



HOMework THAT CHANGES LIVES

The Bible is odd music, playing in a different key with different instruments, even on a different scale.

God subverts asymmetries, and views us all as basically more alike than different.

All of us are “sick” with the madness in our hearts; each of us needs the “physician.” And each of us—even the weakest, poorest, and most troubled—is capable of helping any of us in some way when grace gifts us and masters us.

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EMPHASIZING

The Importance Of Homework

✓ By Its Influence

And by Its

✓ Application

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Constantly point counselees toward

Pleasing God by bringing Him Glory

as the primary goal

Ultimate Goal or
Spiritual Life Chart

A sunburst graphic consisting of a central teal circle with the words 'HIS GLORY' inside. Surrounding the circle are ten teal triangles of varying sizes, pointing outwards in all directions.

***HIS
GLORY***

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Consistently Remind Them To:

❖ Actively use the *Bible*.

•Daily Reading

•Memorization

•Meditation

•Study

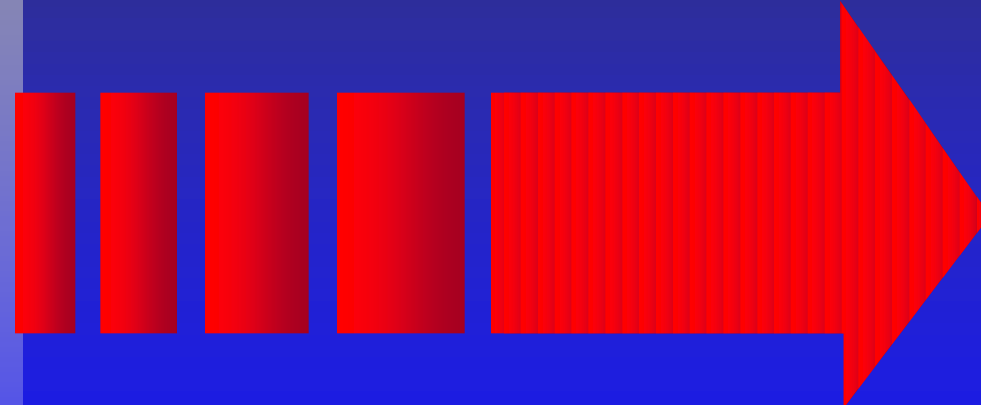
•Application to all life circumstances

**Repentance
Homework**

**Break
Down**



Frequently point counselees
toward *Christlikeness* as
God's Purpose for them



God is not looking for us to
display a Christlikeness
in the abstract, but a
manifestation of Christ

**Its not about what we are doing
but what we are becoming**



Address habits of *thinking*

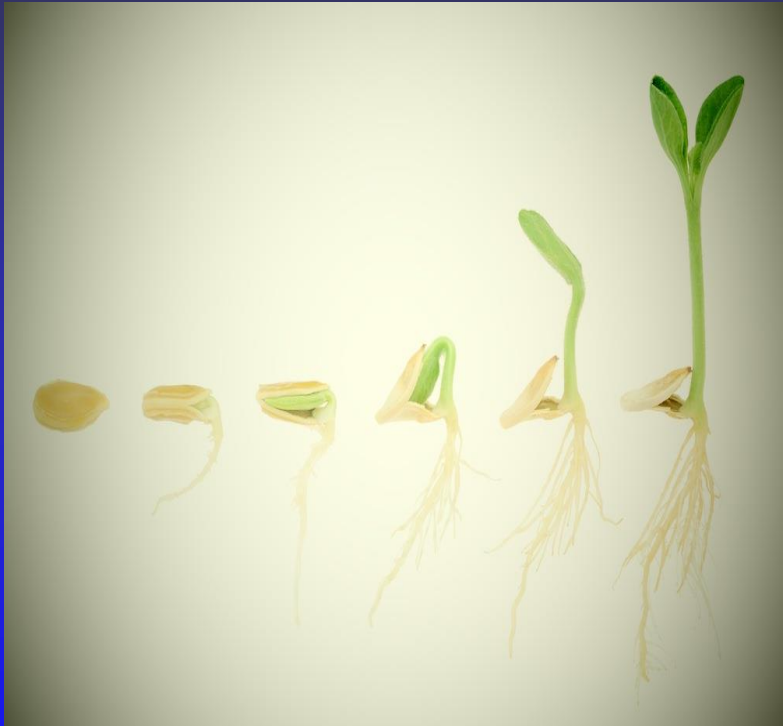
And habits of *behavior*

From The Heart Level

**Heart
Homework**

**Idols of the
Heart
Homework**

View spiritual growth as a *process*



Proper homework
produces participation
in the process of
change and in
participation in the
local church

