

LIVE DIFFERENTLY SOLO TIME GUIDE 1

Use this as a guide to help you spend time with Jesus at some point this week. Before you start, find a place that's quiet and free of distractions. You'll want to bring a Bible, a journal or scratch paper, and a pen.

Read:

Romans 12:2

Truth:

Our love for Jesus causes us to live differently than the rest of the world. Because we love Jesus, the things that matter to us in life, the things we want in life, the way we treat others, and the choices we make should be different than someone who doesn't know Jesus.

Think/write:

Spend some time thinking through the following questions. Sometimes it helps to write down your thoughts or answers, so consider writing your answers on this page or in a journal – somewhere where you can look back to see what you wrote later.

1. What are the "behaviors and customs" of this world?
2. How do our thoughts affect the choices we make and the people we are?
3. In what ways is God's will for your life "good and pleasing and perfect?"

Activity:

Picture your mind like a compass. The more North that the arrow is pointing, the more your thoughts and actions are honoring to God; the more South the arrow is pointing, the more your thoughts and actions are like the rest of the world's. Where would your arrow be pointing?

Pray:

Spend some time talking with Jesus. Tell Him some things that you're thankful for, and ask Him to show you where you might need to change your thinking.