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#2 The S _____ P _____ 25-26

#3 The S _____ P _____ 27-28

1ST The SABBATH P _____ 27

2ND The SOVEREIGN P _____ 28

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| <p>1 Where is your _____ right now?</p> <p>2 Are you given to _____, ritualism or legalism?</p> <p>3 Where are you _____ in what Christ wants for you and from you?</p> |
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- 1 Where is your HEART right now?
- 2 Are you given to EXTERNALISM, ritualism or legalism?
- 3 Where are you LACKING in what Christ wants for you and from you?