

Ephesians 4:17-24  
*“Addressing Our Times”*

Introduction:

- Are we living in the last days?

I. The Real Problem: (vs.17-19)

- A. What does it mean to live in the futility of one's mind? (17)
- B. What does it mean to have darkened understanding? (18)
- C. What does it mean to be alienated from the life of God? (18)
- D. What does it mean to be past feeling? (19)
- E. What is “*lewdness*”? (19)
- F. What sort of greediness is Paul talking about here? (19)

II. The Only Solution: (vs.20-24)

- A. Who or what is the “*old man*”? (22)
- B. In what way can lusts be deceitful? (22)
- C. Who or what is the “*new man*”? (24)
- D. What imagery is pictured in the exhortation to put off and put on? (22, 24)
- E. What sort of righteousness was Paul referring to here? (24)

Conclusion:

- What mankind's greatest problem?
- What does Paul say is the solution to that problem?