



GOOD GROUND

Your Focus Determines Your Fruitfulness

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>> Where you place your focus will determine your fruitfulness in life.

>> Our lack of intentionality with our focus is killing our fruitfulness.

Matthew 13:23

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>> Obedience to God always produces more than it costs.

>> We see God's instructions as boundaries, but Jesus talks about them as seeds.

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Matthew 13:22

The seed that fell among the thorns represents those who hear God's word, but all too quickly the message is **crowded out** by the worries of this life and the lure of wealth, **so no fruit is produced.**

"Weeds are notorious for muscling aside crop plants for water, sunlight, nutrients, and space."
- USDA Agricultural Research Magazine

>> Our fruitfulness is not stunted because we are against God's instruction, but it is stunted because other things get all of our attention.

>> So many of us are unintentional with our focus and we are harvesting the fruit of that.

>> If you put your **focus** on **walking** with God, He will change your life.

Be **intentional** to put your focus on God in your life.

Joshua 1:8

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>> **Intentionally** stir Gods word into your life.

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