

"For I am in a strait betwixt two, having a desire to depart, and to be with Christ; which is far better." Philippians 1:23 KJV

Until we die, life is a never-ending series of choices which, once made, can seldom be undone! Man's propensity for error is glaringly apparent; from pencil erasers to delete buttons on computers. History is replete with men's failures! Successes are lauded, while failures are seldom acknowledged by the "spin doctors," who through lies and suggestions paint failure as success; portraying evil as good and good as evil or psychotic. *"Woe unto them that are mighty to drink wine, and men of strength to mingle strong drink: Which justify the wicked for reward, and take away the righteousness of the righteous from him! Woe unto them that call evil good, and good evil; that put darkness for light, and light for darkness; that put bitter for sweet, and sweet for bitter! Therefore is the anger of the LORD kindled."* What Hollywood movie ever represented God's Word correctly? I'm sure many would immediately mention "The Passion of Christ" by Mel Gibson. I refused to watch it, because if you truly know Christ and have been tutored by the Holy Spirit at all, you knew at its inception it had to fall short simply by virtue of the fact that sinful man can never ever even begin to quantify the Blood Covenant of God and His execution of it! Isn't partial Truth a lie? At best, film is nothing more than an "*idol made with hands;*" an image graven with reflected light. To think men could adequately portray or illustrate the infinite suffering of the Lamb of God is an arrogant affront to Eternity's Sovereign! *"No man hath seen God at any time. 'My thoughts are not your thoughts, neither are your ways my ways,' saith the LORD. 'For as the heavens are higher than the earth, so are my ways higher than your ways, and my thoughts than your thoughts.' Thou shalt not make unto thee any GRAVEN IMAGE, OR ANY LIKENESS OF ANY THING!"* This Commandment applies to any image created by man's imagination! How can the finite represent the infinite? It's like trying to portray the universe with a picture! Man is faced with the choices at every turn and can't know the lie without the Truth. Unbelievers invariably choose "*that which seemeth right*" or what pleases them in spite of proclaimed Truth, because they know it not! *"How long halt ye between two opinions? If the LORD be God, follow Him!"* Like Lot's wife who turned to look back at Sodom, many will find their hearts turned to stone on Judgment Day! Do you find yourself "*in a straight betwixt two?*" Or, do you just find yourself always looking back at Sodom?

Do not hesitate the Truth to choose,
Or you will find your life you lose,
On Judgment Day the door is closed,
There'll be no plea as you supposed! ~CGP

Jesus said, "*I am the way, the truth, and the life.*" Do you KNOW Jesus or just know about Him? If you just pretend to know Him? On Judgment Day you'll hear, "*Depart from me, I never knew you!*" because it's not that you know God, but does He know you? Believers who live like the world to please their flesh have abdicated the path of God's provision, His commandments, and walking in "*the broad...way that leadeth to destruction! Every man's work shall be made [known]: For the Day shall declare it, because it shall be revealed by fire; for our God is a consuming fire!*" What choices will you make today and why? How many bad choices from your past are devouring your present? Freedom from failure is only found in Christ, the Truth!

"And ye shall know the Truth, and the Truth shall MAKE you free. If the Son therefore (God's Word made flesh, the Truth) shall MAKE you free, ye shall be free indeed." John 8:32, 36 KJV