Includes Elder Care & Church

participation

Encourage

a spirit of being

solution

oriented



Not Problem Oriented

HOMework THIS WEEK

IS A GOOD

AGENDA FOR NEXT WEEK



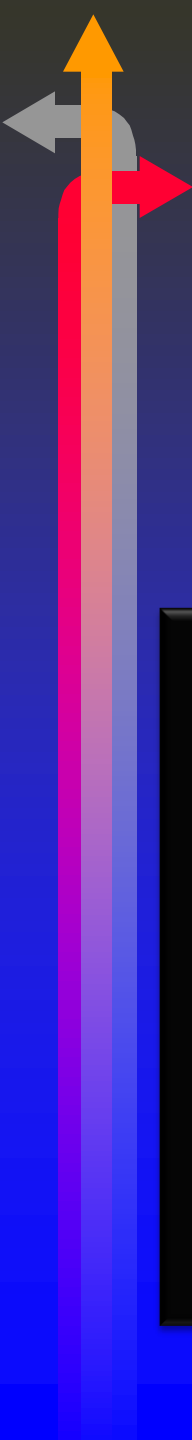
MAY HAVE TO BE REPEATED

OVER AGAIN

Is carefully *reviewed* and

discussed in follow up sessions

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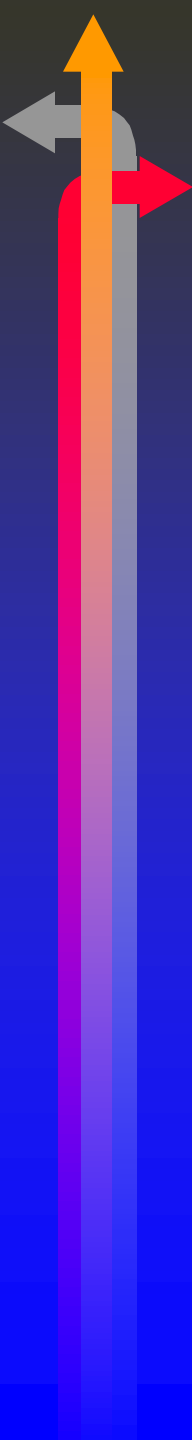

Uses various *resources*
that explain Scripture and
how to put biblical
principles into practice

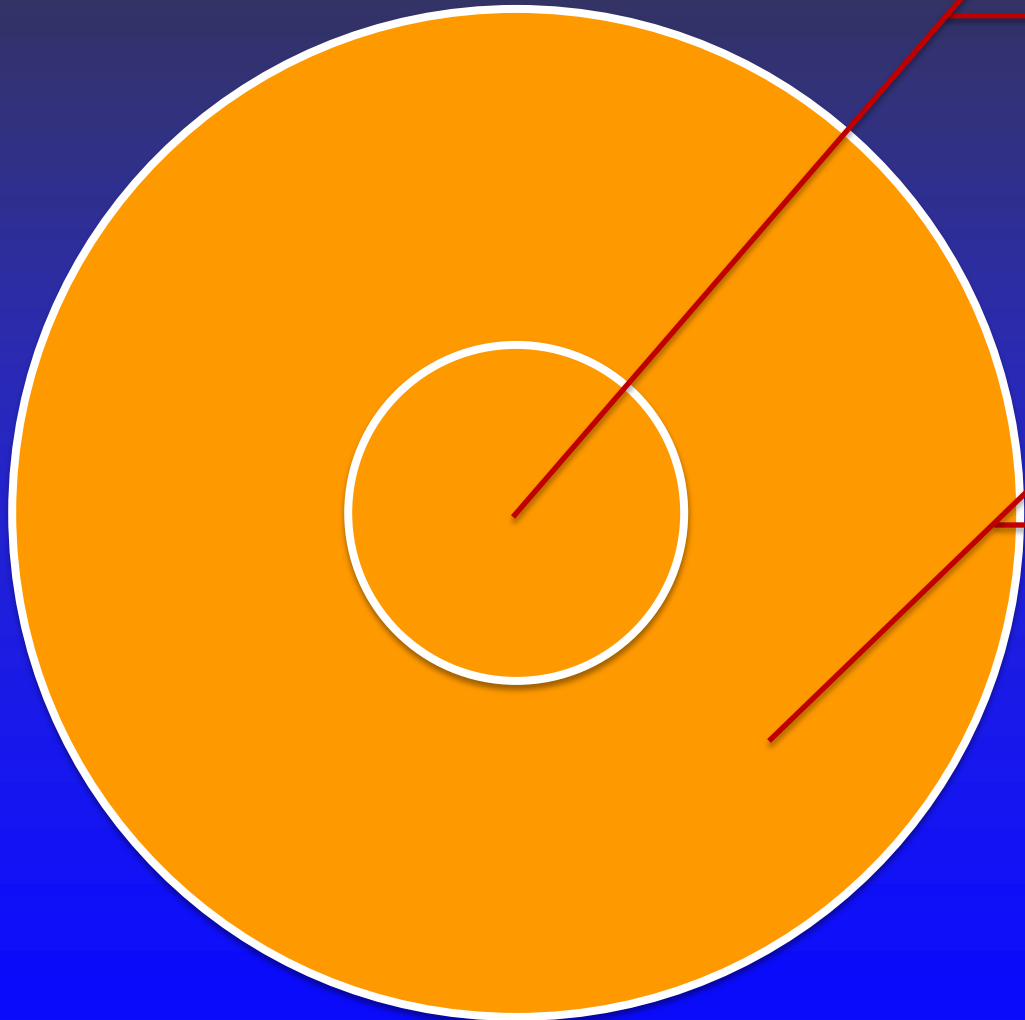
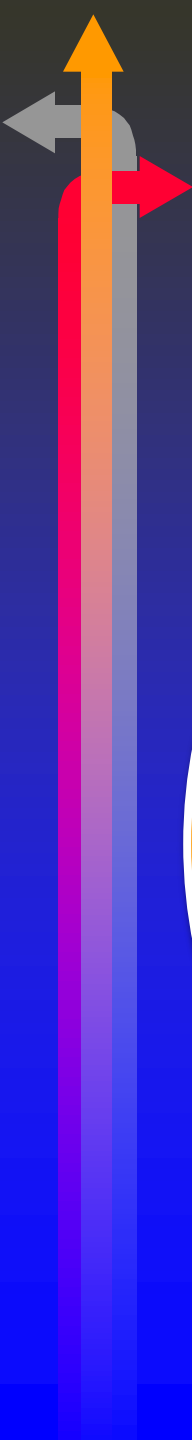
Must Use Study Guide For Books You Assign For
Counseling homework

