## ANY WAY YOU WANT IT

Revelation 3:1-6 March 17, 2019

To keep from just going through the motions and being one of the walking dead, you must do 4 things:

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"And to the angel of the church in Sardis write: 'The words of him who has the seven spirits of God and the seven stars."" Rev. 3:1

... <u>JESUS</u> knows you and the <u>SOLUTION</u> to whatever you are facing.

## 2. REFUSE TO FAKE IT!

"The words of him who has the seven spirits of God and the seven stars." Rev. 3:1b

...When your reputation matters more to you than the <u>TRUTH</u>, you are <u>spiritually DEAD</u> ... and you are <u>FAKING</u> <u>IT</u>.

## 3. RECLAIM YOUR LIFE .

"Wake up, and strengthen what remains and is about to die, for I have not found your works complete in the sight of my God. Remember, then, what you received and heard. Keep it, and repent. If you will not wake up, I will come like a thief, and you will not know what hour I will come against you." Rev. 3:2-3

...Jesus presents the 5 step process to revive a dead church and to reclaim your <u>LIFE</u>:

Step 1: <u>RESPOND</u>	_ (vs. 2a)
Step 2: RENEW	_ (vs. 2b)
Step 3: REMEMBER	_ (vs. 3a)
Step 4: <u>RETAIN</u>	_ (vs. 3b
Step 5: REPENT	(vs. 3c)

4.	Receive Your <u>REWARDS</u> .  "Yet you have still a few names in Sardis, people who have not soiled their garments, and they will walk with me in white, for they are worthy. The one who conquers will be clothed thus in white garments, and I will never blot his name out of the book of life. I will confess his name before my Father and before his angels. He who has an ear, let him hear what the Spirit says to the churches."  Rev. 3:4-6
	Jesus offers <u>REWARDS</u> to those who focus on their relationship with Him rather than their <u>REPUTATION</u> :
	A. INTIMACY (vs. 4)  B. PURITY (vs. 5a)  C. SECURITY (vs. 5b)  D. VICTORY (vs. 5c)
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