



FOR THE WEEK OF: August 25th, 2002

TITLE: Mary 'Chills' Martha 'Ills', Miles McPherson; **Be Transformed**, Justin Anderson
MEMORY VERSE: "'Martha, Martha,' the Lord answered, 'you are worried and upset about many things, but only one thing is needed. Mary has chosen what is better, and it will not be taken away from her.'" **Luke 10:41-42**

SERMON REFLECTIONS

Mary 'Chills' Martha 'Ills', Miles McPherson – AM Services

1. Share with your group the circumstances in which you behave like Martha. Describe how circumstances in which you behave like Mary. (Describe how you "chill" with God.)
2. In what ways is Christianity a life of opposites?

Be Transformed, Justin Anderson – PM Services

1. Read **1 John 2:15-17** – With which aspects of these verses do you struggle and how?
2. Your actions are the product of your beliefs. What part of your mind needs to be renewed?

DAILY WALK - EZEKIEL

1. **Ezekiel 34** is all about the qualities of good and bad shepherds. Read over this chapter and write down the things a good shepherd does. Contrast that with the actions of a bad shepherd. Then take a moment to read **John 10**. Wow! What a GOOD Shepherd we have in Jesus!

(DON'T MISS THE MIRACLE!) One could argue proof of the existence of God in that tiny little Israel is still around today. Read **Ezekiel 36 & 37** and take in the miracle of the re-gathering. By the way, this event began in 1948 and it is still what is going on TODAY!

DIGGING DEEPER (from Stone Tablets)

Get your STONE TABLETS and check out the staff's responses to the questions listed.

1. How do you hear God?
2. What does God's voice sound like?
3. How do you do devotions?
4. How does God speak to you through music?
5. What advice would you give someone who would like to hear God?

HOMEWORK: What has God said to you this week?

"Therefore encourage one another and build each other up, just as in fact you are doing."
1 Thessalonians 5:11