

# U-Turn

(2 Corinthians 7:10)

- Introduction:
1. I am convinced that repentance is the most difficult step in the lan of salvation.
  2. Repentance is necessary in order to be saved
  3. (Acts 17:30-31)
  4. (1 Peter 3:9)

## I. People Have Different Reactions To Sin

- A. Some deny it (2 Kings 5:20-26).
- B. Some cover it (II Samuel 11-12).
- C. Some justify it (Genesis 3:12).
- D. Some acknowledge it (Acts 9:4-6).

## II. What Is Repentance?

- A. Repentance is a change of mind, produced by godly sorrow, that results in a change of conduct.
- B. (Matthew 21:28-30) Repented and went...
- C. (Acts 16:33) Jailer washed his stripes..
- D. (Acts 19:19) Ephesus burned books...

## III. How Can I Repent?

- A. Resist temptation (James 4:7)
- B. Realize the way of the transgressor is hard (Proverbs 13:15).
- C. Realize what God is offering (Isaiah 1:18)
- D. Trust God (1 Thessalonians 5:23-24)

- Conclusion:
1. If you need to turn from sin, and turn back to God, know that the Spirit and the Bride say, "Come!" (Revelation 22:17)