## **Greetings Champion!**

As we get into this new year, it's really important that you know that God wants the rest of your life to be the best of your life.

In order to experience the "life more abundantly" that God promised and wants you to have, it's important to understand that you create your life by what you think.

For that reason, God talks more about our thinking than any other subject in the Bible, many times over. Unfortunately, our church leaders rarely talk about our mind, our thinking, or how we really get what we have gotten in life, in an accurate way.

The Bible is referring to the way we think every time it speaks about love, joy, favor, kindness, creativity, happiness, receiving from God, prayer, habits, confidence, hope, self-image, trust, the choices and decisions we make, attitudes, etc.

On the negative side, every time the Bible speaks about envy, jealousy, covetousness, strife, unforgiveness, anger, hate, unhappiness, loneliness, fear, lust, insecurity, prejudice, bigotry, unworthiness, condemnation, grief, sorrow, and so forth, it is really talking about the way we think.

So the number one topic in the Bible is regarding our thinking. That means if we want 2017 to be an outstanding year in our lives we must think on productive and beneficial things.

Although the new year has come, it's never too late to make a new resolution. I challenge and encourage you to make the resolution that you're done with "stinking thinking." And from this day forward you're going to think about things that will contribute to the "life more abundant" that Jesus came to give you (John 10:10).

Much better days are ahead,

Pastor Glen