

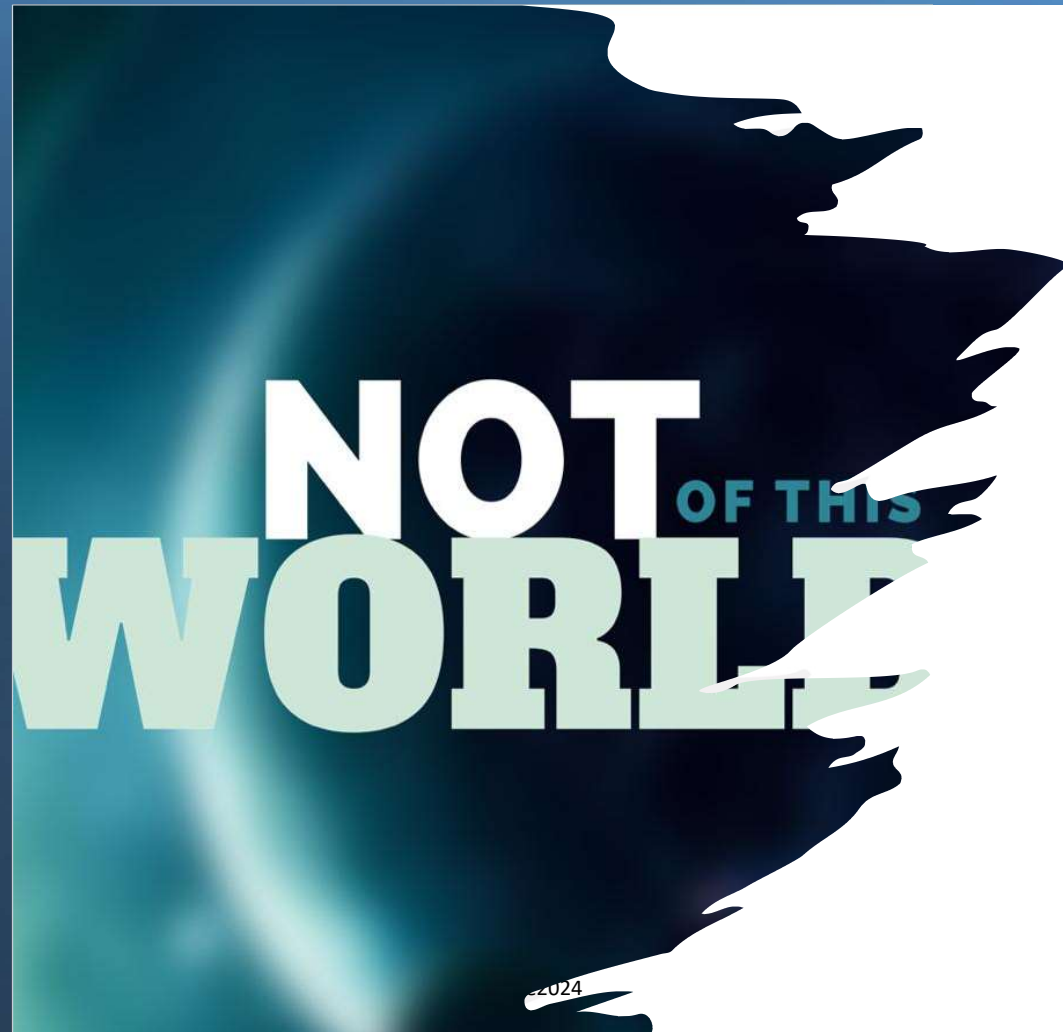
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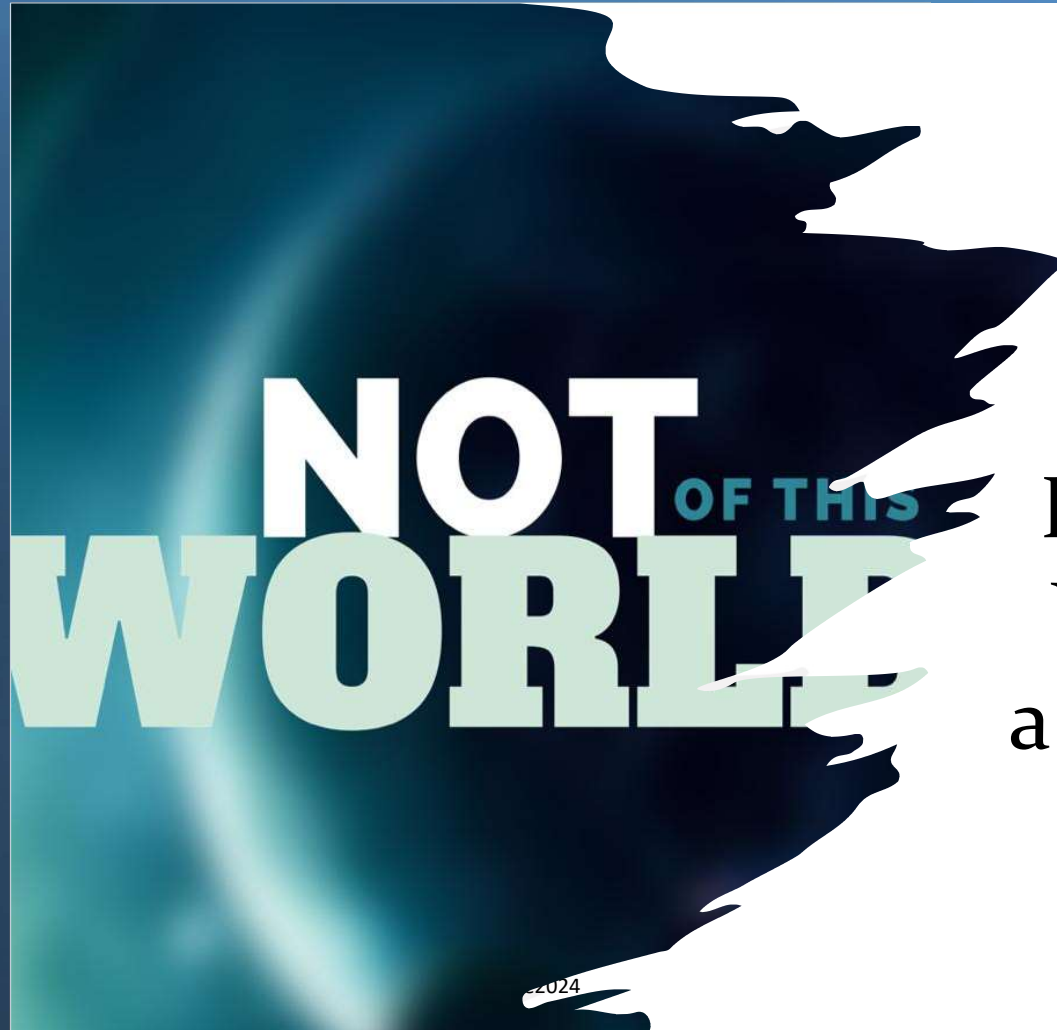




