

*“I have chosen the way of Truth: Thy judgments have I laid before me.” Psalms 119:30 KJV*



We avoid Truth and seek a lie by choice, to save face or for personal comfort. The most insidious lie of all is, “It’s okay to lie if Truth offends.” Why not just keep silent? *“The tongue is a fire, a world of iniquity...it defileth the whole body, and setteth on fire the course of nature; and it is set on fire of hell. The tongue can no man tame; it is an unruly evil, full of deadly poison.”* Wouldn’t it make good sense to just bridle it? What good is telling a lie except to enhance our own comfort? To lie to protect someone only means we are uncomfortable with silence. It means we do not trust God to do it. God hates liars. *“A sluggard, a naughty person, a wicked man, a froward mouth, he [that] deviseth mischief continually, [and] he [that] soweth discord. These six things doth the LORD hate...seven are an abomination unto Him: A proud look, a lying tongue, and hands that shed innocent blood, An heart that deviseth wicked imaginations, feet that be swift in running to mischief, A false witness that speaketh lies, and he that soweth discord among brethren.”* Truth and Holiness are the essence of God. Lies and evil are the essence of sin. Sin damned men to eternal death! Sin is a conscious choice for the believer. We do not have to sin, but if we choose to sin, *“we have an advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous:”* and *“If we confess our sins, He is faithful and just to forgive us our sins, and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.”* A confession is a detailed admission of your actions. Let God’s Word search and try your thoughts to *“see if there be any wicked way in [you].”* Learn to love Truth and you will love God, for He is Truth. Avoid falsehood at any cost. It is better to be silent than to lie. Do you want to be truly free? Get to know Truth. Jesus, the Son of God, said, *“I am...the Truth. If the Son shall make you free, ye shall be free indeed.”* The Truth frees us from the deception of lies. God is going to send a strong delusion upon the wicked. They will believe a lie to their own damnation. *“And then shall that Wicked (anti-Christ) be revealed, whom the Lord shall consume with the spirit of His mouth, and shall destroy with the brightness of His coming: Even him, whose coming is after the working of Satan with all power and signs and lying wonders...because they received not the love of the Truth, that they might be saved...God shall send them strong delusion, that they should believe a lie: That they all might be damned who believed not the Truth.”* Liars believe liars! It is how bad liars get elected! Fool me once, shame on you! Fool me twice, shame on me!

To choose the Truth, the Life, the Way,  
Will lead unto a brighter day,  
A day of liberty and right,  
A day where never there is night. ~CGP

There is no such thing as a “white lie.” Omitting Truth or part of it is the same as lying. Failing to give the Gospel of Salvation to anyone is essentially lying to them. We let them believe they are okay when they are not! We fear men’s rejection over the need to warn them of their peril. Is our comfort and convenience more important than their life? Not in the slightest! Have you made a choice for Truth, today?

*“And if it seem evil unto you to serve the LORD, choose you this day whom ye will serve; whether the gods which your fathers served that were on the other side of the flood, or the gods of the Amorites, in whose land ye dwell: but as for me and my house, we will serve the LORD.” Joshua 24:15 KJV*

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