Sunday AM, April 6, 2025 Living Sacrifices - Romans 12:1-2 Brandon Crawford

Proposition: The essence of the gospel-driven life lies in presenting our bodies to God as living sacrifices.

Romans 12:1-2

¹I appeal to you therefore, brothers, by the mercies of God, to present your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and acceptable to God, which is your spiritual worship. ² Do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewal of your mind, that by testing you may discern what is the will of God, what is good and acceptable and perfect.

I. Our Calling Stated: We must present our bodies to God as living sacrifices (v.1)

- A. It is a nonnegotiable calling
- B. It is a universal calling
- C. It is a most reasonable calling
- D. It is a lifelong calling
- E. It is a sacred calling
- F. It is a doxological calling

II. Our Calling Explained: We must not be conformed, but transformed (v.2)

- A. Do not be conformed...
- B. But be transformed