?"
- · World: 2Cor 5:17 "God gave us ministry of reconciliation"



## God Wants Us To Keep "Short Accounts!"

Matt 5:24: "Settle matters quickly with your adversary..."

· Quickly: without delay, readily, easily, or quickly

Eph 4:26 "In your anger do not sin. Do not let the sun go down while you are still angry, and do not give the devil a foothold."

Heb 12:15 "Do not let a root of bitterness spring up..." ( )



## Forgive Without Any Reservation Or Condition.

- Opens us up to God's forgiveness
- · It makes us like God
- It frees us from bondage
- Opens the door for stronger/better relationships
- Is a testimony of our relationship with God



### 4 Questions

- · Is my relationship with GOD broken?
- · Is my relationship within right?
- · Is my relationship with others right?
- Is my relationship with the world right?



