



### 1. Drifting to drawing.

***Draw near to God and He will draw near to you. Cleanse your hands, you sinners; and purify your hearts, you double-minded. James 4:8***

***Blessed is the man You choose, and cause to approach You, that he may dwell in Your courts. We shall be satisfied with the goodness of Your house, of Your holy temple. Psalm 65:4***

*And I, if I am lifted up from the earth, will draw all peoples to Myself.” John 12:32*

### 2. Condemnation to conviction.

***And when He has come, He will convict the world of sin, and of righteousness, and of judgment: John 16:8***

Conviction is specific; condemnation is general.

Conviction attacks the issue; condemnation attacks your identity.

Conviction is from the Holy Spirit; condemnation is from the devil.

Conviction gives you hope; condemnation makes you hopeless.  
Conviction leads to repentance; condemnation leads to remorse.

### 3. Concealing to confessing.

***When I kept silent, my bones grew old through my groaning all the day long. For day and night Your hand was heavy upon me; my vitality was turned into the drought of summer. I acknowledged my sin to You, and my iniquity I have not hidden. I said, “I will confess my transgressions to the LORD,” and You forgave the iniquity of my sin. Psalm 32:3-5***

Sin grows in the dark.

Don't till you get caught, arrested, suspended, separated, or fired.

Most of us don't fall out of love with God; we fall out of repentance.

### 4. Guilt to grace.

***“She said, ‘No one, Lord.’ And Jesus said to her, ‘Neither do I condemn you; go and sin no more’ ” John 8:11***

Grace empowers holiness.

***For the grace of God that brings salvation has appeared to all men, Titus 2:11***

***teaching us that, denying ungodliness and worldly lusts, we should live soberly, righteously, and godly in the present age, Titus 2:12***

***But reject profane and old wives' fables, and exercise yourself toward godliness. 1 Timothy 4:7***

If you live in guilt, you will try harder.  
If you live in grace, you will train better.

### 5. Feeling to feeding.



All Scripture and no Spirit, we dry up. All Spirit and no Scripture, we blow up. Both Spirit and Scripture, we grow up. - *David Watson*

In the New Testament, two distinct Greek words are translated as "the word": "logos" and "rhema."

*"Logos is the message; Rhema is the communication of the message."*

- *New Spirit-Filled Life Bible Notes*

Logos is the Scriptures as a whole; rhema is a portion of that Scripture made alive by the Holy Spirit for a particular situation.

Logos is what God said; Rhema is what God is saying.

Logos, the written word of God, is the basis of faith, the foundation of a doctrinal belief.

Rhema, God's specific spoken word, is heaven's approval to move in the supernatural.

Rhema-word imparts life.

***"It is the Spirit who gives life; the flesh profits nothing. The words [rhema] that I speak to you are spirit, and they are life." John 6:63***

Rhema-word imparts faith.

***"So, then faith comes by hearing, and hearing by the Word [rhema] of God." (Romans 10:17)***

Rhema-word feeds.

***"But He answered and said, 'It is written, Man shall not live by bread alone, but by every word [rhema] that proceeds from the mouth of God'." (Matthew 4:4)***

Rhema-word cleanses.

***"That He might sanctify and cleanse her with the washing of water by the Word [rhema]." (Ephesians 5:26)***

Rhema-word brings breakthrough.

***"But Simon answered and said to Him, 'Master, we have toiled all night and caught nothing; nevertheless, at Your word [rhema] I will let down the net'." (Luke 5:5)***

Rhema-word is the Sword of the Spirit.

***"And take the helmet of salvation, and the sword of the Spirit, which is the Word [rhema] of God." (Ephesians 6:17)***

When you no longer feel the Spirit lead you, feed yourself with Scriptures.