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## A New Teaching

I am quite passionate about several topics and those of you who have listened to me over the years know that those passions emerge with regularity in my public teaching and private mentoring.

- First and foremost, **I believe Christianity is made to work.** I believe that dysfunctional Christianity is an insult to the finished work of Christ on the cross. He is not getting a full ROI on His extraordinary death until redemption is fully manifested in every part of creation.
- Second, I believe we have extravagant resources through the presence of God in us, and the availability of principles which we can weave together to effect change. The poverty spirit can be traced directly back to the Garden of Eden where the devil assured Eve that God had not given her adequate resources. I believe the problem is that we are not using what we already have.
- Third, I am passionate about erasing the line between the secular and the sacred. I believe there is no social structure, no facet of business, no governmental dynamic and no economic situation that is not supposed to be a playing field for the power and the principles of God.

Broadly speaking, very few Christians would argue with me about those abstract positions. Practically speaking, however, these three things are absolutely contrary to the way most Christians live.

Because of the disconnect between what we say we believe and how we live, Sapphire Leadership Group is releasing a new teaching that weaves all three of my deep beliefs into one impassioned cry for a change in the way we do Christianity. It is time to rise above our Sunday morning pompous statements that have no relevance on the street.

In this new teaching, I take a brutally honest look at WHY the church as we know it has failed. But this teaching is not about failure. After drilling down to the core reason for the failure of the church to impact this culture, I show how God has already placed in our hands the resources to change that reality.

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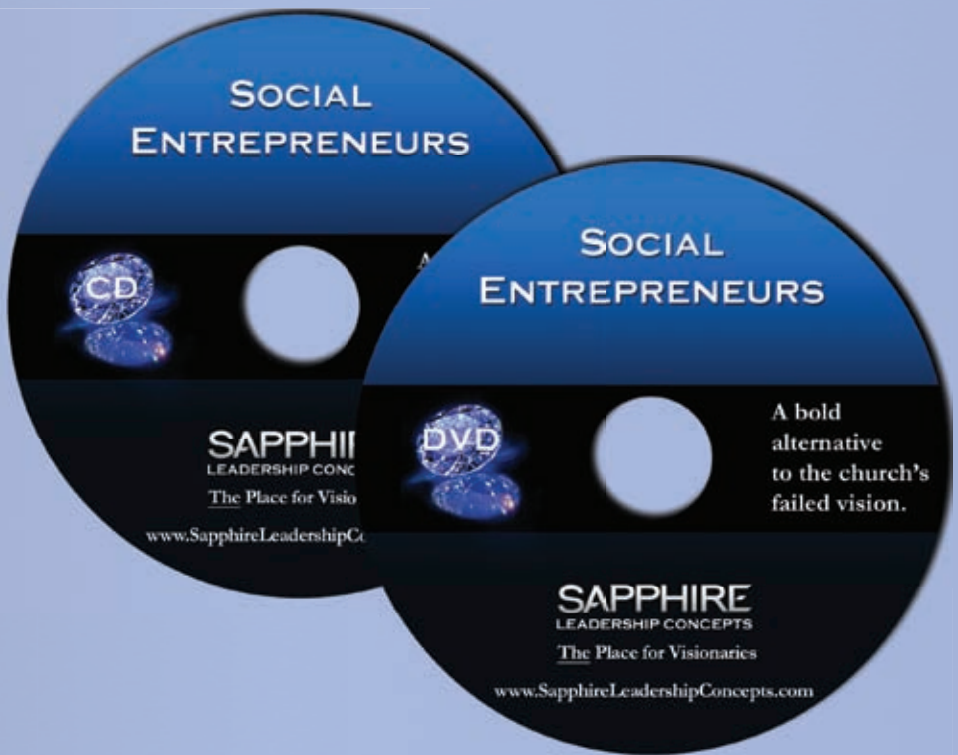
**We are not impoverished.** We have a treasure in our midst. We simply need to take the resources God has been preparing for us during the last 40 years and **assemble them a different way** for wildly different results.

My perspective about the church in America is enormously different from the message going forth from most pulpits these days. Some of you will suffer whiplash from the intensity of my passion coupled with the dramatic new strategy I am proposing. Most of you, however, will be awash with renewed hope when you are done listening to my plan of action.

This is not another exhortation to try harder with the same old stuff dressed up in different language. It is a precise diagnosis of our problem, coupled with a clear strategy for producing change. It is a track to run on.

The title of this teaching is "Social Entrepreneurs: A bold alternative to the church's failed vision."

It is available in CD or DVD. We are offering it free of charge. Mail to [Orders@PlumblineMinistries.com](mailto:Orders@PlumblineMinistries.com) to request your copy.



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