





# Take out the Trash!

- *Requires a level of “self-awareness”.*
- *How is your “self-awareness”?*

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*“Most leaders (Christians) shipwreck or live inconsistent lives because of forces and motivations beneath the surface of their lives, which they never even considered.”*

*Scazzaro, Emotionally Healthy Church, 71.*

# Repent of our Proud, Independent Attitude.

*and humbly accept the word planted in you, which  
can save you.*

*<sup>22</sup> Do not merely listen to the word, and so deceive  
yourselves. Do what it says. <sup>23</sup> Anyone who listens  
to the word but does not do what it says is like a  
man who looks at his face in a mirror <sup>24</sup> and,  
after looking at himself, goes away and  
immediately forgets what he looks like.*

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*<sup>25</sup> But the man who looks intently into  
the perfect law that gives freedom,  
and continues to do this not forgetting  
what he has heard, but doing it he will  
be blessed in what he does.*

# Pursue a Life of Freedom!

- *Check your attitude.*
- *Engage the Word intently.*
- *Engage the Word Habitually*
- *Engage the Word Responsively*