

## **Forward: 'A message from the author'**

Professing Christianity today has been taken captive by the spirit of error. We desperately need a Clarian voice in this age to remind us of the Simplicity that is in Christ! The Message of the Cross has lost all its Power to Save men from the corrupting influence of sin. In its place is a different Gospel that negates real Repentance and Faith proven by deeds and replaces it with a repeat after me formula that spells disaster to millions of souls worldwide!

The religious System is ensnared in an endless debate over the fundamentals of faith and Salvation while the people perish in their sins. No matter which form of theology they choose to follow it leads them down the same path of error they desire to avoid. Therefore the entire Church System is under Strong Delusion and destined for destruction, but remains fully confident they are hearing the truth from their Pastors.

Does any hope remain for the church before the Lord returns? Yes, but only by a radical departure from this System of fallacy. The Ax must be laid to the root of the problem and begin with a repentance on the scale of Nineveh. From the top down everyone must face the cold hard fact that they have been duped by Reformed theology to believe a lie. As the Lord directed 'Remember from where you have fallen, repent and do your first works!' Your lampstand is gone, your churches are apostate and the people wallow in their sins without fear of Judgment. Awake to Truth, Dig, Search Diligently and Obey God! The Message you are hearing from the pulpits is from the mouth of the Dragon.

I am not a Prophet nor do I claim to be one. I am merely His Servant who has sought to Serve Him in my life time by honoring the truth. What I have discovered however by returning to the basics of early Christianity is that the Gospel of our day has been horribly corrupted into a 'Saved in your sins' message guaranteed to destroy your soul. It may be cloaked in many great swelling words of emptiness and the promise of liberty in Christ, but it remains the most deadly lie ever disseminated on mankind. Will you escape this fatal snare? It's my hope and earnest prayer that this work will be used by the Spirit of Truth to unravel the deceptions and bring many souls to a true Salvation in Christ.

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# Escaping the Snare

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*(Present Day Professing Christianity has been taken Captive by the spirit of error!)*

Professing Christians have been sold a bill of goods by their local Churches. The Pastors and leaders that you trust to bring you the Truth about God and Salvation are under a Strong Delusion of error dating back centuries in time and now deeply rooted in the Minds of almost everyone who professes to be a Christian.

I realize that this is a difficult concept for most people to accept but may I remind you that the Way to Life is Narrow and FEW there be that will find it! (Matt7:14) However no one can force you to proceed into this thorough examination of the main-stream errors that have overtaken the Pulpits. Nor can we convince anyone that what they believe is entirely based on fallacy unless they are freely willing to investigate these things and make a diligent effort to PROVE once and for all that their Doctrines are inline with the Teachings of Christ.

In the balance is one's Eternal Soul and the Souls of those dearest to you who also profess to follow Christ and are assured of heaven when you die. It requires Good Ground for a planted Seed to grow. Otherwise all life is choked out and produces nothing but weeds and briars. The Seed (being the Word of God, Luke8:11-15) has been Sown among thorns in the Present day Churches. Hearts unprepared to receive it, have joyfully heard the Message but the Seed has not taken Root in a loving Obedient faith. Therefore the increase has been choked out by the distractions of the world and the deceitfulness of sin.

The Reason behind this dilemma is the premise we wish to address. Which is in a nut shell: the Message you are hearing in the Churches is False, and the hearts of the people are not honest before God. (Matt15:8-9) If you refuse to admit this simple truth there is really no sense going on in the study. Only an Honest heart willing to Yield to the Word of God has any possibility of entering the Narrow Gate to Life. (Lk13:24)

*'These people draw near to Me with their mouth, And honor Me with their lips, But their heart is far from Me. And in vain they worship Me, Teaching as doctrines the commandments of men. Matt15:8-9*

What are 'The Doctrines of Men'? They are layers of error on top of more error interwoven with bits and pieces of Truth, designed to create duplicity of counter productive opinions that promote never ending debates. Consequently the people withdraw themselves from the squabbling and rest in a rudimentary form of Faith that comforts them in their 'sins' while their hearts wax colder and harder against the Truths of God.

*'Hearing you will hear and shall not understand, And seeing you will see and not perceive; For the hearts of this people have grown dull. Their ears are hard of hearing, And their eyes they have closed, Lest they should see with their eyes and hear with their ears, Lest they should understand with their hearts **and turn**, So that I should heal them. Matt13:14-15*

This is the reason people can Read the Bible and find Passages that defend their Doctrines and then argue until they are blue in the face with anyone who opposes the main-stream message. The Bible Declares that Truth (the things of God) are 'Spiritually' Discerned. (1Cor2:14) The Natural (or Carnal) Mind Cannot receive the things of the Spirit because they are foolishness to him. In our Mortal form we face an intense Spiritual Battle. The Prince of this World (Eph6:12) holds sway (powerful influence!) over the Minds of men. (1John5:19) To escape his snare you Must LOVE the Truth and NEVER Suppress it. If you exchange the Truth of God for a lie (even a small lie) you will be given over to Strong Delusion and believe the Lies! Your Profession of Christianity will be nothing more than an IMAGE or FORM of Christ that complies with the false notions you believe in. (2Thess2:10-12, Rom1:25-26, Rev13:11-14)

### **Mixing Truth with Error.**

With the exception of the so-called 'Christian' Cults and the Evangelical fringe groups, the Main-Stream Churches in the world today base their Doctrinal creeds on the Bible. For the sake of our discussion we will follow the Premise that the existing Bible (KJV) consisting of the 66 Book cannon as our authority for sighting God's Truth and the final authority on Earth to disseminate the teachings of Christ. It has endured the test of time and the tampering of men and remained principally in tact as an 'inspired' text that can lead man into True Spiritual enlightenment and a final Complete Salvation in Christ.

*For the message of the cross is foolishness to those who are perishing, but to us who are being saved it is the power of God. 1Cor1:18*

*Because the foolishness of God is wiser than men, and the weakness of God is stronger than men. 1Cor1:25*

If your understanding of these things is based merely on the Wisdom of man you will fail in any attempt to find the Truth of God. You cannot put HIM in an intellectual box subject to your knowledge of science and philosophy. He has revealed His Truth to simple ordinary people; Fisherman, laborers, stewards, never the high and mighty of this world. Only those who would receive Him humbly and follow Him in loving obedience to His teaching. Pride is the first deadly sin. (Prov6:16) God resists the Proud but gives Grace to the humble! (James4:6, Prov3:34)

*But God has chosen the foolish things of the world to put to shame the wise, and God has chosen the weak things of the world to put to shame the things which are mighty; and the*

*base things of the world and the things which are despised God has chosen, and the things which are not, to bring to nothing the things that are, 1Cor1:27-28*

Calling yourself a 'Sinner Saved by Grace' is NOT humility! Sin Does NOT humble you it Hardens your heart! (Heb12:15) True humility is to Forsake your sins, Get CLEAR of your wrong doings and Seek God's Mercy! (Isa55:7, 2Cor7:10-11) But you have been told by your Pastors that if you could Stop Sinning you wouldn't need Christ and you could Save yourself. Consequently you have fallen prey to Satan's most sinister form of deception on earth that essentially Preaches the Gospel of Christ in REVERSE! You get 'Saved' in your sins with the Promise that God will Clean you up Later. The Deadly error is that the Cleaning NEVER seems to happen! You remain in your sins because you were Born a Sinner.

