

“THINK!”

Romans 12:1 & 2
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1. _____ is a thinking thing. See
Nehemiah 8:1-12

2. _____ is a thinking thing.
See 1 Peter 1:13-16

Romans 12:1 & 2

“With eyes wide open to the mercies of God, I beg you, my brothers, as an act of intelligent worship, to give him your bodies, as a living sacrifice, consecrated to him and acceptable by him. Don’t let the world around you squeeze you into its own mold, but let God remind your minds from within, so that you may prove in practice that the plan of God for you is good, meets all his demands and moves toward the goal of true maturity.”

-The New Testament, in Modern English
Phillips, 1960

“So here’s what I want you to do, God helping you: Take your everyday, ordinary life – your sleeping, eating, going-to-work, and walking-around life – and place it before God as an offering. Embracing what God does for you is the best thing you can do for him. 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 he 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, develops well-formed maturity in you.”

-The Message
The Bible in Contemporary Language
Peterson, 2002

Next Steps:

- I will pick up “Trust More Fear Less”, a 40 day devotional and use it.
- I will pray about my participation in next week’s Haiti offering.
- I will invite someone to attend with me the special DivorceCare event “Hope, Help & Healing.”

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