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*(2 Corinthians 10:3-4) ³ For though
we walk in the flesh, we are not
waging war according to the flesh.*

*⁴ For the weapons of our warfare
are not of the flesh but have divine
power to destroy strongholds.*

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*(2 Corinthians 4:18) ¹⁸ We look
not to the things that are seen
but to the things that are unseen.
For the things that are seen are
transient, but the things that are
unseen are eternal.*

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OUR MEN

It is a mistake to think
that our men are not
motivated

Hunger. Thirst. Anger.
Money. Success. Greed.
Enjoyment. Sex. Power.

Rather, think about it as
our men being motivated
by a spirit other than the
Spirit of God

Think of it as our men being
led by Babylon that exerts
its power by age 15

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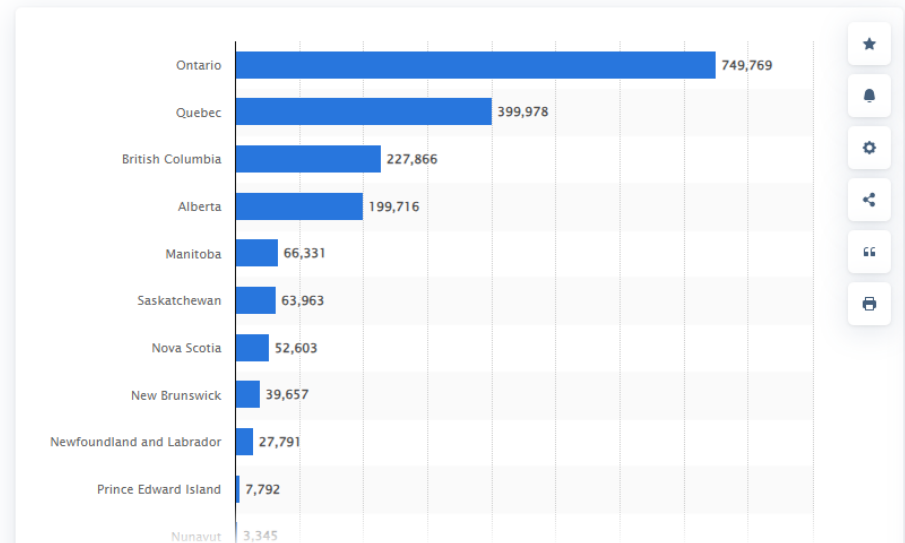
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Who becomes our missionaries?

Who comes to our prayer meetings?

Who teaches to our Sunday School?

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Four Things to Heal

The impact of Absence and Abdication

The ugly message of Hypocrisy

The restoration of the moral compass

The return to the Bible as a way of life

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SIX PRINCIPLES

1. Life and not Legalism

Legalism offers the “rules of life”;
Babylon offers “life without rules”.

From the time they are children,
men need to be convinced that the
greatest desire that God has for
them is to live a transformed life
from which comes the abundant
life.

Compared to legalism, it is Babylon
that men can hardly refuse.

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2. Jesus and not “Church”

Babylon makes a big deal about “church” but it is mixed with the poison of the religion of power, control and colonialism.

The true emphasis has to move away from church attendance to responding to the Call and the Love of Jesus.

And the desire to go to church is not the goal but the measure of spiritual life.

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3. Engagement and not Abdication

Babylon rides on the Beast. Its distraction is the things of this Age. “Chase your heart...nothing else matters.”

Starting from the home to the church, Men must be called never to abdicate. “Keep that to which you have been charged!”

Live by three principles:

Care...Share...Be There

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2. Jesus and not “Church”
3. Engagement and not Abdication
4. Disciples and not Performers
Babylon specializes in performance:
painted faces; decked in colours.

Prefer depth! Teach Bible-in-life!
Stop the shallow stories and make
true disciples of Jesus Christ.

In the end, performers simply quit
the stage when love grows cold. It
is Disciples that persevere.

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5. Soldiers before Kings

Notice the description of Babylon?
She loves kings and fancy titles.

Teach men the war-room of prayer
before the battlefield of preaching

Good kings can come only from
being first good soldiers.

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6. Together and not Alone

The issue of men’s abdication from spiritual engagement and leadership is not specific to any one church, denomination, culture or people. Babylon rides on the Waters of the Great Sea.

It is in working together by the power of God that we may come to see her eventual ruin and rescue our men from her grip.

**Restore
our work
with
Men ... Let's do it
Together**