

Our Conversation Attracts, v. 13-15

- A. "Draw near to God and He will draw near to you..." James 4:8a
- B. "Come now and let us reason together, says the LORD, though your sins are like scarlet, they shall be as white as snow; though they are red like crimson, they shall be as wool." Isaiah 1:18
- C. Religious chatter
 - 1. Isaiah 29:13 "Inasmuch as these people draw near with their mouths and honor me with their lips but have removed their hearts far from me."
 - 2. Luke 6:46 "But why do you call Me 'Lord, Lord,' and not do the things which I say?"
 - 3. Hebrews 10:19-25

When God Restrains Our Eyes, Vs.16 -27

- A. Psalms 110:18 "Open my eyes, that I may see wondrous things from your law."
- B. Isaiah 42:6-9, [" to open blind eyes..., v. 7"]

Abide with Him. Vs.28-35

- A. Psalms 91:1-2.
- B. John 15: 4-8 "abide in me..."

- 1. The Holy Spirit puts in us A Burning Heart, V. 32 "did not our hearts burn within us."
- 2. Jeremiah 20:9 "...But His word was in my heart like a burning fire shut up in my bones; I was weary of holding it back, And I could not."

Why Do Doubts Arise in Our Hearts, vs.36- 43

- A. Trouble, tarasso: primarily used in NT is metaphorical. It denotes mental agitation from fear or perplexity. Taken from Strong's #5015 & word wealth.
- B. Behold Him and reach in and touch Him Handle him, He is not a story but one who is real and alive, v.39

LAST WORDS: All things must be fulfilled which were written in the Law, prophets and Psalms concerning Jesus, v.44