

## Fatal Attraction

(Clearing the Field to Live an Abundant Life Series #6)

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### Review

Jesus came that we might live an abundant life.

To live an abundant life we must “clear the field” of SIN.

WORRY is sin – and has no place in a Christian’s life.

PRIDE is sin, is hated by God, and opens the door for other sins.

UNFORGIVENESS is sin, and wrecks our relationship with God.

Being JUDGMENTAL will cause both man and God to judge us harshly.

### Falling in love with the world is a Fatal Attraction

*1 John 2:15*

*Do not love the world or anything in the world.*

*If anyone loves the world, the love of the Father is not in him.*

### A Parable

*James 4:4*

*You adulterous people,*

*don’t you know that friendship with the world is hatred toward God?*

### What is Worldliness ?

To the Amish... \_\_\_\_\_ things

To the Holiness... \_\_\_\_\_ activities

To Satan... whatever \_\_\_\_\_

### The Process of Fatal Attraction

1. \_\_\_\_\_ *Col. 3:2 Set your mind on things above, not on earthly things.*

2. \_\_\_\_\_ *Rev. 2:4,5 You have forsaken your first love. Remember...! Repent...!*

3. \_\_\_\_\_ *2 Tim. 4:10 Demas, because he loved this world, has deserted me.*

### A “Fatal Attraction” Evaluation

How do I spend my TIME ?

*Eph 5:15,16*

How do I spend my MONEY ?

*Matt 6:19-24*

Whom do I seek to PLEASE ?

*Gal 1:10  
1 Cor 4:3,4*

How are my RELATIONSHIPS ?

*1 Cor 3:1-5*

What are my top PRIORITIES ?

*Matt 22:37-39*

How do I value my POSSESSIONS ?

*Matt 19:21-22*

Do I seek POWER ?

*Matt 20:16*

What are my PLEASURES ?

*1 John 2:16,17*

### How Can You Remedy This Problem? (before it’s too late)

*Ps 119:37 Turn my \_\_\_\_\_ from worthless things.*

*Eph. 4:17 No longer \_\_\_\_\_ as the Gentiles do.*

*1 Tim. 4:16 \_\_\_\_\_ your life (and doctrine) \_\_\_\_\_.*