

Proposal

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The Walk Applied Model is a biblical model of human behavior. The Walk Applied Model is a product of new and original thinking that is not seen anywhere else. It is arguably the first and only biblical model that expresses an overarching and comprehensive model of human behavior. A core aspect of the model is found in how the sinful flesh is defined to be two complex systems of idolatrous beliefs: Need Idolatry and Rebellion Idolatry. Rebellion Idolatry is seen to be composed of six belief idols: Pride, Performance, Facade, Entitlement, Pleasure and Security. Need Idolatry is composed of these six belief idols: Purpose, Provision, Home, Acceptance and Intimacy, Knowledge, and Identity. In toto, the two systems comprised of the twelve belief idols comprise a complex, intricate and innate fabric of sinful belief that are at the root of our sinful flesh. This fabric of idolatrous beliefs forms the basis of a fleshly and sinful worldview that influences for all intent and purposes the sinful ways in which we see and interact with the world around us. Romans 2 discusses the destructive impacts of our sinful flesh, which is seen partly in the mechanism of judgement and self-seeking. Indeed, we are told judgement and self-seeking lead to wrath, anger, trouble and distress.

The foregoing description only serves to scratch the surface of the depth of The Walk Applied Model. Space limitations here preclude discussions of the intricacies of the two constructs the

Heart belief System - the Assurance Construct and The Guarantee Construct, which are implanted in us when we are saved. The numerous and wide-ranging modes of therapy that the Model subscribes to are also unable to be touched on. The absolutely original thinking and unique and profound considerations of the model constitute not only a thoughtful and powerful framework for discipleship, but provide fertile ground that will have untold impact in various counseling and therapeutic settings.