## **Christianity Without A Cup or A Cross**

# Matthew 26:31-40 Romans 12:1-2

### Romans 12:1-2 (read)

## 1) What is true biblical commitment?

#### **Example: "Marriage"**

- Marriage is more than a decision
- Marriage is more than a declaration
- Marriage is more than a document
- Marriage is a commitment of each other to each other

There are ten Greek words for commitment, but only two that describe Christian commitment, they are paratithemi and pisteuo.

According to the Bible, to make a commitment means to turn something over to someone. In this case, our lives are to be turned over to Christ.

It is yielding to, surrendering to, abandoning to, entrusting to, and placing ones life at the disposal of the Lord.

<u>Question: Have you ever consciously made that deep of a commitment</u> of your life to Christ?

# 2) What Will It Take to Make This Deep of a Commitment?

Romans 12:1-2 (read)

a) It is a personal presentation:

b) It is a total presentation:

c) It is a holy presentation:

d) It is a practical presentation:

#### e) It is a transforming presentation: v.2

- 1) We are transformed morally:
- 2) We are transformed mentally:

"Be ye transformed by the renewing of your mind."

3) We are transformed motivationally: