

*“No servant can serve **Two Masters**: for either he will hate the one, and love the other; or else he will hold to the one, and despise the other. Ye cannot serve God and mammon.” Luke 16:13 KJV*



Ever had two bosses? I have! You live in a world of indecision. My solution, like so many, was to do whatever the last boss told me first. But that doesn't work with God! You can't go east and west at the same time! If you keep changing direction, you'll get nowhere, which, sadly, is where most of today's believers find themselves. You can't live your life vacillating between lust and God! *“A double minded man is unstable in all his ways.”* It's like trying to get somewhere on a treadmill. You feel tired when done, but are exactly where you started, or worse, lost ground! *“There is a way which SEEMETH right, unto a man, but the end thereof are the ways of Death!”* All disobedience of God's Word is sin; *“WHATSOEVER is NOT of Faith is sin. The wages (earned reward) of sin is Death.”* Death is the absence of life and when you sin, you remove yourself from the protection AND provision of God, who is Life, by which both are obtained! Do you feel weary? Weak? Poor? Jesus told the Laodicean Church, *“I know thy works, that thou art neither cold nor hot: I would thou wert cold or hot. So then because thou art lukewarm (doubleminded), and neither cold nor hot, I will spue (vomit) thee out of My Mouth. Because thou sayest, ‘I am rich, and increased with goods, and have need of nothing;’ and knowest not that thou art wretched, and miserable, and poor, and blind, and naked: I counsel thee to buy of me Gold tried in the fire (faith), that thou mayest be rich; and White Raiment (obedience), that thou mayest be clothed, and that the shame of thy nakedness do not appear; and anoint thine eyes with Eyesalve (God's Word), that thou mayest see.”* What, do you suppose, is the currency used to BUY something from God? Faith is the Gold of Heaven. *“That the trial of your faith, being much more precious than of gold that perisheth, though it be tried with fire, might be found unto praise and honour and glory at the appearing of Jesus Christ: Whom having not seen, ye love; in whom, though now ye see Him not, yet believing, ye rejoice with Joy unspeakable and full of Glory.”* How do we get faith and from where? *“For by Grace are ye saved through faith; and that not of yourselves: it is the gift of God: Faith cometh by hearing...the Word of God.”* To HAVE God's Word you must STUDY God's Word AND obey it! If you do not obey it, you have not heard it! Many times we miss HEARING something, because we were HEARING something else. Is your focus on God and His Word or on self and its desires? *“No man can serve two masters! Man shall live by every Word that proceedeth out of the Mouth of God.”*

You cannot please God AND mammon,  
So you must choose, Hell or Heaven,  
Sin will pay eternal Death,  
Or you can live by God's own Breath! ~CGP

We are faced with choices every moment of each day, and having God's Word, the Sword of the Spirit, firmly in grasp, and the *“Shield of Faith”* before us, we can *“quench all the fiery darts of the wicked! The entrance of Thy Words giveth Light. In ALL thy ways (choices) acknowledge [God] and He shall direct thy paths.”* You may very well live this life without God, but you will NEVER obtain Eternal Life without Him! Joshua stood firm in the face of opposition:

*“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