

GOD PROMISED TO CURE OUR BLINDNESS

1. We know from the NT satan blinds and darkens the understanding 2 Cor. 4:4; Eph. 4:17
2. God promised to make curing man's blindness a part of salvation Isaiah 29:18; 35:5; 42:7, 16
3. Revelation, light, illumination:
 - Starts at salvation with the light of the Gospel comes 2 Cor. 4:4
 - Is what the Church is built upon Matt. 16:16-18
 - Is what causes the Word to work Matt. 13:11-17
4. Revelation is the Holy Spirit revealing, uncovering, unveiling and illuminating the truth of God's Word

CAUSES OF SPIRITUAL BLINDNESS

We must continually resist what satan uses to blind us (2 Cor. 4:4) and not walk in the curse of spiritual blindness (Deut. 28:28):

- a. Reason Matt. 16:7, 8
- b. Carnal judging Matt. 7:1-5
- c. Lack of holiness Hebrews 12:14; esp. sexual sin Gen. 19:11
- d. Hate or lack of love 1 John 2:11.
- e. No diligence to add growth to our salvation 2 Pet. 1:9.
- f. Lukewarmness Revelation 3:19.
- g. Overindulging with sensual stimuli and amusement
Ps.101:3 (Media Gorging)

MEDIA GORGING AND ITS EFFECTS

1. Resets the Moral Acceptability Threshold.
2. Resets the Shock Threshold.
3. Resets the Boredom Threshold.
4. Results in Addictive Behavior.
5. Increases Exposure to Immorality.

POWER IN REVELATION

1. Protection 2 Kings 6:17, 20.
2. Provision 1 Kings 17:1-16.
3. Focus/Vision/Direction Proverb 29:18.
4. Bounce-back from setbacks 2 Cor. 11:23-33.
5. Endurance Hebrews 11:27