

## HOUSE ORDER

House In Order is a 60-minute presentation covering valuable estate planning information for all adult groups in your church. This presentation teaches participants Biblical stewardship principles necessary to create a Christ-centered estate plan.

## **House In Order**: Outline for Presentation

- 1. Our estate includes <u>ALL</u> we own at this point in time.
- 2. Biblical Principles:
  - a. We should set our <u>HOUSE</u> in order. [Isaiah 38:1] <u>70</u>% of Americans do not have their house in order.
  - b. We are to <u>HONOR</u> God with all that we have. [Proverbs 3:9]

    The most significant <u>STEWARDSHIP</u> decision of our life will likely take place through our will.
  - c. We are to provide for our <u>FAMILY</u>. [1 Timothy 5:8]
  - d. We are to be <u>GENEROUS</u> with the blessings that God gives to us. [2 Corinthians 9:11]
- 3. The Floor Plan
  - a. Typical Documents:
    - i. Last WILL and Testament ("Last Testimony")
    - ii. Durable Power of Attorney FINANCES
    - iii. Durable Power of Attorney HEALTHCARE
    - iv. LIVING Will
  - b. Giving Authority to Those Involved with Estate Planning
  - c. Tax Considerations of Estate Planning.
- 4. Legacy and Impact
  - a. What have been your highest values in life?
  - b. Leaving a Legacy Impact
    - i. On your FAMILY
    - ii. On OTHERS
    - iii. On your CHURCH
    - iv. On God's KINGDOM
  - c. Consider <u>TITHING</u> your estate to benefit the Kingdom specifically through your church and/or other ministries