

# **IMPROVING YOUR PERSPECTIVE**

## **Part 4 - Back to the Farm**

**TEXT:** *(Proverbs 4:23 NKJV) Keep your heart with all diligence, For out of it spring the issues of life.*

### **DIFFERENT MINDSETS** *(2 Timothy 2:3-6 NKJV)*

- Mindset: A habitual or characteristic mental attitude that determines how you will interpret and respond to situations
  1. Soldier - alert and focused
  2. Athlete - disciplined and self controlled
  3. Our race *(Hebrews 12:1 NKJV)*

### **THE FARMER MINDSET**

- Farmers work hard
  1. Always something to do
  2. Weeds are the only things growing by themselves
- The scriptures speak to hard working vs. slothful/sluggard *(Proverbs 6:6-11 NKJV)*
  1. Learn from the ant - God ordained wisdom
  2. Learning from the lazy *(Proverbs 24:30-34 NKJV)*
- The farmer is completely bought in to sowing and reaping *(Galatians 6:7-10 NKJV)*
  1. Sowing and reaping is a God-ordained principle *(Genesis 8:22 NKJV)*
  2. Financial seeds *(2 Corinthians 9:6-7 NKJV)*
  3. Spiritual or flesh seeds *(Luke 6:31 NKJV)*
  4. Words are seeds *(Proverbs 18:21 NKJV)*