Resolved to Live - As a Witness for Jesus

"...about all that Jesus began to do and teach" (Acts 1:1).

R₂L – Resolved to Live: Living Life Without Regrets (Part 2) Acts 20:17-21

17 From Miletus he sent to Ephesus and called to him the elders of the church. 18 And when they had come to him, he said to them, "You yourselves know, from the first day that I set foot in Asia, how I was with you the whole time, 19 serving the Lord with all humility and with tears and with trials which came upon me through the plots of the Jews; 20 how I did not shrink from declaring to you anything that was profitable, and teaching you publicly and from house to house, 21 solemnly testifying to both Jews and Greeks of repentance toward God and faith in our Lord Jesus Christ.

Discussion Questions:

- 1. What is meant by living a transparent life? How does a transparent life reflect a commitment to the Word of God? How do verses like the following apply to this idea? (Matthew 5:16; Ephesians 2:10; 1 Timothy 4:16) Can you think of some other verses?
- 2. How is living in/with regret is a denial of one's position in Christ? Consider 1 Corinthians 6:9-11 in your answer.
- 3. How is our speech (what we talk about) a reflection of our commitment to the Word of God? What scriptural passages might you consider in answering this question (See Ephesians 4:29; 5:3-4)
- 4. What specific steps are you taking; or can you take to reflect and improve your commitment to the Word of God?