

## Ephesians 4:17-24

## 2009: The Spiritual Life in Motion

- We grow as we go.
- God is <u>already</u> on location.
- God is <u>faithful</u> in trials.
- Margins: Our Heavenly Father will always <u>lead us</u> into Margin.
- > Gratitude: God's gift to bring <u>value</u> to our lives.
- 2010: Connecting with the Life of God.
  - Break Free- Recover God's Image
  - Draw Near- Experience God's Presence
  - <u>Get "Clued In'</u>- Live God's Wisdom
  - Find Your Story- Join God's Kingdom

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## **REALife Application**

Use the following questions this week to reflect on what it would mean to align yourself with the truths taught in Scripture. Each question is meant for both personal reflection and as a catalyst for discussion with your family, friends, or REALife Group.

- 1. Review 2009 and your experiences with God. What were some of the growth experiences for you? How did God reveal His love to you?
- 2. What are you most excited about in your connection to HCBC? How have you seen God at work in our church?
- 3. What are some of the traps that keep you from connecting with the "Life of God"? See Ephesians 4:18
- 4. What are some of the regular habits that you have committed yourself to in 2010?

**Memory Verse** to be made new in the attitude of your minds; and to put on the new self, created to be like God in true righteousness and holiness. Ephesians 4:23-24