As Christ has said, you gather in worship, draw near with your mouth, but your heart is FAR removed from the Truth. But because you are hearing the Word (in a shrouded context) it provides you with a sense of confidence that you're on the right track. You have a 'form' of godliness (or a fashion of Christianity, 2Tim3:5) but no Real Power to Crucify the flesh with its passions and desires. (Gal5:24) Therefore you serve God 'in the flesh' trying to reform the 'old man' (rather than crucify him in repentance) by adhering to the 'Christian' fellowship. Thus you have mixed Truth with Error (a little leaven leavens the whole lump! 1Cor5:6) and fallen into the age old trap that you can 'Sin and Not Die'. (Gen3:4)

As a result you continually search the Scriptures from a wrong perspective and never actually coming to a knowledge of the Truth---that you MUST Depart from all iniquity. (you cannot sin and not suffer the consequences) You are taught in your Churches that 'Christians' remain the Chief of Sinners and Romans Wretch until they die. Further it has been instilled into your Mind that any mention of doing the Right thing and living apart from sin is Prideful and therefore robbing God of His Glory for Providing you a Savior for your sins. This creates a vicious circle of illogic that is nearly impossible to breach. The Whole of your Christian profession is based on the fallacy that you're a 'sinner saved by Grace and anything beyond believing in Jesus surpasses the 'not of works' Message you were supposedly saved under.

Inside the Church System they are NOT following the Teachings of Christ. Although they believe wholeheartedly that the Pastors are truly of God, but a few simple observations will reveal the truth. The Common Message Preached unanimously by the Professing Christian organizations worldwide is FAR REMOVED from the Simple and Clear truths of Scripture. Search the Bibles and see if anyone can find Christ teaching any of the following:

The Sinners Prayer, Repeat after me Salvation  
The Romans Road to Salvation  
Grace as Un-Merited Favor

I'm not Perfect, Just forgiven  
Eternal Security or once saved always saved (OSAS)

Yet EACH of these tenets is held in high esteem in the Churches. In fact they consist of the fundamental Salvation Message used to bring 'souls' supposedly into the Kingdom. Ask anyone 'saved' inside the System how they came to know Jesus. They will reply in the following manner:

They have Received Jesus and Trust in Him for their eternal well being. But WHERE did Jesus say 'Trust' in Me and you will be eternally secure?

With Crystal Clear Clarity the Message of Christ rings out:

*Dig Deep-Strive-Hold Fast-Keep My Commands-Endure-Deny yourself-Take up your Cross  
You will be hated-despised by the World! Watch-Keep your lamps burning-be found Doing!*

The Contrast is glaring: In the Church its Comfort and amusement. Worldly entertainments abound. The Message is designed to promote contentment and keep the peace. Love means we are all one big happy family under God believing in Jesus. The Example of Christ is nothing more than His fulfillment of your Obedience. He is the theology of SUBSTITUTION.

This is the reason you can read the Gospel and NEVER see the necessity to Obey it.....because you 'Just Believe'. Your Gospel is John3:16, Eph2:8-9, Jesus Died for your sins. God Punished Him instead of you. He took your place on the Cross. His Provision is your Salvation. It's the Perfect setup. You're exempt from any personal responsibility to Crucify the flesh with its passions and desires. (Gal5:24) And all the Directives of Christ are Re-defined to fit into your favored theology. You're the 'thief on the Cross' counting on that final reprieve of Grace.

Without exception the Church System has adopted what is called: Reformed Theology. Which dates back into ancient Rome when many of the Popular Pagan Doctrines began to be blended into Christian teaching. Systematic theology (as it is called today) was codified several hundred years ago during the Protestant Reformation. (1500-1800) Presently this version of theology is instilled into the Minds of our modern so-called Bible Scholars and thereby disseminated to the masses through lecture, Preaching and reams of written material. Although slight variations in application do exist between Churches, this Model is Universal to the professing Church world.

The Fundamental Error of this teaching that necessitates all further errors is the fallacy that Man is Born a sinner. This essentially removes his Ability to respond to God from his own free will unless God somehow first choose him. There are various understandings of this notion, but they all conclude that man has suffered some sort of inbred malady inherited by birth.

Here's a Summary of the various forms of depravity:

Some will say man is born a sinner, but also has free will to choose. Others claim that he is totally depraved without any natural ability to turn to God Still more claim that the Sin & Guilt is imputed from Adam and that all sinned in Adam.

**Bottom line:** They all agree you are Born DEAD in your sins and inbred with a corrupted Nature.

Here the Stage is set for the run down of present day Systematic Theology and the reason behind why everyone in the Church believes in the false Gospel and the fallacies of: *Substitution, Moral Transfer, Imputed Righteousness, sin forgiven in advance and in most places eternal security.(OSAS)* Consequently the common profession of

### **Christianity is based on these main-stream fallacies:**

You are Born a Sinner and have limited free will or None at all (Rom5:12)  
You are Saved in your Sins and Remain a sinner saved by Grace (Eph2:8-9)  
As a Christian you are the Chief of Sinners and Romans Wretch 1Tim1:15,Rom7:24-25)  
If you claim to be without sin you lie and the truth is not in you (1John1:8)  
Your heart remains Desperately Wicked (Jer17:9-10)  
Jesus Obeyed in your place. (no scripture sited)

Most people in the System assume these things are taught in the Bible, but can't really prove any of them by quoting Scripture. Others can argue from a more Biblical position but their own lack of logical understanding betrays them. The real danger is with the Preachers who expound the tenets of these false doctrines and persuade the people they are true. It adds immense credibility to the Reformed theories and provides plenty of controversy to the arguments.

Consequently the Programmed response to any Salvation question is based on the erroneous belief that man is born a sinner and God must somehow off-set his inbred Nature so he can turn and Trust in Christ. Here are the Common replies given almost unanimously by the Church:

Question: "Does a Person have to Stop sinning to Receive Jesus?"

Answer: "If he could stop sinning he wouldn't need Christ."

Question: "Can a Person Stop sinning before he receives Jesus?"

Answer: "If he could stop sinning he could Save himself!"

This appears to be the central issue among those who profess Christianity: Does Man possess the ability to Stop Sinning of his own free will, turn and Seek God's Mercy. Under the influence of Reformed theology giving man this ability is robbing God of

His Sovereign Power and placing the Glory of Salvation on man instead of Christ. However in the Bible turning from sin in this manner is assumed because all the Prophets, Apostles and Christ Himself directed man to STOP Sinning and Obey God.

