## The Call to Self-Reflection #2 Lamentations 3:37-42

# I. WHAT IS YOUR ATTITUDE CONCERNING SIN? Hebrews 12:1, 2

How do you deal with sin?

When God convicts you of your sinfulness, do you change, or do you blame someone or something else?

#### II. ARE YOU SAVED? 1 John 5:11-13

Only God and you know if you are saved.

Do you consider your salvation with fear and trembling? Are you sure?

# III. DO YOU DESIRE TO LIVE A FULLY RESTORED LIFE IN JESUS? Philippians 4:13 He forgives us of all unrighteousness. 1 John 1:8-10

IV. ARE YOU WILLING TO WORK WITH OTHER CHRISTIANS? **2 Corinthians 13:11** We need to be of 1 mind, live in peace, and encourage one another.

### V. ARE YOU ON THE LORD'S SIDE? Exodus 32:22-26

- 1. This is a question that arises from <u>PERSONAL REFLECTION</u>.

  To reflect means to <u>contemplate</u>, to <u>think about</u> and to <u>ponder seriously</u>.

  When you reflect, <u>you analyze your present standing in Christ</u>.
- 2. Do you still have that passion, that zeal, that fervor, that devotion for Christ? Or have you lost your first love? **Revelation 2:1-4**
- 3. Regular reflection and evaluation are essential to maintaining devotion to Christ.

Remember, there are only two sides of this spiritual battle for dominance: God's side and the devil's side.

You cannot be in the middle and think that it is OK to be neutral.

When you reflect, <u>you will see where you are weak</u> and the <u>things you need to do</u>. When you know you are on God's side, you will be active in Christian service.

4. You must reflect and evaluate your own heart to determine who's side you're on.

Colossians 3:1-4