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Your Condition is Not Your Conclusion
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We all have conditions, and more times than not society has a way of defining you based on your individual or specific condition. However, conditions are momentary and temporary manifestations that occur to all of us, similar to the common cold; at some point it will run its course. On the other hand, your conclusion in life is forever; and has lasting implications about where you spend eternity. As a child of God your conclusion is eternal life with the Lord.

Too many people seem to have the perpetual habit of judging a book by its cover and never realize that the cover has little if anything to do with the pages that are between the front and rear cover.

No matter what your condition may be, it's not your conclusion and it's not your final destination. Your condition may be: Drugs; Alcohol; Smoking; Sex; Lust; Pain; Abuse; Lying; Deceit; Jealousy; Vindictiveness; No self-worth; Low Self-esteem; Weakness; Manipulation and No faith; but God says that these things are not your conclusion it's just a trick of the enemy to make you feel that you'll always be bound by you condition.

When people judge a book by its cover, they are in effect judging a condition that occurs in your life for a moment or season; it is not the sum totality of who you are or who you are becoming by the grace of God. The Lord on the other hand reads the book from cover to cover, and therefore knows where you start out, what happens with each chapter of your life and ultimately where you will end up.

Develop relationships based on those who take the time to invest in getting to know you from beginning to end. Avoid relationships with people who are only interested in where you are right now. Remember, it does not yet appear what you shall be, but when God gets through with you, you shall come forth as pure gold.

No matter what is going on in life and in your world, always remember to concentrate on your conclusion and let your condition run its course. God is yet able to transform your condition into a glorious conclusion.