The Churches say no one can never Stop sinning and anyone who says otherwise is a liar. But this is OPPOSITE of what the actually Bible Proclaims:

“Go and Sin no more!” John5:14, 8:11

“Depart from Iniquity!” 2Tim2:19, Matt7:21-23

“Awake to Righteousness and Sin not!” 1Cor15:34

“Let the Wicked forsake his ways!” Isa55:7

“Wash yourself, make yourself Clean. Put away the evil of your doings. Cease to do evil, Learn to do well!” Isa1:16

“Turn from your evil ways, amend the evil of your doings.” Jer26:3, 13

*(Please take the time to read these passages in their context & compare them with what your churches are teaching concerning these things)*

It is more than obvious to anyone with a reasonable mind that something is seriously wrong with the basic Salvation Message Presented today in the Churches. Morally and ethically our Society is in shambles. Christianity claims to be the One Religion on earth that has exclusive access to God and can offer Mankind eternal Redemption. Yet it appears that the best Salvation has to offer is Trusting in a Provision Christ made on the Cross while you remain addicted to your base desires in hopes that God will someday Clean you up.

You Remain a ‘Sinner Saved by Grace; Still Desperately Wicked and Wretched within. Your Pastors have taught you to defend this miserable state by convincing you that the Bible supports such a notion, which provides your flesh with the Perfect excuse to continue in sin. When confronted by any challenge of your abominable behavior you automatically escape to any number of your favorite Bible Passages---- Programmed into your Brain to Defend sin!

“Paul was the Present tense Chief of Sinners as a Christian!” 1Tim1:15

“My Dual Nature, where sin dwells within, causes me to sin!” Rom7:14-24

“The heart is desperately wicked, who can know it!” Jer17:9

“If I say I have no sin I lie and the truth is not in me!” 1John1:8

*“No one is Perfect, but God.” Mark10:18. “All our works are as filthy rags” Isa 64-6. This is where the Strong Delusion has set into the Minds of Professing Christians. FEW will even consider these things and fewer still will honestly and closely examine them in light of Christ’s own teaching. Because they operate ‘in the flesh’ (believing that to be normal) human Pride is their downfall. Like the Pharisees’ they hear the Words of Christ but dispute Him at every turn.*

*You search the Scriptures, for in them you think you have eternal life; and these are they which testify of Me. But you are not willing to come to Me that you may have life. John5:39-40*

The Truth stands firm but the Church continues to teach people to disobey the VERY Words of Christ, because they clash with their precious Doctrines. But Most people THINK they have actually 'Come' to Jesus and have the Light of Truth shining in their Souls. YET NONE of them has Departed from their iniquity! (*The Solid foundation of God stands, having this Seal; The Lord knows those who are His and Let everyone who names the name of Christ DEPART from iniquity*) (Mal3:18)

Instead these people are 'WORKERS' of iniquity, (Matt7:21-23) These false converts overrunning the Churches cannot discern between good and evil. They have mixed darkness with light and truth with error; BELIEVING they are Full of Light!

### **Christ speaks of this contrast in Clear concise Words:**

*"The lamp of the body is the eye. If therefore your eye is good, your whole body will be full of light. But if your eye is bad, your whole body will be full of darkness. If therefore the light that is in you is darkness, how great is that darkness!" Matt6:22-23*

Therefore HOW can you be 'Saved' and have a 'Bad Eye'? Either your Eye is Good and body FULL of Light or Bad and FULL of Darkness. There is no in-between here. You Can't Serve two Masters or be Double-Minded and be a Real Christian. (follower of Christ) (Matt6:24, James1:8) In spite of what Church Doctrines that say you can! It's easy to see why Professing Christianity in the Churches today is in such a compromised state with the world. They function within a Dual Nature Concept that assumes their sin is inbred into their flesh at birth and is like a malady that cannot be eradicated (expelled) except by death.

The Great difficulty with this approach is its opposition to Scripture. You must deny a great deal of Truth to embrace this pattern of teaching. Consequently most professing Christians remain in a Biblical illiterate state and rely mostly on what their Pastors and favorite teachers tell them is true. What is disseminated (taught) to them is Substitution theology that provides the perfect excuse to claim that Jesus Obeyed in their place. Within His Provision God's Wrath is Satisfied, Past-Present and Future Sins are wiped out and the Magic Transfer is initiated in Justification. They may not fully understand the impact of this Doctrine but they certainly grasp the intent. (which is the age old lie that you can 'Sin and Not Die', Gen3:4)

Therefore the explanation to all the Bible's Commands is that Christ Perfectly Obeyed in their place and the reason it is not necessary for them to obey is that man has fallen so far short of God's Perfection that He had to Provide a PERFECT Man who would fulfill all Righteousness and the Law as a Substitute for man's inability to do so. Consequently when Jesus told the Disciples that if you 'Love Me you will



*KEEP My Commands'* (Jh14:15) He really meant that He would Keep the Commandments in their place!

It sounds foolish, but there is really no other explanation. According to their Doctrine Christ came to Serve us, not for us to Serve Him. When He told the People to Obey and love God and love their neighbor as themselves He was actually showing them how impossible doing such a thing was for men, but that He would do it in their place. That's what they Believe in the Churches. After you remove all the Great Swelling words of emptiness coming from the Pulpits and strip away the fluff this is the resounding Message coming out of the Churches.

### **The Demise of Repentance:**

*And that repentance and remission of sins should be preached in His name to all nations, beginning at Jerusalem. Luke24:47*

*Therefore bear fruits worthy of repentance, Luke3:8*

*I preached that they should repent and turn to God and demonstrate their repentance by their deeds. Acts26:18-20*

In Most so-called Christian circles today Repentance has been entirely eliminated. Some will even say that Repentance is NEVER a mandate (mandatory) for Salvation. Where the term is still used within the Church System it can mean various things. Such as:

- A Change of Mind about sin
- A Willingness to turn from sin
- A Second thought
- Confession (admitting) that you are a sinner

It NEVER means Stopping the Sin. The ONLY Possibility of stopping any sin is AFTER the person is Saved and filled with the Holy Spirit. Therefore Repentance (if any at all) must occur subsequent to Salvation. This is why everyone is told that God will clean them up later. Whatever addiction you come into the Kingdom still in bondage to, there's a focus or support group available to help you cope with the problem. NO ONE is ever told that the un-righteous will not inherit the Kingdom or that sinning willfully against the Truth sears your conscience against any conviction of wrong doing and disqualifies you from the Kingdom.

