



CORD OF THREE: CAPITAL CITY CHRISTIAN CHURCH

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\*Character is defined as the mental and moral qualities distinctive to an individual. In your mind what leads someone to say of someone else, "They have good character?"

\*Are you a person whom others define that way? As Christians our character is so important. In this first CO3 series we are going to be looking at specific character traits in an attempt to personally grow in these areas.

\*Next week we will begin on specific character traits. Today we are going to simply discuss the idea of character.

\*The bible teaches us a few things about character. Read these verses and list what you think the scripture is teaching about character.

**\*Romans 5:4 - \*1 Corinthians 15:33 - \*Acts 17:11 - \*Ruth 3:11 –  
\*Proverbs 31:10 – \*1 Peter 2:12 –**

\*If character is so important the question that needs to be asked is how can we develop Godly character? What are some ways to do this?

\* A **wise man** said 'the greatest battle does not take place on the land, or on the sea, or in the air, it takes place in the mind.' To develop a godly character we must first furnish our minds with God's Word.

\*Read: **Psalm 119:9, 11, 105, Joshua 1:8, John 15:7, 2 Timothy 2:15**

\* Use God's words as the basis for forming your thoughts, then God's Word become your words. If you continue in God's Word, then you will develop godly actions, if you continue acting in a godly way you will end up with godly habits. When you become consistent with godly habits, you will have godly character. Your godly character then becomes your life's testimony. Start developing godly character today by catching up with God's way of thinking. Kick start the mind of Christ in you by renewing your mind with God's Word on a daily basis.

\*Share with each other your specific habits of spending time with God or your plans to do so. Talk about a way you can hold each other accountable in this. **Pray together:**