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Thanks,
Appreciation,
Gratitude,
and Prayer

Who We are:

We are Spiritual
Beings who are One
With Christ having
a Human Experience.





Support Scripture:

² And do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind, that you may prove what is that good and acceptable and Perfect Will of God.

Romans 12: 2 NKJV



Focus Scripture:

¹⁴ I have given them Your Word and the world has hated them, for they are not of the world any more than I Am of the world. ¹⁵ My prayer is not that you take them out of the world but that You protect them from the evil one.

¹⁶ They are not of the world, even as I am not of it..

John 17: 14 – 16 NIV



Series:
*Balancing Engagement with
Detachment:
Awareness, Aloof, Afar*

Thought for Today:

*A Triple A - Experience
Part: 2
“Say Less”*



What does it mean to “Say less?”

“Say less” - **slang phrase**
“I understand” or
“I get it.”

It's essentially a way to say that you've gotten the point or the gist of something, you understand what someone is saying, so they don't need to elaborate. It can also be used to confirm that you are willing to help someone or do a task. Sometimes, it's used to express agreement... so there's no need for the other person to explain any further.



“Say Less” for Jesus Literally

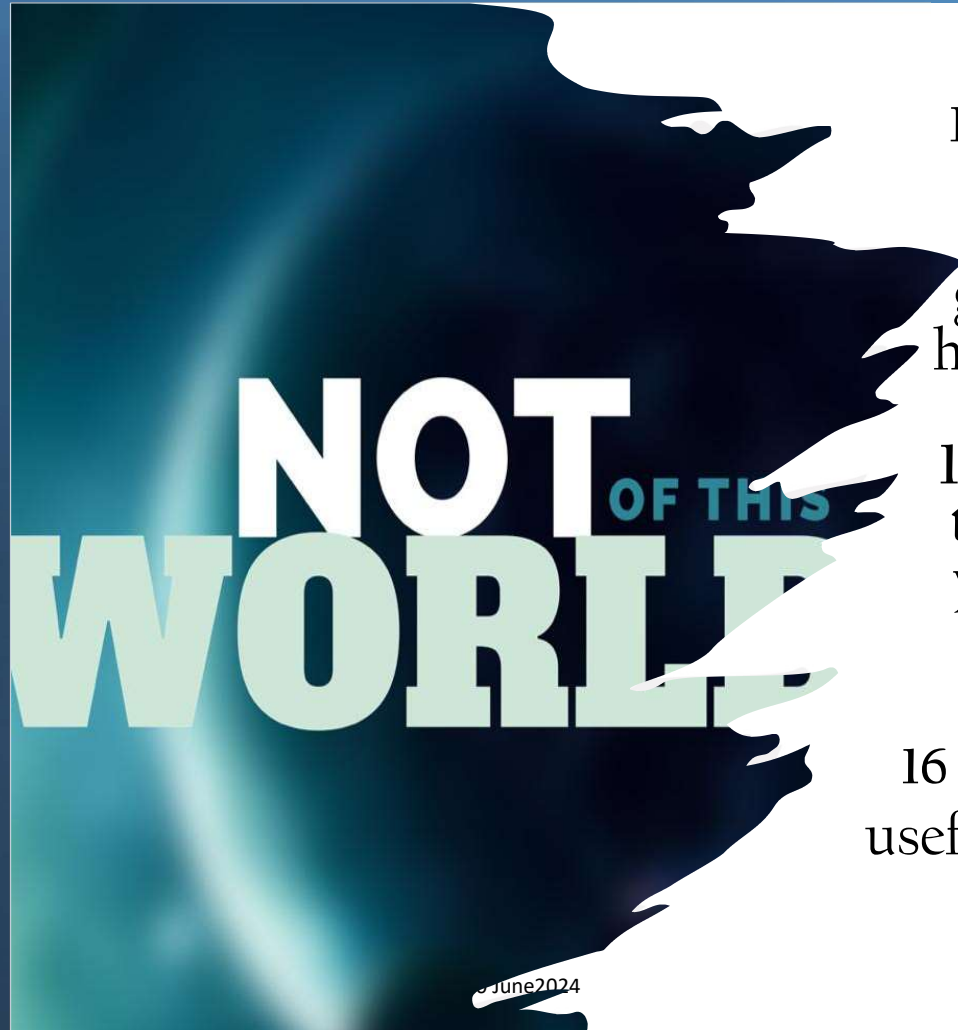
27 The one who has knowledge uses words with restraint, and whoever has understanding is even-tempered. 28 Even fools are thought wise if they keep silent, and discerning if they hold their tongues.

Proverbs 17: 27 – 28

“A time to be silent and a time to speak...”
Ecc. 3:7

“My dear brothers and sisters, take note of this: Everyone should be quick to listen, slow to speak and slow to become angry.”
James 1:19

Awareness is key!
Awareness of our thoughts cultivates
a godly mindset.



“Say Less” for The Kingdom

15 But in your hearts revere Christ as Lord. Always be prepared to give an answer to everyone who asks you to give the reason for the hope that you have. But do this with gentleness and

respect,

16 keeping a clear conscience, so that those who speak maliciously against your good behavior in Christ may be ashamed of their slander.

1 Peter 3: 15-16

16 All Scripture is God-breathed and is useful for teaching, rebuking, correcting and training in righteousness.