*Do you not know that the unrighteous will not inherit the kingdom of God? Do not be deceived. Neither fornicators, nor idolaters, nor adulterers, nor homosexuals, nor sodomites, nor thieves, nor covetous, nor drunkards, nor revilers, nor extortioners will inherit the kingdom of God. 1Cor6:9-10*

*For this you know, that no fornicator, unclean person, nor covetous man, who is an idolater, has any inheritance in the kingdom of Christ and God. Let no one deceive you with empty words, for because of these things the wrath of God comes upon the sons of disobedience. Therefore do not be partakers with them. Eph5:5-7*

No shades of gray here! In the Bible it's Black or White, Good or Evil, the Holy or the profane! You are either Doing what is Right by Faith Working by Love, (Gal5:6) or a Worker of Iniquity destined for Judgment. (Matt7:21-23) That is why all Known Sins of the flesh must cease in the Process of Repentance.

### **The Deeds of Repentance:**

*For godly sorrow produces repentance leading to salvation, not to be regretted; but the sorrow of the world produces death. For observe this very thing, that you sorrowed in a godly manner: What diligence it produced in you, what clearing of yourselves, what indignation, what fear, what vehement desire, what zeal, what vindication! In all things you proved yourselves to be clear(PURE) in this matter. 2Cor7:10-11*

First and foremost: Repentance comes **BEFORE** Remission (forgiveness) according to the Scriptures.

You DO NOT Repent AFTER you supposedly get Saved! Godly Sorrow Produces the Repentance LEADING to Salvation. It's a Process in which the known sins of the flesh STOP. Debating a time frame is not relevant. It could happen instantaneously or over a protracted period. But it MUST happen BEFORE the Holy Spirit can indwell so that the Vessel is Clean and Clear of guile.

Here is a brilliant description of Early Repentance Preached by the Saints:

*This is the "purging of men's minds, that whatever defilement habitual error had imparted, whatever contamination in the heart of man ignorance had engendered, that repentance should sweep and scrape away, and cast out of doors, and thus prepare the home of the heart, by making it clean, for the Holy Spirit, who was about to indwell, that He might with pleasure introduce Himself there-into" – A.D. 160*

In the Minds of the early Saints they understood Repentance to mean a cessation (stopping) of sin. They did not contend that God had to initiate His Gracious influence to off-set Man's inability to repent or that He Granted some Repentance and not others.

They understood that God is Not willing any should Perish, but all come to Repentance (2Pet3:9) They knew that if Christ was lifted up that He would Draw ALL men to Himself and that the Holy Spirit was continually convicting the World of Sin, Righteousness and Judgment. (Jh12:32, 16:8-10) To them God was NOT a respecter of Persons nor did He show favoritism to any man, but He had appointed

a Day in which He would Judge the World in Righteousness, so He commanded all men everywhere to REPENT! (Rom2:11, Col3:25, Acts17:30,31)

Therefore the Stage is Set. God is Doing His part and calling Man to do his. (2Cor6:1) It is called 'Synergy' Defined as: two or more things functioning together to produce a result not independently obtainable. Such is the nature of real Repentance. Unless man does his part Salvation can not take place.

*We then, as workers together with Him also plead with you not to receive the grace of God in vain. 2Cor6:1*

The professing Church has everything in REVERSE. Sin is Remitted and then you Repent. But the Deeds of Repentance never take place. No one in the System understands them! In the Scripture it is Very Clear what a Real Repentance will Produce. (2Cor7:10-11)

Diligence to do the Right thing  
Clearing of Wrong Doing  
Indignation and Fear  
Vehement Desire Change with Great Zeal  
Vindication (Revenge)  
And Purity of Heart

This is why it is Declared throughout the Scriptures that the heart is Purified by Faith.

*So God, who knows the heart, acknowledged them by giving them the Holy Spirit, just as He did to us, and made no distinction between us and them, purifying their hearts by faith. Acts15:8-9*

*Since you have purified your souls in obeying the truth through the Spirit in sincere love of the brethren, love one another fervently with a pure heart, 1Pet1:22*

The Result of Genuine Repentance is PURITY of heart. That could not possibly happen if a person remains inbred with sin or continues sinning after Repentance. If the flesh is not crucified in repentance the sin will never stop. That's the essence of a real repentance. The Old Man is put to death in the Baptism of Repentance. (Rom6:4-6) And the Blood of Christ keeps him clean IF he continues to Walk in the Light. (1John1:7)

*Most assuredly, I say to you, unless a grain of wheat falls into the ground and dies, it remains alone; but if it dies, it produces much grain. John12:24*

In the Flesh it's impossible to Please God, (Rom8:7-8) You Cannot Walk in the flesh and the Spirit at the same time and inherit the Kingdom. Your Preachers will insist that you can, but the matter is settled by the authority of Scripture. Twist it if you will but Heaven is a pipe dream to those walking in and serving the desires of the flesh.

Under Reformed Substitution theology Romans Chapter Six is 'Positional' (meaning God Declares the person righteous in Christ at Justification although in reality they remain unrighteous.) This is called: 'Imputed Righteousness' Meaning God transfers the righteousness of Christ to you by faith at Justification. You are then Declared 'Not Guilty' because God Punished Christ instead of you and now all Past-Present and Future sins are nailed to the Cross and forgiven. You enter into a 'Position' where sin no longer has dominion over you, you're under Grace instead of Law, and Covered from any further condemnation for the old man of sin.

However the Message of the Gospel is Not Substitution, but Ransom from the Corrupting influence of Sin. Jesus came to Destroy the works of the Devil and deliver souls from his dominion.(1Jh3:8) This requires an actual Death and Resurrection. That's why Christ told His Disciples they would INDEED drink His Cup and share in His Baptism of suffering.

*So He said to them, "You will indeed drink My cup, and be baptized with the baptism that I am baptized with; Matt20:23*

The Disciples (and early Christians) Did Not understand this as some kind of 'Provision' done in their stead (place) so they could avoid the more painful Crucifixion of the flesh. Believing in Christ meant Obeying and Following His Example, as He told them over and over again:

*Then He said to them all, "If anyone desires to come after Me, let him deny himself, and take up his cross daily, and follow Me. For whoever desires to save his life will lose it, but whoever loses his life for My sake will save it. Luke9:23-24*

The Deeds of Repentance is how you enter into this relationship with the Lord. It is in that Process of godly sorrow leading to Salvation that Wrong Doing is reconciled, the Desires change and the heart is then made Pure by faith Working by Love. You DO NOT get Saved 'in your sins' nor do you come to God assuming He will Change your desires somewhere down the road. If these things fail to occur in Repentance be assured that they WILL NOT occur afterward.

Rom6:6 Describes this Process: *knowing this, that our old man was crucified with Him, that the body of sin might be done away with, that we should no longer be slaves of sin.*

He who Sins is a SLAVE to Sin! (John8:34) The Truth is sin unto Death or Obedience unto Righteousness. (Rom6:16) It Can't be Both ways! There is a Way of Life and a

Way of Death. The early Christians understood this clearly. If you were still committing the vile sins of the flesh as a professing Christian, you were recognized as a flagrant hypocrite.

