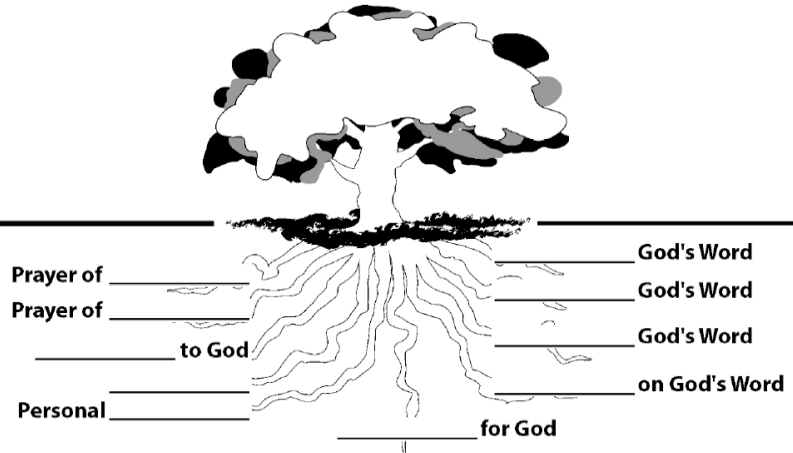


# Developing Our Spiritual Root System

## Public Life

## Private Life



### Scriptures that point to this truth:

Psalm 1:1-3  
 Psalm 42:1  
 Jeremiah 29:13  
 Matthew 7:24-27

Matthew 22:37  
 Mark 4:16-17  
 John 15:7-8  
 Galatians 5:22-23

Galatians 6:9  
 James 1:22-25  
 James 4:6  
 2 Peter 1:5

### Shallow Root System

behavior modification  
 primary focus on people  
 commitment  
 aims to build dependence upon self  
 demonstrates judgementalism  
 truth is a weapon  
 generic repentance  
 relationship with God centered on time with God  
 quantity focus  
 rejection of accountability  
 prayer is important  
 God needs me  
 angry at what upsets me  
 spiritual life is inconsistent  
 God's word and prayer changes others  
 makes converts  
 self-worth is based on performance  
 into doing  
 attempt to conform others to an external standard  
 spiritual dryness  
 primarily changed by spending time with people  
 faith in methods  
 God is my doctor – fixes problems  
 external busyness  
 superhuman effort  
 ignores warning signs  
 plagued by habitual sin  
 various wounded relationships  
 enslavement  
 settles for mediocrity  
 vision is me-centered  
 demands rights

### Deepening Root System

transformation  
 primary focus on God  
 surrender  
 aims to build dependence upon God  
 demonstrates mercy and grace  
 truth is a solution  
 specific repentance  
 relationship with God centered on passion for God  
 quality focus  
 acceptance of accountability  
 prayer is critical  
 I need God  
 angry at what upsets God  
 spiritual life is regular  
 God's word and prayer changes me  
 makes disciples  
 self-worth is based on God's perspective  
 into becoming  
 frees others to live in God's grace  
 spiritual fruitfulness  
 primarily changed by spending time with God  
 faith in God  
 God is my friend – prevents problems  
 internal peace  
 supernatural expectation  
 responds to warning signs  
 sin is confronted  
 growing healthy relationships  
 freedom  
 settles for nothing  
 vision is God-centered  
 surrenders rights