2 Tim. 3:16

Divine Stealth Mode

- Everything ISN'T Everyone's business...
- ³⁵ Jesus said, 'Do not tell anyone.' But the more he told them not to tell, the more they told it everywhere. *Luke 7:35*
- After confirming to his disciples that he was indeed the Messiah, Jesus instructed them not to tell anyone.
(*Matthew 16:20; Mark 8:29-30; Luke 9:20-21*)
- Jesus healed a leper and told him not to tell anyone that it was he who had done this. The man, however, did not comply with this request.
(*Mark 1:40-44; Matthew 8:1-4; Luke 5:12-15*)
- Jesus told demons not to speak about Him nor tell others who He was.
(*Mark 1:34, 3:11-12*)

Christo-centric Response - How DID Christ respond?

³ But when you do a charitable deed, do not let your left hand know what your right hand is doing, ⁴ that your charitable deed may be in secret; and your Father who sees in secret will Himself reward you openly.

Matthew 6:3

In your relationships with one another, have the same mindset as Christ. *Phil. 2:5*



Aware-ment:

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Divine Awareness in Action



AHA –
Absolute Holy Awareness-moment

Aware-ment

The moment when we are/become
aware of what
The Spirit reveals.

Remember What We Are Given!!!

NOT OF THIS
WORLD

I have given
them Your
word. And the
world hates
them because



they do not
belong to the
world, just as
I do not
belong to the
world.

(John 17:14 NLT)

IN IT. NOT OF IT.

Do not conform to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind. Then you will be able to test and approve what God's will is - His good, pleasing and perfect will.

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The Reason We “Say Less”

“Don’t become so well-adjusted to your culture that you fit into it without even thinking. Instead, fix your attention on God. You’ll be changed from the inside out. Readily recognize what God wants from you, and quickly respond to it. Unlike the culture around you, always dragging you down to its level of immaturity, God brings the best out of you, developing well-formed maturity in you.”

Romans 12: 2 TMSG



Closing, Invitation
and
Benediction:

“Now unto him that is able to do exceeding abundantly above all that we ask or think, according to the Power that works in us,”

For Their Name sake and
For Their Glory....”

Ephesians 3:20