But NOT today! In the Churches you come into the Kingdom still fornicating, getting drunk, and committing adultery and all manner of uncleanness, with evil dispositions intact. The Preachers will Promise that its God's job to clean you up, so until then you can try not to sin, but you will inevitably fall into it nonetheless. This is why sin is rampant among professing Christians and hypocrisy abounds. They have turned the Grace of God into a 'license' to sin! (Jude3-4)

NO ONE is Departing from Iniquity. The Light in them is really Darkness and how GREAT is that darkness! They hide behind the false concept that somehow 'sin' is in them according to 1John1:8 and if they say otherwise they fear the Truth is Not in them. Therefore getting Clear of their Wrong Doing is impossible and would be equivalent to 'Saving themselves'.

It's the REVERSE of Scripture, yet they CAN'T See it! They have fallen prey to the smooth words and flattering speech of the golden tongue Preachers who are practiced to deceive, but THINK they have an exclusive understanding of the Truth. They constantly tell you to Believe, Receive and Trust, but the Bible says otherwise:

*Therefore lay aside all filthiness and overflow of wickedness, and receive with meekness (repentance) the implanted word, which is able to save your souls. But be doers of the word, and not hearers only, deceiving yourselves. James1:21-22*

Real Repentance is a Departure from Sin, NOT a 'willingness' to confess and do better next time. Christ Himself likened it to what happened in Nineveh when Jonah warned the people of God's impending Judgment if they failed to change their ways. (Jonah 3:5-10) The King of Nineveh took heed (obeyed) of Jonah's Message and proclaimed throughout the City:

*"Let neither man nor beast, herd nor flock, taste anything; do not let them eat, or drink water. But let man and beast be covered with sackcloth, and cry mightily to God; yes, let every one turn from his evil way(repent) and from the violence that is in his hands. Who can tell if God will turn and relent, and turn away from His fierce anger, so that we may not perish?"*

They Understood Clearly the Nature of Real Repentance before God. STOP Sinning, ASSUME Nothing, and Seek His Mercy! HOW can you get this Wrong? Even the Beasts suffered! You go to a Church where the Pastor says 'Repeat after me' and Salvation is a done deal and you call that Redemption. Jesus said this 'evil generation' would be given a sign....the Sign of Jonah.....(Luke11:29-32, Matt12:38-42) Where the people TURNED(repented) from their wicked ways and were granted a reprieve. (mercy)

*Repent therefore and be converted, that your sins may be blotted out, so that times of refreshing may come from the presence of the Lord, Acts3:19*

The 'Refreshing' mentioned here is the 'Quickening' (or restoration of breath) that takes place AFTER you have Turned from your sins and have Prepared your heart (Prov16:1) for the Reception of the Holy Spirit. (Eph 2:5, Rom8:11) It is really a Simple Process and anyone who has truly experienced a Repentance Proven by Deeds has the Eyes of their understanding Open to Truth in a New and Living way. (Eph1:18, Heb10:19) The Scales have been removed and they no longer see God through their theological lens that limits His Power to Deliver them from the Corruption of Sin. In the Church however there is layer upon layer of deception to overcome BEFORE any of this can be seen with Clarity of Mind.

### **Why you Can't Repent.**

#### **Summary of Reasons:**

- 1) You're Saved already, according to the standard teaching
- 2) Salvation is not of works, therefore deeds are excluded
- 3) All sin is the same and no one is perfect
- 4) God only grants repentance to whom He will
- 5) And Faith alone Saves!

I think we can honestly say that if a person is already Certain they are Saved under the standard teaching, motivating them to Seek further into the Scriptures in a close self-examination is nearly impossible. Strong Delusion comes about when you have exchanged the Truth of God for a lie and have no love of the Truth. Thus Truth to them is what they perceive and is accepted by the collective masses. Since there is much strength in numbers, the snare is securely fastened.

*Examine yourselves as to whether you are in the faith. Test yourselves. Do you not know yourselves, that Jesus Christ is in you? — unless indeed you are disqualified.2Cor13:5*

**Disqualified, castaway, Reprobate!** You may be a phony half baked professing Christian. Take the test: Consider the Words used in this passage (your pastors will never tell you this!) **Examine:** 'To try or test for the purpose of determining quality of something. To test one's faith, virtue and character in face of temptations.'

**Test, Examine or Prove:** 'Test, Prove, Scrutinize, to see if Genuine.'

(Venture to say that MOST in the System Churches would FAIL this test.)

We have shown the necessity of Deeds in faith and repentance. Since we are 'Workers together' with God (2Cor6:1) He expects us to exercise our Free Will ability to 'Meet' Him half way (so to speak) DO our part in the process of Reconciliation. Like Abel, Enoch, Noah, Abraham, Moses and others (Heb11) DILIGENTLY Seek

Him and OBEY His Word. But the Preachers have cast endless dispersions on the Nature of Deeds done in faith since the Reformation. Therefore even the Works of Righteousness (Doing the Right thing! 1John3:7,8) is considered Working for your Salvation. Without exception they quote Eph2:8-9, ignoring the fact that the Apostle was arguing against adherence to the Mosaic Code, NOT advocating a 'Do Nothing' Salvation!

The Boasting spoken of in this passage is of the Keeping of the Jewish law, (Rom2:17, 23) as the Pharisees who contended against Christ Preached the law but did not Keep it themselves. (Rom2:19-24) The LAW OF FAITH (Rom3:27) however was shown as the True Works of Righteousness that establish and uphold the law. (Rom3:31) The Greatest Commandment Jesus Said, on which hangs all the law and prophets: (and is the answer to what must I do to inherit eternal life)

*Jesus said to him, "You shall love the LORD your God with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your mind." This is the first and great commandment. And the second is like it: "You shall love your neighbor as yourself." On these two commandments hang all the Law and the Prophets." Matt22:37-40*

Accordingly faith without works is not faith at all! (James2:21-24) Because faith itself is a WORK. The two are synonymous. One does NOT follow the other, as the Preachers contend. That would make Deeds optional, not dynamically linked to the process of Salvation. This passage should conclude the Faith alone argument once and for all time!

***You see that a person is justified by what he does and not by faith alone. James2:24***

If you merely 'Believe' you possess the faith of devils. (James2:19) Consequently the 'repeat after me' crowd, in the Church System is void of Saving faith and ensnared by the 'not of works' lie. That's why you have to 'Get Saved' first, still in your sins, so the Deeds can be attributed to the Holy Spirit and not you. Otherwise, as we have said before, you could Save yourself and wouldn't need Jesus. That's the customary answer to the sin question.

Another major obstacle to real Repentance in the System is the teaching that all sin is the same, including temptation. Based mainly on James2:10, "*Whoever keeps the whole law yet stumbles in one point is guilty of all.*"

Therefore since no one is Perfect like Christ, nor can they possibly keep the whole law, they are guilty of all by omission. The standard conclusion then is: 'Driving over the speed limit is as much a sin as committing adultery', it's all the same thing to God. So if I get drunk or watch pornography occasionally I am no worse off than I was before, since I'm just a sinner saved by grace.

