

"Depart! Depart! Go out from there, Touch no unclean thing; Go out from the midst of her, Be clean, You who bear the vessels of the LORD."

- Isaiah 52:11

**PASTORS AND MINISTERS CONFERENCE 2013**

**LEVEL GROUND**

**JANUARY 15 TO 18, 2013**

**(TUESDAY TO FRIDAY)**

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**Day Three Conference Notes**  
**January 17, 2013**

**Raising Godly Standards**



## **Code of Honor : Personal Life & Family**

### **PERSONAL LIFE**

*Schedule Daily Time In The Secret Place*

*Continuously Strengthen Your Character*

*Do, Then Teach*

*Be A Voice, Not An Echo*

*Lifestyle - Keep It Simple*

*Keep Your Heart Pure, Guard Your Motives*

*Don't Kill Your Own Conscience*

*Fire Up Your Passion For Purity*

*Set Personal Moral Boundaries*

*Stay Clean of All Private Sexual Sin*

*Be Accountable to God - Every Moment*

*Watch Your Diet And Exercise Regularly*

*Have A Personal Management Plan*

### **FAMILY**

*Nurture Your Relationship With Your Spouse*

*Nurture Your Relationship With Your Children*

*Work To Provide For Your Family*

*Pursue God's Purpose As An Individual*

*Encourage Your Spouse To Pursue God's Purpose*

*Encourage Your Children To Pursue God's Purpose*

*Set A Godly Example At Home*

*Don't Preach To Your Spouse*

***Talk Personal & Family Issues Before Ministry***

***Spend Time With Your Children***

***What Is Important To Them Should Become Important To You***

***Maintain Your Family Altar***

***Put Family Before Ministry***

***Guard Your Family While Ministering To People***

***Don't Step OUT, Don't Step IN***

***Get Help As Soon As You Need It***

***Your Ministry Is Not A "Family Business"***

## **Code of Honor : People, Conduct & Preaching**

### **PEOPLE**

***Ministry Is All About Building People***

***Honor Every One***

***Honor Leaders, Elders, Fathers***

***Show No Partiality***

***Be Grateful, Say 'Thank you!'***

***What is Shared in Confidence, Must Stay in Confidence***

***Correct People, Lovingly***

***Correct In Private, Applaud In Public***

***Have A Personal Strategy For Handling Difficult Situations***

***Do Not Be A Boss Over God's People***

***Do Not Control, Do Not Manipulate***

***Overcome Personal Insecurities***

***Do Not Provide A Platform For People With A Personal Agenda***

***Don't Fight What You Don't Understand***

***Some Things People Say And Do Are Not Worth Your Time***

***People Grow, People Change - So Be Ready To Let Go***

***Leave Offenses Behind - Not Worth Carrying Them With You***

***Flattery - Don't Accept It, Don't Give It***

***You Can Listen To Peoples' Ideas, But You Make The Final Decision***

***Do Not Permit Any Individual To Control You***

***Stand By Your Leaders***

***Do Not Be A Partaker Of Other Peoples Sins***

***Saying 'No' Is Not A Sin***

***Don't Stoop Down To The Level Of Your Accusers***

## **CONDUCT**

***Be An Example, Set The Standard***

***Your Life Example Speaks The Loudest***

***Work Hard***

***Walk Humbly***

***Deal Gently***

***Always Be Teachable***

***As Far As Possible - Keep Your Word, Or Don't Promise It***

***Respect Other Peoples Time - Be Punctual, Always***

***Be Blameless***

***Enjoy Life, But Avoid Loose Talk And Foolish Jesting***

***Be Careful Before You Judge***

***Don't Expect or Demand Comforts or Luxuries***

***Don't Desire Affirmation, Appreciation Or Honor From Man***

**PREACHING**

***Preach To Impart, Not Impress***

***Address Difficult Topics. And Do It With Love***

***Rightly Divide The Word***

***Maintain Sound Doctrine***

***Validate Your 'Revelations' Before You Preach It***

***Stay Current - But Avoid Theological Digressions***

***Amplify Truth To Overcome Error***

***No Flattery, No Extortion, No Self-Promotion***

***Don't Give The Devil Pulpit Time***

***Don't Draw People To Yourself***

***Don't Cause Division And Offense in the Body***

***Constantly Watch Over Yourself***

**Code of Honor : Anointing, Results & Fellowship****ANOINTING**

***Anointing And Gifts Are Given To Serve People***

***The Real You Is Who You Are Outside Of Your Gift And Anointing***

***Your True Spiritual Identity Is Who You Are In Christ***

***Desire The Genuine, Don't Tolerate Imitations***

***Do Not Run After The Latest 'Fad' in Christendom***

***You Cannot Have Something Unless You Receive It From God***

***Allow Yourself To Be Judged***

***Avoid Sensationalism***

***Avoid Hyper-emotionalism***

***There Are No Limits, So Don't Fall Off The Edge***

**RESULTS**

***Fruit Comes In Its Season, Wait For It***

***Don't Exaggerate Testimonies, Just Tell It Like It Happened***

***Exact or Estimate, Please Specify***

***Acknowledge Another Man's Labor***

***Give God All The Glory - It All Happened Because Of Him***

***Only Compete With Yourself***

***Stay Focused On The Results God Is Looking For***

**FELLOWSHIP**

***Be A Kingdom Builder***

***Relate To Other Ministers***

***Build Bridges Across Denominations***

***Learn From Fellow Ministers***

***Be Comfortable Being A Follower - Follow Instructions***

***Be Comfortable With Being Unrecognized***

***Respect Others' Gifts, Anointing, Ministry***

***Don't Compete, Don't Compare***

***Don't Gossip***

***Don't Sow Discord***

***Be Your Brother's Keeper***

***Have Friends, Leaders & Mentors, But Avoid The "Spiritual  
Covering" Trap***

***Fellowship Is Not for PR, It Is For Life Transformation***

## **Code of Honor : Money, Women & Fame**

### **MONEY**

*For The Love of Money*

*Don't Be In It for The Money*

*Do Not Be Dependent on Foreign Support*

*Don't Live 'By Faith And Hinting'*

*Keep Your Fund Raising Clean, Transparent And Honorable*

*Don't "Double Bill" Your Projects*

*Do Not Divert Funds From One Project To Another Without Donor's Permission*

*God's House Is Not For 'Merchandising'*

*Don't Ever Force People To Give*

*Guard Against Greed, You Slide Into It Slowly*

*Give Financially Into Other Ministries*

*Don't Rob Overseas Ministries*

*Don't Mix Ministry And Business*

### **WOMEN**

*Don't Sleep In Delilah's Lap*

*Be Careful Little Eyes How You See*

*Treat Younger Women As Sisters, With All Purity*

*Treat Them Equal, Yet Be Gentle*

*Impart From A Distance, But Leave Mentoring Women To Women*

*Lead Women Ministers*

*Their Weakness Is Your Landmine - Stay Away*

***Have A Personal Self-Defense Plan***

***Goodbye! Holy Kiss***

***Be On Double Guard During Moments Of Great Triumph Or Crisis***

## **FAME**

***A Good Name Is Important, But Not Fame***

***Don't Be A Man Pleaser***

***Don't Engage In Self Promotion. Let God Give The Increase***

***Popularity Is No Indication Of Fruitfulness***

***Separate Yourself From What People Think About You***

***Regardless Of How 'Big' You Become, Always Walk On Level Ground***

***The Lesser I'm Known The Better It Is***