



The biggest problem with people today is that they can't accept correction. They call correction unloving. They call correction intolerant. They call correction judgemental. They call correction HATE. I've got news for ya. If you aren't being CORRECTED by the Word of God, YOU HAVE SERIOUS PROBLEMS!!!

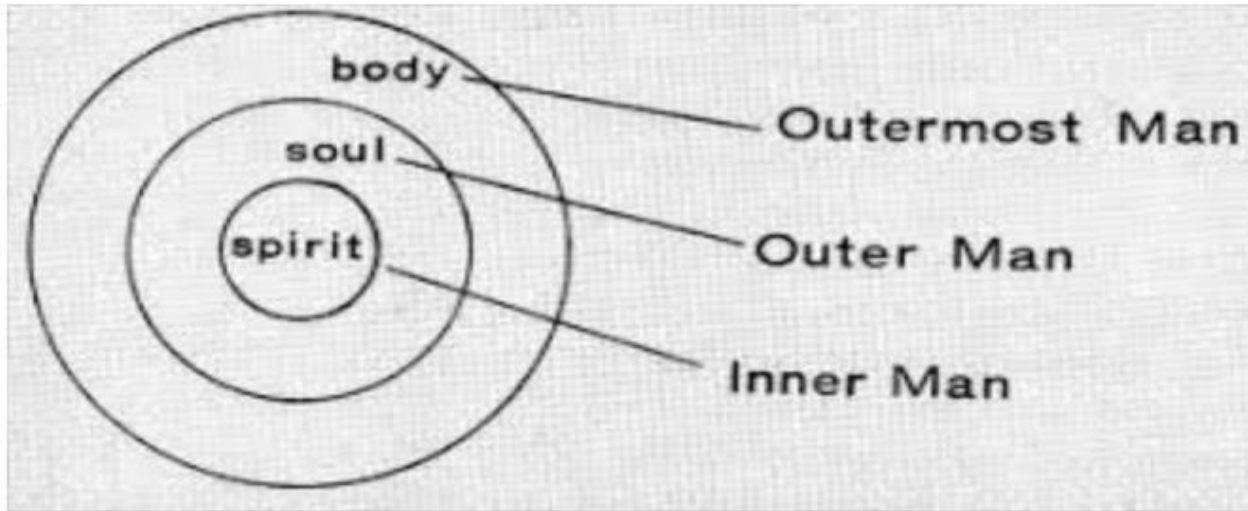
(Proverbs 3:12) — For the LORD corrects those he loves, just as a father corrects a child in whom he delights.

(Hebrews 12:8) — If God doesn't discipline you as he does all of his children, it means that you are illegitimate and are not really his children at all.

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Watchman Née characterizes this as "brokenness of the outermost man."



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- Inner man’s desire to function led by the Spirit closed off by “busy” outer man

**This outermost man is the hard shell of our own construction,
that filters, censors, invents, and disguises the inner man.
.....otherwise known as**

Outerman



"Proof, Fairness, and MY Way!"

**Superman's motto
was
"Truth, Justice, and
the American Way"**

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Outerman believes only "proven" things. Regulates inner voice to say only approved words

Outerman determines what is fair and unfair.

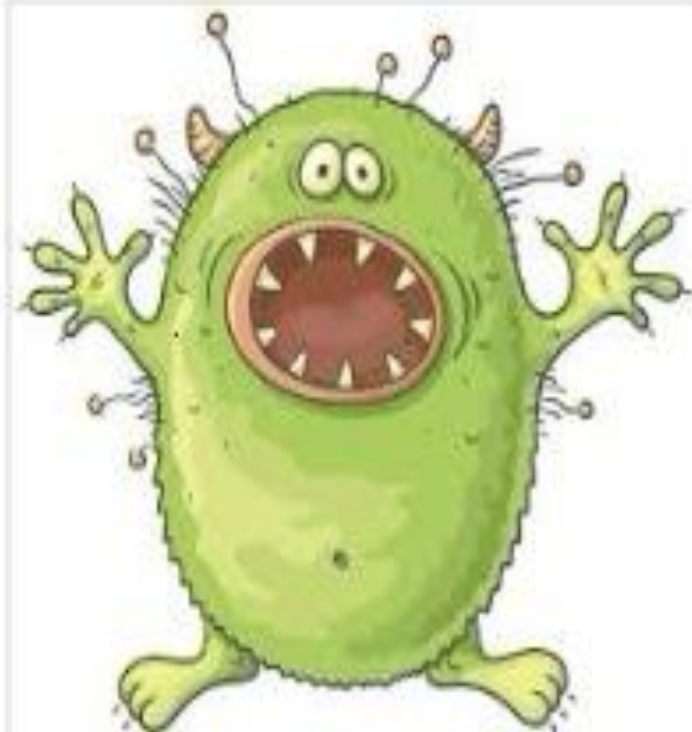
Outerman does what he "needs to do"