This is a HUGE Stumbling Block to real Repentance. For someone inside the System to grasp the true Nature of Sin they must reject an enormous amount of false theology that has been pounded into their brains. If someone could Stop their wrong doing in Repentance before they are Saved, it would mean (in their minds) God like Perfection within that person, which is of course impossible. So whether we keep some of the rules and inevitably break others, it's all the same thing in their eyes and anyone who claims real Purity of heart is obviously self righteous.

They argue from a Straw Man premise based on faulty reasoning. But it provides them with the perfect point of origin by which to silence the debate over sinless perfection. The obvious retort is always: 'Do you Sin?' In their minds that ends the discussion. We are forced then to make our assertion from Scripture and show that not all sin is the same.

### **The Greater Sin: John19:11, Mark3:29**

*Jesus answered, "You could have no power at all against Me unless it had been given you from above. Therefore the one who delivered Me to you has the greater sin."*

*But he who blasphemes against the Holy Spirit never has forgiveness, but is subject to eternal condemnation" —*

The degree of sin is always based on knowledge, Luke12:46-48, There is sin and sin unto death, 1John5:14-17. The Greater sins of the flesh that will disqualify you from the Kingdom are clearly shown in 1Cor6:9-10 and Gal5:19-21, As Eternal sin is also spoken of in the Mark Scripture. Certainly Sin is Transgression (1Jh3:4) but to assume that a Person can commit the most vile of sins and remain a child of God because everything they do is a sin, is casting heart Purity to the wind. '*He who sins is of the Devil!*' John proclaims, 1John3:8. '*He who DOES what is Right is Righteous.*' Purity of heart favors Righteousness and that's the disposition of the true child of God. His life Produces a harvest of uprightness. (not sin everyday in thought, word & deed, or the Romans wretch)

Evidence affirms that those who are casting dispersions on Right action as a norm are involved in all manner of wrong doing. They persist that sin (for the believer) is inevitable so we must assume they see the Gospel Message as some kind of Cloak to Cover their constant sinning. Therefore in their minds there is no degree of wrong doing, everyone has fallen short, and only by Grace do they stand.

But where do you draw the line? Are the sins listed in 1Cor6:9-10 & Gal5:19-21 common among true Christians? Is there such a thing as a fornicating Christian? A Christian adulterer, thief, liar, perverted molester or down right vile person? Among the Professing Church this is a resounding YES! Because they all got 'Saved' still doing these things. Only unbelief will exclude you from the Kingdom, all the



Preachers will say. There is NO SIN you must Stop doing to be Saved! That's the foregone conclusion in every facet of the Church world today.

Is it any wonder then why ALL SIN is the Same, And Why even temptation is considered sin? The heart remains vile (or desperately wicked) so every fleeting thought has to be sinful. Since sin is inbred into your flesh at birth every human desire (hunger, thirst, worry, fear, anger) is subject to transgression and although most people in the System still THINK they have free will to choose, they are betrayed by their own theology that teaches their human appetites are sinful.

Thus Real Repentance is impossible because it involves a free will decision to Stop Sinning and Call upon God's Mercy. Since you cannot forsake your 'Nature' (which is inbred with sin) you are forced to merely 'Confess' that you are a sinner and then 'Receive' God's Provision in Christ as your Salvation. It appears as though you have exercised your free will to choose, but in reality you have forfeited choice by failing to Stop the sin to begin with and come to God on His terms instead of your own.

Therefore as you are now 'Supposedly' in Christ (saved) but see yourself as still a wretched sinner there is no distinction between sins because in your Mind God sees all sin as the same thing. Accordingly when you are Tempted with an evil thought, or make a poor decision or a mistake in daily life, it's just as bad as continuing in your Pornography addiction, or occasional drunkenness, fornication or adultery. You're no worse or better than anyone else who professes Jesus so who can Judge you but God, and He has already forgiven all your sins at the Cross.

Escaping this thorny path of deception is easier said than done. You've been painted into a corner so to speak. Chances are you have already silenced your conscience to further conviction and really do believe that you are saved in your sins. The Necessity of turning from your sin is not part of your environment nor is resisting temptations. It's all the same. So when you are tempted and drawn away by your own desires of the flesh, it immediately conceives in your mind gives birth to sin and you 'involuntary' transgress. But the Bible says otherwise:

*Let no one say when he is tempted, "I am tempted by God"; for God cannot be tempted by evil, nor does He Himself tempt anyone. But each one is tempted when he is drawn away by his own desires and enticed. Then, when desire has conceived, it gives birth to sin; and sin, when it is full-grown, brings forth death. Do not be deceived, my beloved brethren.*

*James1:13-16*

The Sin becomes actual Transgression ONLY when the Desire unites with the Will and the decision is made to Sin. So everything is NOT sin! Only when you choose to do wrong and follow through with the act is it charged as sin. That's why sin is Transgression of the law, 1Jh3:4; Because it involves a CHOICE, not a Nature. By choosing to remain Steadfast in faith and making a conscious effort to always DO the Right thing, you are abiding in Mattt5:48, as Perfect in heart toward God. That is

all He expects you to do, to LOVE HIM Supremely (first and foremost) with your entire being and love your neighbor as yourself. (Matt22:37-40, Mark12:30-31)

The Person following in the Foot Steps of Christ (1Pet2:21) will NEVER argue in favor of sinning or assume that wrong doing is the common experience of a Christian. The Pattern of his life will be Righteous behavior that honors God. Grace is NOT his loophole to escape the responsibility of Doing what is Right.

Another major fallacy that stifles real Repentance is the inaccuracy that God 'Grants' Repentance to whom He will. Meaning, that a person cannot Repent unless God first off-sets his innate inability and grants him permission. This is precisely the reason no one can Stop sinning before God Saves them.....*lack of ability*. But a close examination of the Scriptures they use to prove this, 2Tim2:25, Acts11:18, will reveal that by 'Granting' the Privilege of Repentance God is OFFERING Man the opportunity to Repent, NOT off-setting his 'inability' to turn.

The King of Nineveh understood this concept clearly when he said to the people (who had already stopped sinning) 'Who can tell if God will TURN and relent and turn away from His fierce anger so we shall not perish.' (Jonah3:9) Isn't this the EXACT same Message the early Disciples Preached in Acts2:40, a Stern warning that God had appointed a Day on which He would Judge the world in Righteousness and NOW Commands ALL men Everywhere to REPENT! (Acts17:30-31)

Why would God call ALL men to Repentance and then 'Grant' only whom He will and allow the rest to twist in the wind? Since ALL have Free Will and the ability to choose, God sends forth His Messengers to warn them. Their Condemnation is that the Light has come into the world and men loved darkness rather than light, because their deeds are evil. (John3:19) It all has to do with CHOICE, not election or some special gracious influence God has to exert over the will of man.