Reading & Highlight Assignment

Or Make One Specific To The Need You Detect

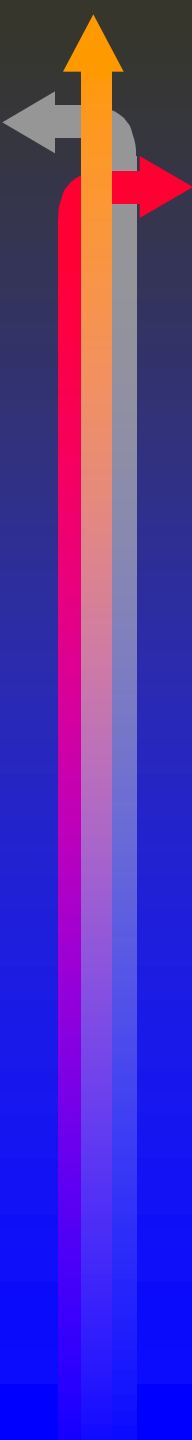
**That Means Reading the Book or
Doing The Assignment Yourself**

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- ✓ You Have To Be Able To Explain
Your Homework Assignments
 - ✓ You Have To Be Able To Explain
Why You Gave It To Them
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***HOMEWORK
IS
Creating
Dependence***

- 1. Please God Chart***
- 2. Read and Highlight***
- 3. Repentance***
- 4. Heart***
- 5. Heart idols***
- 6. Accountability***

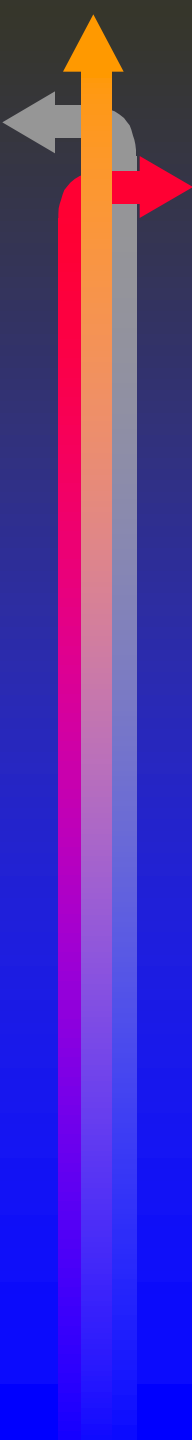


The next slide demonstrates how homework assignments were used to walk someone through a specific problem dealing with human sexuality, I will explain each assignment.

Not every session or person is the same, and not every strategy to bring someone to an understanding of how God views their specific struggle is the same.

This is just a sample of how assignments can develop throughout sessions, this is not a boiler plate or necessarily something you can use in a similar situation.

Again, each person and situation is different and homework will develop as you evaluate and lead a person to biblical truth.

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- ✓ Ultimate Goal Chart
 - ✓ Heart homework
 - ✓ Heart Idols
 - ✓ Repentance
 - ✓ Biblical Accountability
 - ✓ Overcoming Self
 - ✓ From Pride to Humility booklet and work book

- ✓ Read And Highlight assignment.
- ✓ Demonstrate application in the areas that you marked in the book as “red flag issues” in your life
- ✓ Continue progress on Pride and Humility booklet
- ✓ How Relationship is at the Apex of Sexuality
- ✓ “Biblical Principles of Sex”



Dependence

***Remember that Homework
Is Creating Dependence***

***Each Assignment should Lead A Person
To Be More Dependent On God***