

**SURRENDER**



# Romans 12:1-2

Voluntarily choosing to  
**daily submit** and be nailed  
to the cross



We allow our **hands** to be nailed,  
so we **STOP participating** in sin

We allow our **feet** to be nailed,  
so we **STOP wandering**  
to places of sin



We allow our **head** to be crowned  
so that Christ is **supreme**

We allow our **hearts** to be  
penetrated, so that it's  
**softened** to Christ's lead



Matthew 6:19-21

Matthew 6:22-23



“Clear” or “healthy” =  
**singleness of purpose**; wholly  
dedicated to God (again  
addressing the issue of  
**undivided** commitment)



A white flag with the text "CLEAR EYES" written on it in bold black letters. The flag is attached to a wooden stick on the left side and is set against a dark, textured background.

**CLEAR EYES**

Only 2 ways to look at things:

1 – With **clear vision** – with single focus; eyes locked on Jesus

2 – With **blurred vision** – with double vision: divided eyes





Sin blinds us from **clearly seeing**  
what's obvious

Our inward desire to **sin**  
clouds our **judgement,**  
discernment and ability to **see**



Light **cannot** mix with darkness

Matthew 6:24



Light represents **good** and  
darkness represents **evil**



What we intently **gaze** upon,  
directly impacts the **treasure**  
of our hearts  
(what we feed, grows stronger)

Psalm 101:1-8



This Psalm,  
attributed to King David,  
makes a **commitment**,  
makes a **covenant**,  
makes a **promise** to God  
about his eyes



If we guard our **eyes**;  
if we guard what we **ingest**;  
then we will protect  
our **hearts** also

Matthew 6:23



“Bad” = **diseased**; impaired in some way; it’s focused on **evil**

Undivided **commitment** to God;  
nothing should hinder our  
**fellowship** with God



“The Light that is in you” = this  
is the **eye of the soul**

When we are **walking closely** to  
our Heavenly Father, then our  
path is illuminated and we're  
going to **see clearly**





If our hearts are blackened  
and residing in **darkness**,  
don't think for a second that  
you're going to **see clearly**



We need to **evaluate ourselves**; examine our vision (it's good to have a regular eye check-up)

Matthew 5:14-16



As followers of Jesus Christ,  
we reflect Him to the world  
around us (When others see  
our lives, do they see Jesus?)



Am I willing to surrender to  
God and follow His lead?