*And this is the condemnation, that the light has come into the world, and men loved darkness rather than light, because their deeds were evil. For everyone practicing (producing) evil hates the light and does not come to the light, lest his deeds should be exposed. But he who does the truth comes to the light, that his deeds may be clearly seen, that they have been done in God." John3:19-21*

### **Faith is NEVER Alone! (James2:24)**

Passive Trust is NOT Faith that Saves. When you hear the Message of 'Faith alone' in Jesus alone, FLEE for your life! It's one of Satan's greatest lies. Multitudes have been duped by this fallacy and walk around under the impression they are saved. Most of them have done the repeat after me routine and fully believe that Jesus is their Provision. Their faith is based purely on trust and 'not of works' in any way, shape or form. They may have a rudimentary understanding of 'faith without works is dead' (Js2:21-24) But it's fully based on 'Church' activity, NOT the Works of

righteousness. That's why such people as Missionaries and traveling evangelists are so highly esteemed in the System. They have made the ultimate sacrifice for the Gospel in the way of works. So it gives everyone confidence that the church is doing the right thing by helping others.

(Remember: the Most Corrupt Church of all, Rev2:18-24, Thyatira, had the most works, love and service, but their Doctrine was in the Depths of Satan)

**Real Faith is a Work!** It is the WORK of Righteousness from 'Faith to faith' (Rom1:17) The Just man shall live by his faith (obedience). The Law of Faith, Rom3:27, is Obedience to the Truth. 1Pet1:22. Faith is synonymous with obedience. It is NOT Subsequent to it. DEEDS are dynamically linked to Real Faith in the Bible and ALWAYS Prove the reality of Salvation.

Rudimentary faith is said to be 'of devils' (Js2:19) because it is merely an acknowledgment that God exists. Anyone can 'believe' but ONLY those who Obey are in Christ. (Acts5:32, Heb5:9, 1Sam15:22) Real Faith is active and dynamic, yielded to God's truth. The Gospel of sin is abhorrent to the Genuine Saint. He will Contend earnestly against it and Pull Down the Strong holds of lies supporting it. (Jude3-4, 2Cor10:4-5) He will fight the good fight of faith! (2Tim4:7)

Your Preachers say 'Faith Alone' but the Bible says Obey!

*Abraham believed God and it was counted to him as righteous.* (Rom4:3, Gen15:6)

**Abraham:**

Obeded God Heb11:6

Walked in the Steps of faith, Rom4:12

Did the Deeds of Faith, Rom4:13, Jh8:39

And was accounted Righteous by his faith! Rom4:22

This faith is Judged according to its Deeds, Rom2:7-8

Faith Working by Love, Gal5:6, that Purifies the heart of sin, Acts15:9. Through OBEDIENCE to the Truth! 1Pet1:22. This is the Perfection of heart God requires. Faith that will bare witness by accomplishing a task! (Heb11:4) As Able who offered to God a more excellent sacrifice than Cain through which he obtained witness that he was Righteous. (in other words he accomplished a task) This is the Faith that will Diligently Seek Him out! (Heb11:6) Faith that will move with godly fear and be prepared for the Lord. (Heb11:7) Faith that makes a free-will Choice to suffer the afflictions of the people of God rather than enjoy the pleasures of sin for a season. (Heb11:24-25) This was Moses faith! The Wise Virgins also had this faith, Matt25:1-13 As the good and faithful servant who doubled his talents, Matt25:14-30. (the list goes on and on)

There is no such thing as 'faith alone' apart from the Works of Righteousness. The Complacent and Lukewarm WILL NOT enter the Kingdom. In your Churches

professing Christianity is mainly a 'spectator' sport. The Theology of sin has neutralized untold millions! They are passing through this life in a Trance, Blinded by the god of this age; Groping in the darkness of their shame. They Walk as enemies of the Cross serving their belly, setting their minds on earthly things. (Phil3:18-19) The repeat after me crowd is sound asleep totally unaware of their impending doom. We are nothing more to them than nay-Sayers and judgmental hypocrites preaching a legalistic Gospel that disturbs their comfort zones. Those Bold enough in the faith to speak the truth are considered by these pretenders as spiritually puffed up with pride.

The Bible says that true faith is Substance and Evidence, Heb11:1. It is never nebulous or passive.

**Believe is:** 'Pisteuo', Faith is: 'Pistis' Translated as: 'Fully Persuaded, firmly confident, Strong conviction, Steadfast endurance'. It would be an impossibility to have this kind of faith and not be actively obedient to God. The concept of obedience and faith is inner-related in scripture.

Here is a number of Passages where 'Obey' (apeitheo) and Believe are inner changed:

He that believeth on the Son hath everlasting life: and he that *believeth not* (*obey not*) the Son shall not see life; but the wrath of God abideth on him. John3:36

But the Jews which *believed not*, (*Obeyed not*) moved with envy , took unto them certain lewd fellows of the baser sort, and gathered a company , and set all the city on an uproar , and assaulted the house of Jason, and sought to bring them out to the people. Acts17:5

But unto them that are contentious, and do not obey the truth, but obey unrighteousness, indignation and wrath, Rom2:8

But to Israel he saith, All day long I have stretched forth my hands unto a disobedient and gainsaying people. Rom10:21

For as ye in times past have *not believed* (*Not obeyed*) God, yet have now obtained mercy through their unbelief: Rom11:30

And to whom sware he that they should not enter into his rest, but to them that *believed not* (*Obey not*) Heb3:18

By faith the harlot Rahab perished not with them that *believed not*, (*Obeyed not*) when she had received the spies with peace. Heb11:31

Unto you therefore which believe [he is] precious: but unto them which be disobedient, the stone which the builders disallowed , the same is made the head of the corner, 1Pet2:7

Likewise, ye wives, [be] in subjection to your own husbands; that, if any obey not the word, they also may without the word be won by the conversation of the wives; 1Pet3:1

For the time [is come] that judgment must begin at the house of God: and if [it] first [begin] at us, what shall the end [be] of them that obey not the gospel of God? 1Pet4:17

Casts an entirely different light on John3:16 & Eph2:8-9, doesn't it? Your Pastors say 'Trust' but WHERE is that in the Bible? It appears to me that God is charging those who 'Believed not' with Disobedience to His Word. Therefore WITHOUT QUESTION Faith without DEEDS is DEAD!

But what kind of Deeds are we speaking of? Serving activities at the local church; Keeping busy growing the ministry, adding numbers and more wealth? Maybe teaching Sunday school classes, driving the church bus, serving as the youth director, playing the piano....the list goes on. (Often times out of necessity a Church will hire a homosexual to play the piano because they have advanced musical talent) Certainly you can sit under the sin Gospel your entire life tithing your ten percent and serving the needs of the church and be just as lost as the vile sinners out there who haven't done the repeat after me routine. NOT everyone who says Lord, Lord will enter the Kingdom of heaven!

