

# TRUST DEFICIT | PART 1

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The current crisis in America and for the church: a \_\_\_\_\_ deficit.

- This is ultimately \_\_\_\_\_: erode \_\_\_\_\_ & kill \_\_\_\_\_

The Church has an \_\_\_\_\_ because God has shown us the way.

- Exodus 20:16 → Matthew 22:37-40; Luke 10:25-37; Romans 13:10
- If our nation and neighbors are ever going to trust God and know His love, then they might have to first trust the \_\_\_\_\_ and see our \_\_\_\_\_.

## Factors that Contribute to the Deficit:

- Using truth to \_\_\_\_\_ rather than \_\_\_\_\_.
- Focusing more on being \_\_\_\_\_ rather than \_\_\_\_\_.
- Being selectively \_\_\_\_\_ and selectively \_\_\_\_\_.
- Speaking truth with a \_\_\_\_\_ not guided by \_\_\_\_\_ or guarded by \_\_\_\_\_.
- Fighting/looking like the \_\_\_\_\_ → Romans 12:21

## A Way Forward:

- 1) Spend more time marveling at the \_\_\_\_\_ of Jesus.
- 2) As student/disciple of Jesus, learn to let the \_\_\_\_\_ filter beat our political filter, preference filter and/or tribal filter.
- 3) Radically reject and resist the sins of the \_\_\_\_\_.
- 4) Be alert for \_\_\_\_\_ opportunities.