STRATEGY GROUP FOR REFORMATION

in the News Media

1. What are some of the problems that confront us in the news media today?

Humanism. Fleshy. New age. TV – to tell a vision, i.e. they have an agenda. Most news is propaganda, distraction, e.g. AAN7 – new channel owned by Guptas will be very pro-ANC. Many media promote sin and perversity. They, "declare the deviant normal and normal deviant!"

2. What can we do involve and inform Christians in redeeming the news media?

Get foot in the door, infiltrate, argue for fairness. Vote with our feet. Cut off the demand for the bad. Support the good.

3. What can we do to encourage Christians to support Christian media?

Be as crafty as serpents and as gentle as doves. We need to educate Christians in discernment and infiltration. Spiritual warfare.

4. Where can Christian Journalists be trained?

Identify and inspire those in our congregations with talent and calling. Internships. Can learn skills from secular world but need discipleship in a Biblical Worldview and mentorship with Christians.

5. What resources are available for those wanting to redeem and transform the news media, or to provide Christian alternatives?

Articles – <u>Battle for the Mind in the News Media</u>, <u>How Propaganda Changes Perceptions and People</u>. <u>Biblical Worldview Manual</u>. <u>Biblical Principles for Africa</u>, <u>Christian Action</u>. <u>JOY!</u> <u>JUIG!</u> Radio Tygerberg. Radio Khwezi.

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