

## I've Learned A Lot But I Still Have Stuff To Learn 2/28/16

- Disciples
- The need for teachability - New wine for new wineskins

### 1. CONFESSION:

- When I sin I fall out of fellowship with God - I must confess my sin to keep my salvation
- I must try very hard to remember every sin I have committed and confess them or I will not be forgiven
- When I want to approach the Lord, I must confess my sins first because God can't look upon sin or listen to sinners

1 John 1:7-10 - We must not hide or deny our sin - admit it and ask God's help to overcome it

### 2. FORGIVENESS OF SIN(S) AND REPENTANCE

- When I became a Christian, God forgave all my sins I had committed up to that point  
1 John 2:12, Heb. 10:9-18 All sins - past, present and future are forgiven at the time of salvation
- When I sin, I must repent and get right with God so I will be saved
- God is keeping track of all my sins  
II Cor. 5:19, I Cor. 13:5 God is no longer keeping track of sin
- Is the point "I'm bad and I need to get better" or "I must turn to God for His power?"

Irreproachable - Col. 1:22

Martin Luther's struggle with sin

Prevenient Grace

Repentance is turning to God - Rom. 2:4 ("It's YOUR KINDNESS that leads us to repentance...")

Our understanding and preaching must be correct

### 3. NEW AND OLD NATURE

- When I became a Christian I received a New Nature. Now I have a New and an Old Nature  
Col. 2:11, Col. 3:9, Rom. 6:6 The Old Nature has been cut out  
In our spirit, we are PERFECT - WALL TO WALL Holy Spirit!  
II Cor. 5:17 He became sin - We become righteous  
II Cor. 5:21 Old things pass away - All things become new

### 4. GOD'S ATTITUDE TOWARDS US AND OUR IDENTITY

- God always love me but is angry at me when I sin  
Rom. 5:9 Jesus took the wrath of God for our sins
- I must stay very humble and remember I'm just a filthy sinner saved by grace  
Rom. 5:19 We have been made righteous!  
Rom. 5:8-9 We are justified!

### 5. THIS HARD CHRISTIAN WALK?!?

- Jesus saved me but it's up to me to keep my salvation by doing the right things  
Heb. 12:2 JESUS is the Author and Finisher of our faith  
Phil. 1:6 HE began the good work - HE will complete it  
Phil. 2:13 GOD gives us the will and ability to please Him