

**CCR Refocus #3**  
**Reaching Out to Others In Love**  
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**1) Know that it's God's KINDNESS that leads people to repentance.**

- **Wyatt's testimony**

*<sup>4</sup> Or do you show contempt for the riches of his kindness, forbearance and patience, not realizing that God's kindness is intended to lead you to repentance? Romans 2:4 (NIV)*

**2) LAY DOWN my fear of other's opinions.**

*<sup>25</sup> The fear of man lays a snare, but whoever trusts in the LORD is safe. <sup>26</sup> Many seek the face of a ruler, but it is from the LORD that a man gets justice. Proverbs 29:25-26 (ESV)*

*<sup>9</sup> As we have said before, so now I say again: If anyone is preaching to you a gospel contrary to the one you received, let him be accursed. <sup>10</sup> For am I now seeking the approval of man, or of God? Or am I trying to please man? If I were still trying to please man, I would not be a servant of Christ. Galatians 1:9-10 (ESV)*

- **Lilly's testimony**

*<sup>7</sup> When a man's ways please the LORD, he makes even his enemies to be at peace with him. Proverbs 16:7 (ESV)*

**3) RECOGNIZE & EMBRACE my unique position of influence.**

*<sup>13</sup> But we will not boast beyond limits, but will boast only with regard to the area of influence God assigned to us, to reach even to you. <sup>14</sup> For we are not overextending ourselves, as though we did not reach you. For we were the first to come all the way to you with the gospel of Christ. <sup>15</sup> We do not boast beyond limit in the labors of others. But our hope is that as your faith increases, our area of influence among you may be greatly enlarged, <sup>16</sup> so that we may preach the gospel in lands beyond you, without boasting of work already done in another's area of influence. <sup>17</sup> "Let the one who boasts, boast in the Lord." <sup>18</sup> For it is not the one who commends himself who is approved, but the one whom the Lord commends. 2 Corinthians 10:13-18 (ESV)*

**4) Consistently DIRECT FOCUS to Jesus.**

- **You may not be an expert on the Bible, but we are all experts on what Christ has done FOR US and IN US.**

<sup>16</sup> *For we did not follow cleverly devised stories when we told you about the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ in power, but we were eyewitnesses of his majesty. 2 Peter 1:16 (NIV)*