

EDGEMONT BIBLE CHURCH

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**“BEING A RESTORED HUMAN”**



**“RESET FOR THE GREAT TIMEOUT”**

**Part 4: “GOD REQUIRES THIS”**

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(NKJV)*

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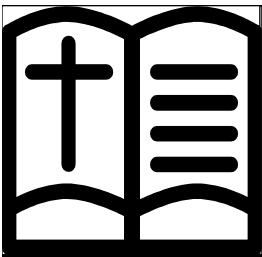
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## II. PUTTING IT TO WORK

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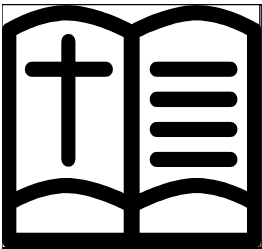
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  - C. *Resources*
  - D. *Relationships*
  - E. *Principle*
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### B. *Loving mercy*

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2. *In what you expect in others*
3. *As you have received, so give*
4. *To those who need it*
5. *More important than worship; no worship without it*
6. *Restoration vs. restitution*

### C. *Walking humbly with our God*

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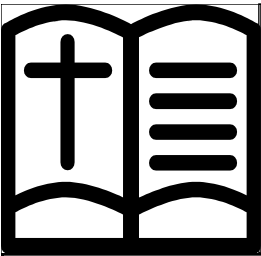
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