

## **"I Wanna Talk About, Think About, Be About ME" (Various Scriptures)**

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*Selfish individualism is the concept of maintaining one's identity with a refusal to meld into the relational context due to being concerned solely about one's self interests. The individual sees these as of a greater priority than the relational context. This pervasive issue calls for believers to understand that Jesus is Lord and that there is greater relational benefit found in concerning ourselves with others than focusing on ourselves alone.*

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Modern Day Plague...

### **1) Where Selfish Individualism Has \_\_\_\_\_ Relationships**

What the Bible has to say about individual/individualism...

Looking Deeper at...

MARRIAGE (Gen 1:26-27; 2)

FAMILY

CHURCH

GOD (Gen 3; Isa 14; Ezek 28; Col 1:16-17)

### **2) Remedy #1 - Trust in Jesus as Your \_\_\_\_\_ (Jn 3:16-17; Rom 1, 3, 5, 6)**

Our fatal diagnosis is \_\_\_\_\_ and the consequence is \_\_\_\_\_.

Isa 64:6 – Our inability

Rom 1, 3, 5-6, Jn 3:16 – Our lostness/helpless but GOD’s PLAN!

Rom 7:24-25 – Our VICTORY!

**3) Remedy #2 - Jesus Must Be \_\_\_\_\_ of Our Lives (Gal 2:20; 1 Cor 6:20)**

What this is not & why...

Acts 2:36; Jude 4; 2 Peter 2:1 – Jesus is both our Savior & our \_\_\_\_\_.

What is the significance of this?

1 Cor 6:20

Luke 6:46-49

**4) Remedy #3 - Jesus’ Example Must Be \_\_\_\_\_ (Phil 2:3-5; 1 Jn 2:5-6)**

Learning from CO Poisoning & Treatment...

We need to **ABIDE!**

What is the significance of the abiding, knowing, transforming, surrendering, imitating?

Phil 2:3-5

What is our spiritual remedy?

***What did the Lord teach you this morning about SELFISH INDIVIDUALISM?  
What/where do you need to practice surrender to Jesus as Lord? Is he your Savior?  
How will you respond to these Bible texts, principles, & truths today? This week? This month? This year?***