

"3 CHAIRS"

Joshua 24:14-15, Judges 2:6-12a

* Three goals:

1. To identify where _____ sit.
2. To identify where your _____ sit.
3. To identify where your _____ sit.

I. CHAIR #1: The _____ Chair. (Joshua's chair)

A. Its Description:

1. Relationship to God: _____.
2. Relationship to truth: _____.
3. Attitude towards serving God: _____ to.

B. Its Characteristics: (those who are seated in it)

1. They _____ the Lord. (Prov.9:10)
2. They _____ the Lord.
* In _____ and in _____.
3. They _____ the Lord.

C. Its Focus:

1. Is _____.
2. It is the _____.
3. The habits of those in this chair:
 - a. Daily _____ and _____.
 - b. Confession of _____. (privately)
 - c. _____ to the house of God.
 - d. Constant _____.
4. Their spiritual temperature is _____!

Note: Those in this chair enjoy 3 things the flesh cannot duplicate:

1. They see Answered P _____.
2. They enjoy Abiding P _____.
3. They experience P _____ over sin.

II. CHAIR #3: The _____ Chair. (A generation after them)

* Judges 2:10-12

Note: Many in America are seated in this chair today.

A. Its Description:

1. Relationship to God: _____.
2. Relationship to truth: _____.
3. Attitude towards serving God: _____ want to.

B. Its Characteristics: (Judges 2:10b-12)

1. Don't _____ the LORD.
* They are _____.
2. They _____ the LORD.
3. They live _____ lives and serve _____.
4. They DO NOT _____, _____ or _____ the LORD.
* Titus 1:16

C. Its Focus:

1. Is _____.
2. It is _____.
Self A _____.
Self Gratification.
Self P _____.
3. The habits of those in this chair:
* They love the world, they love their _____,
and they live totally for _____ only!
4. Their spiritual temperature is _____!

Note: Those in the 1st chair and the 3rd chair have one thing in common:

Note: Something happened between chair #1 and chair #3...
Proverb 27:24

III. CHAIR #2: The _____ - _____ Chair. (elders who outlived them)
* Psalm 78:41

A. Its Description:

1. Relationship to God: _____.
2. Relationship to truth: _____.
3. Attitude towards serving God: _____.

B. Its Characteristics: (those seated in it)

1. Not fully committed. Only _____.
2. Not passionate about the Lord.
3. They _____ to this world.
4. They attempt to do the impossible...They try to serve ___ gods. (Matthew 6:24)

C. Its Focus:

1. The ultimate focus is _____.
2. They are most concerned about what _____ think about them. Not the LORD.
3. The habits of those in this chair:
 - * They often attend church. But they DO NOT read their Bible daily, DO NOT have an established prayer life. DO NOT confess sin daily.
 - * They often serve God publicly, but live a different life privately.
4. Their spiritual temperature is _____.
5. As a result, they do not:
 - a. See answered prayer
 - b. Enjoy abiding peace
 - c. Experience power over sin

Note: This chair produces most of the _____ people today! ** WHY?

