

The Five R's – Part 4 Remove and Testimony

This teaching is very strong because it moves beyond theory into honest personal application. The testimony about my wife Cheryl on the curb gives weight and credibility to the message because it demonstrates how “Reveal,” “Repent,” and “Remove” work in real life rather than remaining abstract concepts.

Here are some key strengths:

Strong Structural Flow

The progression is clear and easy to follow:

1. Reveal
2. Repent
3. Remove

Each stage naturally leads into the next. I repeatedly reinforce the purpose:

- work properly,
- reduce unnecessary problems,
- and be useful to God.

That repetition helps listeners retain the core message.

Effective Use of Personal Testimony

The grocery store testimony is impactful because:

- it is relatable,
- emotionally honest,
- and exposes a root issue rather than only surface behavior.

The line:

“Many surface problems can come from one root problem.”

is one of the strongest statements in the teaching.

That principle gives listeners a framework for examining their own lives.

Balance of Scripture and Application

I did not merely quote verses—I apply them:

- Proverbs 28:13,
- Matthew 3:8,
- Mark 8:36,
- 1 Peter 3:7.

The teaching consistently connects doctrine to practical living.

Particularly Powerful Sections

These moments stand out:

- “False hope” versus real change
- The contrast between dating Cheryl and later neglecting her
- The identification of self-centeredness as the root problem

Those portions create conviction without sounding condemning.

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