

**Daniel 4:37** Now I, Nebuchadnezzar, praise, exalt and honor the King of heaven, for all His works are true and His ways just, and He is able to humble those who walk in pride.

**Jeremiah 23:29** Is not My word like fire?" declares the Lord, "and like a hammer which shatters a rock?"

**Proverbs 4:23** Watch over your heart with all diligence, For from it flow the springs of life.



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## “CALLOUSED, CONFUSED

## AND CARNAL”

*Ephesians 4:18-19*

I. At the core of sinful man’s problems you find **h**\_\_\_\_\_ heart.

II. Leading to **d**\_\_\_\_\_ minds

III. Leading to **d**\_\_\_\_\_ bodies

IV. Is there hope?

A. Not within mere human means

B. Yes, in the God of **p**\_\_\_\_\_ and love

### Scripture References:

**Ephesians 4:17-19** So this I say, and affirm together with the Lord, that you walk no longer just as the Gentiles also walk, in the futility of their mind, <sup>18</sup>being darkened in their understanding, excluded from the life of God because of the ignorance that is in them, because of the hardness of their heart; <sup>19</sup>and they, having become callous, have given themselves over to sensuality for the practice of every kind of impurity with greediness.

**Psalms 14:1** The fool says in his heart, “there is no god.”

**Ephesians 4:19** They having become callous.

**II Chronicles 36:11-13** Zedekiah was twenty-one years old when he became king, and he reigned eleven years in Jerusalem. <sup>12</sup>He did evil in the sight of the Lord his God; he did not humble himself before Jeremiah the prophet who spoke for the Lord. <sup>13</sup>He also rebelled against King Nebuchadnezzar who had made him swear allegiance by God. But he stiffened his neck and hardened his heart against turning to the Lord God of Israel.

**Romans 1:18** The wrath of God is revealed from heaven against all ungodliness and unrighteousness of men who suppress the truth in unrighteousness.

**John 7:17** If anyone is willing to do His will, he will know of the teaching, whether it is of God or whether I speak from Myself.

**Romans 1:19** That which is known about God is evident within them; for God made it evident to them.

**Romans 1:20-22** For since the creation of the world His invisible attributes, His eternal power and divine nature, have been clearly seen, being understood through what has been made, so that they are without excuse. <sup>21</sup>For even though they knew God, they did not honor Him as God or give thanks, but they became futile in their speculations, and their foolish heart was darkened. <sup>22</sup>Professing to be wise, they became fools.

**John 3:19** This is the judgment, that the Light has come into the world, and men loved the darkness rather than the Light, for their deeds were evil.

**Romans 1:28** Just as they did not see fit to acknowledge God any longer, God gave them over to a depraved mind.

**Zechariah 7:11-12** But they refused to pay attention and turned a stubborn shoulder and stopped their ears from hearing. <sup>12</sup>They made their hearts like flint so that they could not hear the law and the words which the Lord of hosts had sent by His Spirit through the former prophets; therefore great wrath came from the Lord of hosts.

**Romans 1:21-22** For even though they knew God, they did not honor Him as God or give thanks, but they became futile in their speculations, and their foolish heart was darkened. <sup>22</sup>Professing to be wise, they became fools.

**Romans 1:24** Therefore God gave them over in the lusts of their hearts to impurity, so that their bodies would be dishonored among them.

**Romans 1:25-26** For they exchanged the truth of God for a lie, and worshiped and served the creature rather than the Creator, who is blessed forever. Amen. <sup>26</sup>For this reason God gave them over to degrading passions; for their women exchanged the natural function for that which is unnatural.

**Romans 1:27** In the same way also the men abandoned the natural function of the woman and burned in their desire toward one another, men with men committing indecent acts and receiving in their own persons the due penalty of their error.

**I Corinthians 6:9-11** Do not be deceived; neither fornicators, nor idolaters, nor adulterers, nor effeminate, nor homosexuals, <sup>10</sup>nor thieves, nor the covetous, nor drunkards, nor revilers, nor swindlers, will inherit the kingdom of God. <sup>11</sup>Such were some of you; but you were washed, but you were sanctified, but you were justified in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ and in the Spirit of our God.

**Ezekiel 36:26** I will give you a new heart and put a new spirit within you; and I will remove the heart of stone from your flesh and give you a heart of flesh.