The Call To Spiritual Renewal Revelation 2:2-6

There is an ever-present danger that we can become 'lukewarm'.

We end up just going through the motions,

because we have let the world around us **rob us of our passion for the Lord**.

As Christians,

we can choose whether to run in victory or roll over in defeat.

Here's the Good News.

God has given us some basic principles to regain our passion for Him.

I. WE MUST KNOW WHO WE ARE!

a. We are God's children. 1 John 3:1

We are related to the Creator of Creation!

He calls us His children!

He chooses to forget our sins and give us the full rights of sons or daughters.

b. As God's children, we are free from condemnation. Romans 8:1-2

So now there is no condemnation for those who belong to Christ Jesus

- c. As God's children, we have become His heir. Galatians 4:6, 7
- d. We must have Jesus before we can have the Father. 1 John 2:22, 23; John 3:36 We need to remind ourselves daily of who we are and what we have in Christ. That is the key to living a passionate life for our Lord.

To regain our passion for God;

II. WE MUST BE INVOLVED

- a. We must be involved with others who are passionate for the Lord. Acts 2:46
- b. We must get involved with daily worship and praise. Acts 2:47

III. WE MUST WORSHIP IN SPIRIT AND TRUTH.

a. Worship is an attitude of the heart.

It is a desire to honor and love God.

b. We must keep the true object of worship in focus.

The true object is and must always remain God. John 4:23, 24

Are you passionate about your relationship with the Lord?

- 1. Understand that you are
- 2. Develop a habit of praise and worship,
- 3. Praise in order to give.