

# GETTING OVER YOURSELF!

Message Notes ~ April 6, 2008

## 1. DEFINING MOMENTS OF OUR DECADE

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## 2. WHAT WE'VE LEARNED, ARE LEARNING, AND FAILED TO LEARN

❖ Our misplaced \_\_\_\_\_.

"Woe to those who go down to Egypt for help, and rely on horses, who trust in chariots because they are many, and in horsemen because they are very strong, but who do not look to the Holy One of Israel, nor seek the Lord! Now the Egyptians are men, and not God; their horses are flesh, and not spirit. When the Lord stretches out His hand, both he who helps will fall, and he who is helped will fall down; they will all perish together." Isaiah 31.1-2

❖ The fear of \_\_\_\_\_ always leads to a loss of \_\_\_\_\_.

"An anxious heart weighs a man down..." Proverbs 12.25

"Don't worry at all about having enough food or clothing. Your heavenly Father already knows perfectly well that you need them and He will give them to you if you give Him first place in your life." Matthew 6.32-33

Worry is the anxious care that comes from assuming a responsibility which we are incapable of discharging.

"But when I am afraid, I will put my confidence in You. Yes, I will trust the promises of God. And since I am trusting Him, what can mere man do to me?" Psalm 56.3-4 (Living Bible)

A crisis is always an opportunity to demonstrate God's love.

"So will I save you, and you will be a blessing. Do not be afraid, but let your hands be strong." Zechariah 8.13

## 3. THE CURE FOR INSECURITY

"The Lord is my light and my salvation-whom shall I fear? The Lord is the stronghold of my life-of whom shall I be afraid? When evil men advance against me to devour my flesh, when my enemies and my foes attack me, they will stumble and fall. Though an army besiege me, my heart will not fear; though war break out against me, even then I will be confident. One thing I ask of the Lord, this is what I seek: That I may dwell in the house of the Lord all the days of my life, to gaze upon the beauty of the Lord and to seek Him in His temple. For in the day of trouble He will keep me safe in His dwelling; He will hide me in the shelter of His tabernacle and set me high upon a rock... Hear my voice when I call, O Lord; Be merciful to me and answer me. My heart says of You, "Seek His face!" Your face, Lord, I will seek. Do not hide Your face from me...Do not reject me or forsake me, O God my Savior...Teach me Your way, O Lord...I am still confident of this: I will see the goodness of the Lord in the land of the living. Wait for the Lord; Be strong and take heart and wait for the Lord." Psalm 27

❖ One Thing I \_\_\_\_\_ (vv.1-3)

❖ One Thing I \_\_\_\_\_ (vv.4-6)

❖ One Thing I \_\_\_\_\_ (vv.7-12)

❖ One Thing I'll \_\_\_\_\_ (vv.13-14)