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WEEKLY MINISTRY MEDITATIONS

Pronounced "Soul"

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Be Ye Transformed

JOEL 2:25-26 NLT – (25) The LORD says, "I will give you back what you lost to the **swarming** locusts, the **hopping** locusts, the **stripping** locusts, and the **cutting** locusts. It was I who sent this great destroying army against you. **(26)** Once again you will have all the food you want, and you will praise the LORD your God, who does these miracles for you. Never again will my people be disgraced.

ROMANS 12:2 NLT – (2) Don't copy the behavior and customs of this world, but let God transform you into a new person by changing the way you **think**. Then you will learn to know God's will for you, which is good and pleasing and perfect.

I have often wondered, "How many times have I done the wrong things in life and looked for different or even positive results?" Believing that the consequences won't exist for our doings. In a place that God did not attend for me to be, but insisted on going there anyway.

The enemy wants you to believe you are a failure and you can't get it right or together! Does God have to continue getting our attention through the negative consequences we are part of? If He has to, He will. Or If He has to, He can totally remove us from this earth. Sanctification is more than a process, it is a "Yes."

Yes, I will Father. Yes, I will surrender. Yes, I will do your will. As the song writer says, He simply wants a "yes." **Be ye transformed**. He has plans for you.

SCRIPTURE READING

JEREMIAH 17:14

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

"Our sinful ways can zap our joy and isolate us from the Lord; confession and repentance, though, provide the way to be restored."

