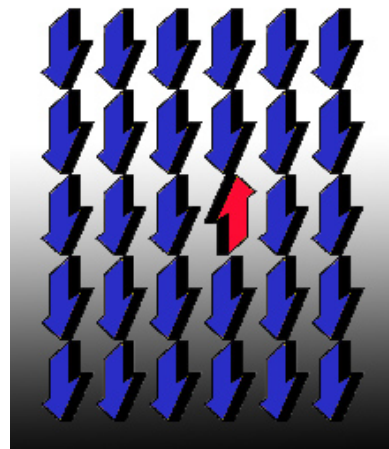


"Thou shalt not follow a multitude to do evil; neither shalt thou speak in a cause to decline after many to wrest judgment:" Exodus 23:2 KJV

Evil can be as trifling as disdain and gossip. If you allow evil in your life, it is recorded and not wiped clean until you repent, confess, and forsake it. All evil, past, present, and future, was laid on Christ at Calvary. You think God will hold you guiltless or are you just in denial about your evil? You may be swimming upstream, but if everyone is doing it, it's probably evil. Jesus said, *"Broad is the way, that leadeth to destruction, and many there be which go in thereat: Because...narrow is the way, which leadeth unto life, and few there be that find it."* Are you "with the few" or "of the many?" Do you follow the feel-good desires of fun, frolic, and the mantras of "love yourself crowd," or do you follow the invitation of Christ who bids you *"take up your cross and follow me?"* Do you "fit" with ease into the "in crowd?" *"If ye were of the world, the world would love his own: but because ye are not of the world the world hateth you. He that loveth his life shall lose it; and he that hateth his life in this world shall keep it unto life eternal. Be not conformed to this world: but be ye transformed by the renewing of your mind, that ye may prove what is that good, and acceptable, and perfect, will of God. The wisdom of this world is foolishness with God. Yea, and all that will live godly in Christ Jesus shall suffer persecution."* Do unbelievers think you're "cool?" When is the last time you were mocked or persecuted for your faith in Christ? The last time you refused to follow a wicked invitation to fun and frolic? The last time you listened to worldly music and thought it made sense? The last time you knelt and prayed? Studied your Bible? Meditated on Truth? Jesus never promised a bed of roses in this life, but did promise to walk with us. *"Lo, I am with you always; even unto the end of the world."* His presence with you is God's Word in your heart and thoughts. *"I am the Truth."* Truth is who God is, and when hidden in thought and memory, not only sustains, but directs. But *"if we sin wilfully after that we have received the knowledge of the truth, there remaineth no more sacrifice for sins, but a certain fearful looking for of judgment and fiery indignation, which shall devour the adversaries. He that despised Moses' law died without mercy under two or three witnesses: Of how much sorer punishment, suppose ye, shall he be thought worthy, who hath trodden underfoot the Son of God, and hath counted the blood of the covenant, wherewith he was sanctified, an unholy thing, and hath done despite unto the Spirit of grace? It is a fearful thing to fall into the hands of the Living God!"*



Follow not the way of sin,
Travel not with foolish men,
Look to Truth to light your way,
And you'll not fall on Judgment Day! ~CGP

You want to be remembered? Quit following the *"multitude to do evil."* Quit getting your wisdom from worldly teachers, the internet, and TV. Twelve men started a revolution of Godliness two thousand years ago and it still thrives today because they *"took up their cross"* and followed *"The Way, The Truth, and The Life."* Don't even trust your own intellect. Scientists do and how many times have they been wrong? Trust only the absolutes of God's Truth and you will never regret it! You will be rewarded with eternal bliss! Who directs your steps? *"Blessed is the man that walketh not in the counsel of the ungodly."* Walking with God is never lonely!

"Trust in the LORD with all thine heart; and lean not unto thine own understanding. In all thy ways acknowledge him, and he shall direct thy paths. Be not wise in thine own eyes: fear the LORD, and depart from evil. It shall be health to thy navel, and marrow to thy bones." Proverbs 3:5-8 KJV