- with hands constantly busy and full, can't pick up tasks of the Lord

Outerman is powered by:

- The Tyranny of The Urgent!

"The Urgent"



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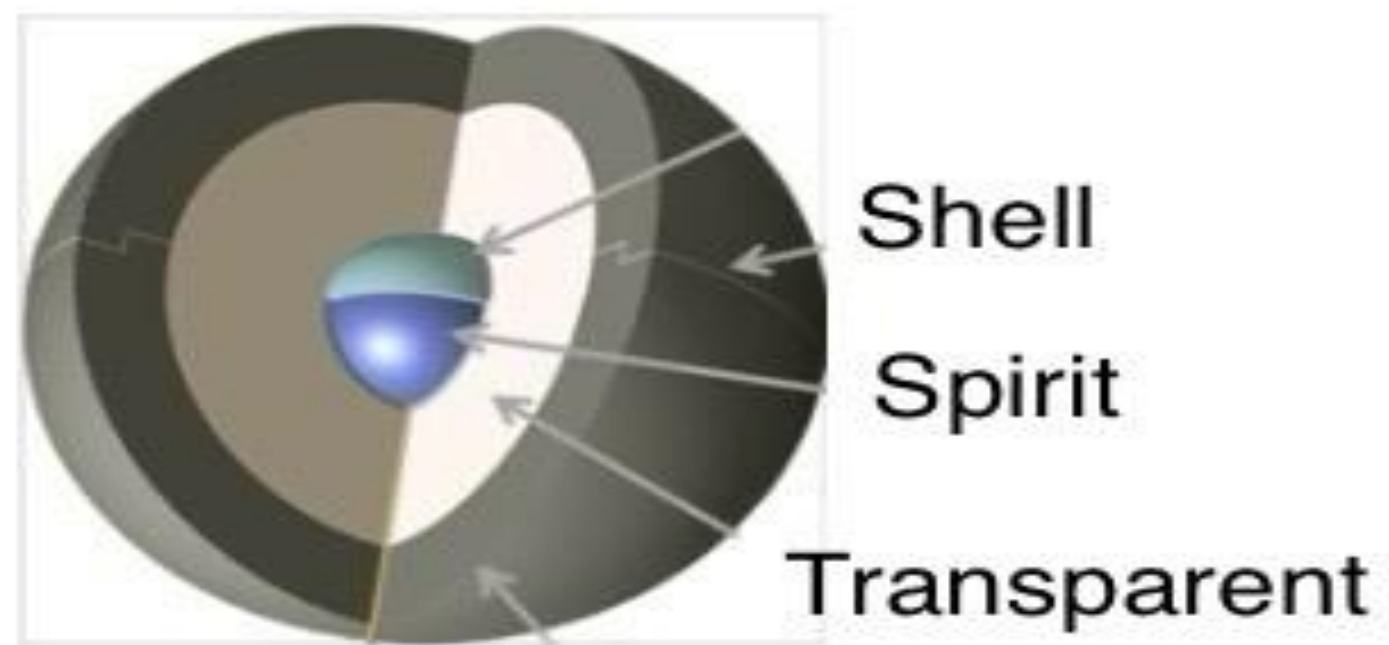
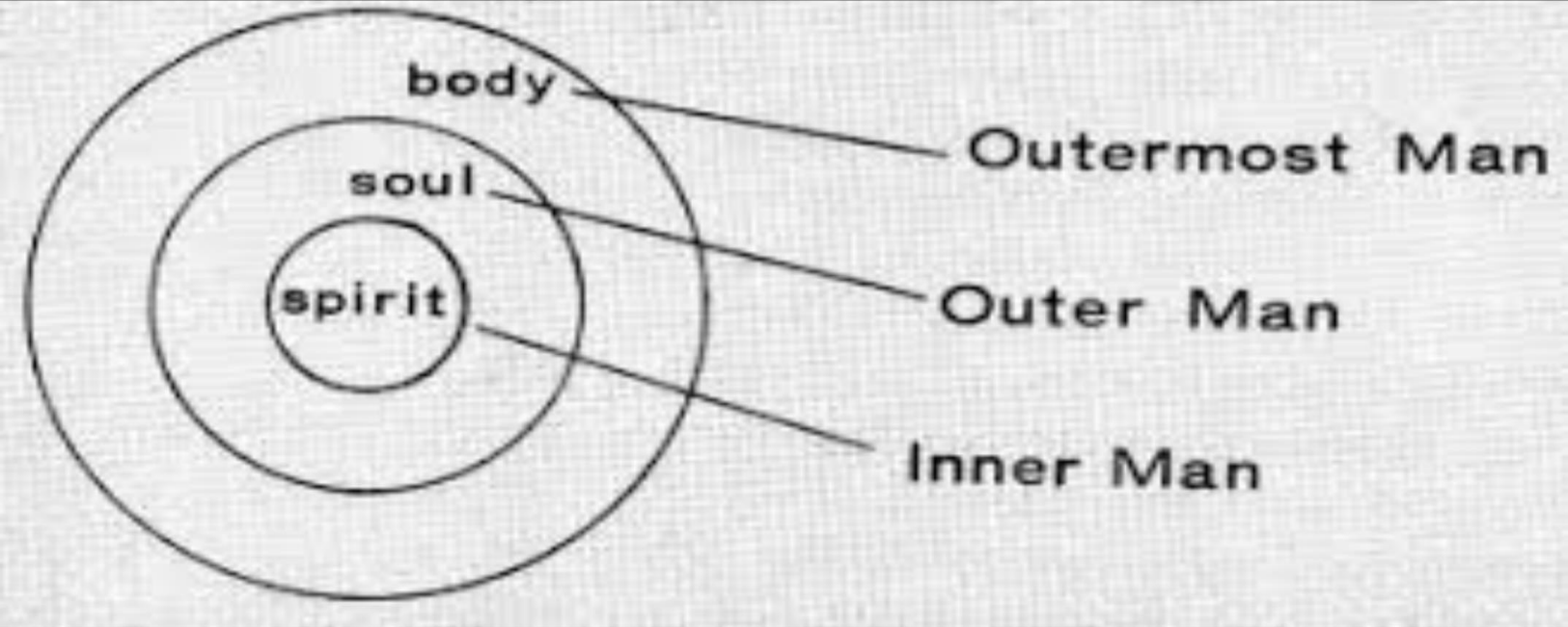
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This love is transmitted. It shines through. It is felt...experienced...believed by the recipient!

This love attracts attention by actions. The "doing" of God's work. Action gets their attention. They see, hear, touch, taste, and smell the act.

But it is felt by spiritual linkage... the "being" love in spirit.



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Showing the Fruit of The Spirit or giving them a banana

Love like Jesus loves = BOTH

**Do you see the
necessity
of shattering the shell
of the outermost man in
order to
Love like Jesus loves?**

We must settle this once and for all. The way of spiritual work counts on God's Spirit passing through our inner man. This is the only way God has ordained. To one whose outer man is unbroken, the gospel is blocked and cannot flow out. Let us bow low before God. To obey God's law is far better than saying many prayers. It is much better to stop praying and confess: "God, I prostrate myself before Thee." Yes, how often our prayers for blessings can actually raise up barriers. We long for God's blessing, but instead we seem to find God's mercy in our crushing experiences. If only we would seek for enlightenment, learn to submit ourselves to His hand, and obey His law, we would find that the outcome is the very blessing we deeply, long for.