

What God's Plan Includes – Ephesians 3:16 (Study)

1. It is not God's Plan for the believer to be weak, defeated, disillusioned or frustrated.
2. It is God's Plan for the believer to have inner peace, contentment, happiness, joy, fulfillment, success, promotion and prosperity.
3. No matter what the circumstances of life may be God's plan, power and design outweigh all obstructions.
 - 1) God's Plan overcome hindrances – that which delays
 - 2) God's Plan overcomes impediments – that which interferes with proper function.
4. If God desires it – He has also provided the means by which that desire can be accomplished.
5. In this verse ([verse 16](#)) as in many passages of God's Word we are being told that happiness is what you THINK!
6. He wants us to think His thoughts – to think properly, correctly which means spiritual food residing in the soul (SFRIS)!
7. When a believer thinks God's thoughts it brings honor to Him.
8. When a believer becomes saturated with Satanic thinking, God is not glorified and the believer is not blessed.
9. The human spirit is the closet designed by God, imputed at salvation, as the storage for Spiritual fuel.
10. Since God's righteousness cannot go into a sewer, when a person believes in Jesus Christ – God gives at that moment, environmental circumstances compatible with righteousness. This is called regeneration or the New Birth.
11. The unbeliever does not possess a human spirit. ([1 Cor. 2:14](#); & [Jude 19](#)) *“There be they who separate themselves, sensual, not having the spirit.”* The lost person is therefore dichotomous. Being lost, the person does not have the proper equipment for comprehending spiritual phenomena.
12. In the original creation of mankind, the human spirit was received along with the human soul.

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The first Adam is described in [Gen. 2:7](#) *“and the Lord God formed man of the dust of the ground, and breathed into his nostrils the breath of lives (soul and spirit) and man became a living soul – nashamah”* (the Hebrew word). Adam before the fall – before depravity was trichotomous (body, soul, and spirit).

13. At the time of the FIRST BIRTH there has to be a home, target, receptacle for LIFE to GO. When you were born, God had already prefabbed a place into which human life would be placed. That home is called the SOUL – that's a REAL IMPUTATION.
14. At the time of the FIRST BIRTH, physical birth, something else took place. It was another REAL IMPUTATION of AOS into a prefabbed home – called the OSN. This spells physical life and spiritual death.
15. Spiritual death means that a child is condemned at birth – that condemnation at birth makes possible justification at God consciousness and at the time of Gospel presentation.
According to God's Plan the curse always came first. The cross; then the crown. Judgment – then justification – condemnation – then cleansing.
16. The lost person not having a human spirit – being dichotomous, has the benefit of God the HS being the Agent acting as the human spirit in the presentation of the Gospel. When the lost person is perceptive toward God's plan and accepts JC as Savior – regeneration then establishes immediately the Holiness environment into which righteousness can go.
17. The believer is trichotomous. [1 Thess. 5:23](#) *“I pray your whole spirit and soul and body be preserved blameless unto the coming of our LJC.”* When a lost person believes, he immediately becomes the recipient of the human spirit and the HIS – [Rom. 8:16](#) *“The spirit himself beareth witness with our spirit, that we are the children of God.”* [1 Cor. 2:10](#)
18. The human spirit is the storage area for SF described by the word ἐπιγνώσις. [Eph. 4:13](#)
19. Because God's Word in the Human spirit is the basis for spiritual IQ ([Eph. 3:16-19](#)), the human spirit is the area of refreshment. ([2 Cor. 7:13](#))
20. Where the Word of God (God's thinking) is stored in the human spirit (upon the memory banks of the soul), that truth constitutes the basis for Spiritual advance. [Philemon vs.25](#)