

REBUILD

build (something) again after it has been damaged or destroyed.

Luke 4:18 “The Spirit of the lord is upon me,
for he has anointed me to bring Good News to the poor.
He has sent me to proclaim that captives will be released,
that the blind will see,
that the oppressed will be set free, :19 and that the time of the lord’s favor has come.”

REPENT. REBUILD. REBRAND

Nehemiah 1:3 They said to me, “Things are not going well for those who returned to the province of Judah. They are in great trouble and disgrace. The wall of Jerusalem has been torn down, and the gates have been destroyed by fire.”:4 When I heard this, I sat down and wept. In fact, for days I mourned, fasted, and prayed to the God of heaven.:5 Then I said,“O lord, God of heaven, the great and awesome God who keeps his covenant of unending love with those who love him and obey his commands,:6 listen to my prayer! Look down and see me praying night and day for your people Israel. I confess that we have sinned against you. Yes, even my own family and I have sinned!:7 We have sinned terribly by not obeying the commands, decrees, and regulations that you gave us through your servant Moses.:8 “Please remember what you told your servant Moses: ‘If you are unfaithful to me, I will scatter you among the nations.:9 But if you return to me and obey my commands and live by them, then even if you are exiled to the ends of the earth, I will bring you back to the place I have chosen for my name to be honored.’

1. REPENT- THE GENESIS OF RESTORATION

1 John 1:9 But if we confess our sins to him, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all wickedness.

THIS IS WHERE REAL CHANGE STARTS

INTERNAL AGREEMENT WITH GOD’S STANDARDS

MIND CHANGES AND THOUGHTS, WORDS, ACTIONS

2. REBUILD - THE STEP THAT MAINTAINS THE PROCESS

Nehemiah 2:4 The king asked, “Well, how can I help you? ”With a prayer to the God of heaven,
Nehemiah 2:5 I replied, “If it please the king, and if you are pleased with me, your servant, send me to Judah to **rebuild** the city where my ancestors are buried.”

YOU CARRY THE RESPONSIBILITY

- BURDEN IN THE HEART

YOU HAVE TO MAKE DECISIONS ABOUT TIME

YOU DETERMINE WHERE YOUR ASSETS GO

3. REBRAND - CHANGE YOUR REPUTATION

Nehemiah 4:1 Sanballat was very angry when he learned that we were rebuilding the wall. He flew into a rage and mocked the Jews,

Nehemiah 4:2 saying in front of his friends and the Samaritan army officers, "What does this bunch of poor, feeble Jews think they're doing? Do they think they can build the wall in a single day by just offering a few sacrifices? Do they actually think they can make something of stones from a rubbish heap—and charred ones at that?"

Nehemiah 4:3 Tobiah the Ammonite, who was standing beside him, remarked, "That stone wall would collapse if even a fox walked along the top of it!"

Nehemiah 4:6 At last the wall was completed to half its height around the entire city, for the people had worked with enthusiasm.

Nehemiah 4:7 But when Sanballat and Tobiah and the Arabs, Ammonites, and Ashdodites heard that the work was going ahead and that the gaps in the wall of Jerusalem were being repaired, they were furious.

Nehemiah 4:8 They all made plans to come and fight against Jerusalem and throw us into confusion.

Nehemiah 4:9 But we prayed to our God and guarded the city day and night to protect ourselves.

REBRANDING DOES NOT BEGIN EXTERNALLY BUT INTERNALLY

CAN WE TALK ABOUT WHAT YOU LOOK LIKE TO OTHERS?

Your LANGUAGE

Your ATTITUDE

Your SOCIAL MEDIA PRESENCE

THIS IS ABOUT WHAT YOUR LIFE SAYS ABOUT WHO GOD IS.