



## The Heart of the Matter Jeremiah 17:9

Attention determines direction,  
which determines destination.

Seven insights:

1. My biggest problem is that I am pursuing \_\_\_\_\_ instead of \_\_\_\_\_.
2. The problem with the happiness quest is that "happy \_\_\_\_\_" does not necessarily equal "happy \_\_\_\_\_".
3. When I stand at the crossroads between prudent and happy, I \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_.
4. I will \_\_\_\_\_ get to \_\_\_\_\_ I want to be if I don't know \_\_\_\_\_ I am to begin with.
5. To find the \_\_\_\_\_, I must break the cycle of \_\_\_\_\_.

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(*Jeremiah 17:9, NIV*)

6. My \_\_\_\_\_ has the ability to \_\_\_\_\_ me \_\_\_\_\_.

The heart is deceitful above all things and beyond cure. Who can understand it? (*Jeremiah 17:9, NIV*)

You will know the truth, and the truth will set you free.  
(*John 8:32, GWT*)



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7. To get on the right path I must stop pursuing \_\_\_\_\_ and start pursuing \_\_\_\_\_.

Three Questions:

1. Why am I really \_\_\_\_\_ what I'm \_\_\_\_\_?
2. If someone in my circumstances came to me for \_\_\_\_\_, what course of action would I \_\_\_\_\_?
3. In light of my past experience, my future hopes, and my dreams, what is the \_\_\_\_\_ to do?

Don't copy the behavior and customs of this world, but let God transform you into a new person by changing the way you think. Then you will know what God wants you to do, and you will know how good and pleasing and perfect his will really is.  
(*Romans 12:2, NLT*)