

NOT MY PROBLEM

Part 2: "The Problem With Denial"

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I HAVE TO BE OKAY WITH SAYING "THAT IS MY PROBLEM" BECAUSE...

1. ...I CAN ONLY FIX THE PROBLEMS I AM WILLING TO SEE

Truth: Nothing gets <u>fixed</u> in the <u>dark</u>

"A man who refuses to admit his mistakes can never be successful. But if he confesses and forsakes them, he gets another chance."

Proverbs 28:13 (TLB)

"It is shameful even to talk about what those people do in secret. But the light makes all things easy to see, and everything that is made easy to see can become light."

Ephesians 5:12-14 (NCV)

2. ...I HAVE TO SEE MY PROBLEMS THROUGH THE EYES OF OTHERS

Truth: Love always tells the truth—sometimes jerks do too

"Accepting constructive criticism opens your heart to the path of life, making you right at home among the wise. Refusing constructive criticism shows you have no interest in improving your life, for revelation—insight only comes as you accept correction and the wisdom that it brings."

Proverbs 15:31-32 (TPT)

3. ...I HAVE TO BE DRIVEN BY MY HEALTH INSTEAD MY HAPPINESS

Truth: Putting my health above my happiness is the mark that I am maturing

"When I was a child, I spoke, thought, and reasoned in childlike ways as we all do. But when I became a man, I left my childish ways behind."

1 Corinthians 13:11 (TVB)

"Those who belong to Christ Jesus have nailed the passions and desires of their sinful nature to his cross and crucified them there. Since we are living by the Spirit, let us follow the Spirit's leading in every part of our lives."

Galatians 5:24-25 (NLT)