

Introduction _____

I. VISION AND GOALS FOR 1997

Two main goals: personal salvation and congregational readiness _____

1. Personal Goal: Salvation _____

2. Congregational Goal: Readiness _____

– I Timothy 2:4; I Thessalonians 5:6 _____

II. STRATEGIES TO ACHIEVE GOALS

A. Keep church Christ and Bible centered _____

B. Organize and function by New Testament pattern _____

C. Maintain unity and avoid division _____

III. REALIZING THE VISION: INDIVIDUAL RESPONSIBILITY

STRATEGY 1: BE BIBLE AND CHRIST CENTERED

Increase personal Bible reading, study, and prayer time _____

Regular Bible Readers Program (RBR): read at least 3 times weekly _____

Use a notebook to journal insights and track progress _____

No time limit; focus on habit, not speed _____

STRATEGY 2: NEW TESTAMENT CHURCH ORGANIZATION

Address attendance and service initiative problems _____

Improve attendance tracking and communication _____

Plan building expansion to support growth and service _____

Elders to visit members for commitment and support _____

STRATEGY 3: MAINTAIN UNITY

Strengthen Care Group Ministry for fellowship and service _____

Provide clear calendar and communication tools _____
