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THE PERFECTING BELIEVERS SERIES: "Challenging Believers to Be Complete in Every Way."

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"Preaching the Good News and Perfecting Believers IS the Business of the Church."

**Topic: Perfecting Believers' Significance in the World – Part Two
(You Do Matter)**

I. What is Means to Be Significant.

Webster Defines Significant as:

KH adds that in human relationships and human endeavors significant means being

V_____ and U_____ for a cause, endeavor or for a human and spiritual need.

People of Significance go to: _____

People of Significance do not: _____

People of Significance always seek: _____

II. Significance and Insignificance

Statistically Insignificant:

Statistically Significant:

Spiritually Insignificant:

Spiritually Significant:

III. Significance and People of the Bible

Abraham

Scriptures:

Key Points:

How this Applies to You:

Esau

Scriptures:

Key Points:

How this Applies to You:

A Poor-Wealthy Widow

Scriptures:

Key Points:

How this Applies to You:

Shallum and His Daughters

Scriptures:

Key Points:

How this Applies to You:

A Song/Poem Expressing Significance Sung by Collin Raye, Country Western Singer, CD entitled - *Extremes*
One of the most performed country songs of 1995. Words and Music by Chris Farren and John Hobbs

[Christian Audience Version and Personal Adaptation of the song by Kenneth Hammonds, It is still however written in the cadence and basic spirit of the song. [KH words and additions are in brackets.]

You wanna know where [you] go from here;

So many roads, but none that seem clear;

Is [the stirring dream inside] enough to last [your] whole life through?;

[God knows. Only He knows.]

So you're asking me, "What do [I] do?;

Cuz time moves so fast and [your days] seem so few;

Is it too much to think, that [you] could have it all?;

[God knows. Only He knows.]

1st Chorus

But if I were you I'd promise to live life for all it's worth;

Take all that you've been given and leave your mark upon this earth;

Trust [the Lord] to show you everything you'll ever need;

[And if I were you I'd fall upon my knees.]

2nd Chorus

But if I were you I'd [NOW] promise to live life for all it's worth;

[I'd] take all that [I've] been given and leave [my] mark upon this earth;

I'd trust [the Lord] to show [me] everything [I'll] ever need;

[And if I were you I'd soar up high and free];

[Yes, if I were you I'd soar up high and free];

Final Chorus

[Since, I am me, I] promise to live life for all it's worth;

Take all that [I've] been given and leave [MY UNIQUE] mark upon this earth;

I trust [the Lord] to show [me] everything [I'll] ever need;

[And since I am me, I'll soar up high as I can be];

[Yes, since I am me, I'll soar up high as I can be];

May you receive this message with joy and hope and the determination to leave your **Unique, Significant Mark** upon this Earth. *Kenneth Hammonds*