*"Not everyone who says to Me, 'Lord, Lord,' shall enter the kingdom of heaven, but he who does the will of My Father in heaven. Many will say to Me in that day, 'Lord, Lord, have we not prophesied in Your name, cast out demons in Your name, and done many wonders in Your name?' And then I will declare to them, 'I never knew you; depart from Me, ye that work iniquity!'" Matt7:21-23*

### **Workers of Iniquity, 2Tim2:19**

Blessed is he who hears the Word of God and **KEEPS IT!** (Luke11:28) You Must DO something to inherit Eternal life. Your Pastors will not tell you this! They may appear to have your best interest at heart but they are eliminating the most important part of faith. You are GOING to be Judged according to your DEEDS DONE in Faith; on whether or Not you have Departed from Iniquity. (Rom2:7-8, 2Tim2:19)

In the Passage above Jesus did not deny their deeds, but all crumbles on sinking sand because they failed to Depart from their lawless behavior. These are the 'Chief of sinner' Christians, the *Roman's Wretch crowd*. The sin daily in thought, word and deed fellowship! They walk in the flesh and expect to inherit eternal life. The Outcome of their Salvation is based on Substitution and Moral transfer. To them there is no further condemnation for reaping what you sow. They have been taught a LIE and swallowed it down like a fish takes the bait. The Destructive heresies they embrace as truth is the VERY snare that holds them captive. While God Calls but they sleep:

*Who "will render to each one according to his deeds" eternal life to those who by patient continuance in doing good seek for glory, honor, and immortality; but to those who are self-*

*seeking and do not obey the truth, but obey unrighteousness—indignation and wrath,  
Rom2:6-8*

Christ told the people over and over again they had to DO His Word to inherit eternal life. NEVER ONCE did He tell anyone to merely Trust in His Name or in a Provision He intended to make on the Cross. He said, 'TAKE UP YOUR CROSS!' Not trust in it. WHY don't your Pastors warn you that your eternal destiny is based on HOW you Build your house? !!!

*But why do you call Me 'Lord, Lord,' and not do the things which I say? Whoever comes to Me, and hears My sayings and does them, I will show you whom he is like: He is like a man building a house, who dug deep and laid the foundation on the rock. And when the flood arose, the stream beat vehemently against that house, and could not shake it, for it was founded on the rock. But he who heard and did nothing is like a man who built a house on the earth without a foundation, against which the stream beat vehemently; and immediately it fell. And the ruin of that house was great." Lk6:46-49*

Are you so numb to God's Word that you can pass this off without raising an eyebrow? If Christ Himself stood before your congregation on Sunday morning and Repeated these exact same warnings would you still ignore them? Would your Pastor still play the repeat after me routine and tell the people to just trust? Would ANYONE be able to recognize that a Greater than Jonah is among them!!? (Lk11:32) Is the Pretense so prevailing that La La Land has become a reality? You live in a world of make-believe and cannot see that you're churches are wretched, miserable, poor, blind and naked! (Rev3:17)

The Pastors have made you into a 'Worker' of iniquity and you love it! In fact it's the ONE thing in the world that you would fight tooth and nail to keep. Instead of KEEPING His Word, as Christ commanded, you holdfast to a lie and call it Christianity. No wonder the world is disgusted by your profession. You claim to serve a God who permits you to wallow in your iniquity while He condemns the rest of the world for their 'unbelief'.

*Nevertheless the solid foundation of God stands, having this seal: "The Lord knows those who are His," and, "Let everyone who names the name of Christ depart from iniquity." 2Tim2:19*

*He who covers his sins shall not prosper, but whoever confesses and forsakes them (repents) will have mercy. (Prov28:13) ASK YOURSELF.....WHO will have Mercy? (Don't ask your pastors!)*

Those who: Confess and then Forsake their sins. The Sin MUST Stop to obtain the Mercy. The Mercy is not granted until the Sin is forsaken. Departing from Iniquity is conclusive.

**The language matters here:**

'Willing to stop' is Not Stopping!

"Acknowledging your sinful condition' is Not Stopping.

'Confessing & Apologizing' is not stopping

'Changing your mind' is not stopping

'Repeating a prayer' is not stopping

Many Pastors will agree that Repenting is a sincere 'DESIRE' to Stop sinning. BUT does that fall in line with Scripture? 'Let the Wicked forsake his ways!' 'Amend the evil of your doings' 'Go and sin no more!' This is NOT Rocket science. Does God expect you to 'Save yourself'? OF COURSE NOT! But He DOES expect you to STOP Sinning. He Created man, wouldn't it also stand to reason that He also knows what man is capable of Doing? Would He 'really' ask us to do something we couldn't do? (Please read Ezk18)

*So the LORD said to Cain, "Why are you angry? And why has your countenance fallen? If you do well, will you not be accepted? And if you do not do well, sin lies at the door. And its desire is for you, but you should rule over it." Gen4:6-7*

Many in the Church System would say that Cain was 'Not Elect', that he was created as a Vessel of Wrath for destruction. But yet the Lord God TOLD him to DO WELL and he would be accepted! This should serve as a cold slap in the face to ANYONE who THINKS man has no ability to turn from his sins. But they will deny it as they have everything else the Lord has said.

**Biblical incidents where the People TURNED from their sins & sought Mercy:**

The entire city of Nineveh, Jonah3:5-10

The Prodigal Son, Luke15:11-32

Zacchaeus the tax collector, Luke19:1-10

The Corinthians, 2Cor7:10-11

Under the Preaching of the Prophets Many turned from their sin, amended their ways, departed from their iniquity and sought the healing of the Lord. The Greatest Preacher of them all, John the Baptist, came to the religious establishment of Israel laying the Ax to the Root of sin and demanding the people produce deeds worthy of Repentance.

*Therefore bear fruits worthy of repentance, and do not begin to say to yourselves, 'We have Abraham as our father.' Luke3:8*

*But when he saw many of the Pharisees and Sadducees coming to his baptism, he said to them, "Brood of vipers! Who warned you to flee from the wrath to come? Therefore bear fruits worthy of repentance, Matt3:7-8*

Israel was a deeply religious society. They had exclusive access to the oracles, the

covenants, the Holy Law and services of God. Yet MOST of them were in the dark concerning the coming of the Messiah. They had the law, but did not keep it. On the outside they appeared clean but inside they were full of dead men's bones. (Matt23:25-28) They were living a religion of hypocrisy. They needed desperately to Repent. (The Present day Church System is worse off because they are so deceived they see no need to repent!)

History is repeating itself and society remains in the dark. FEW are preaching the Real Message of Repentance and they are absolutely despised by the masses. The Preachers have the Gospel BACKWARD, and tell everyone that if they could Stop sinning they wouldn't need Jesus. Therefore the Message is nullified and brought to nothing. It's a Comfort Gospel aimed at social welfare and upwardly mobile programs that teach the people to cope with their addictions. No one escapes the corrupting influence of sin.

*Therefore we must give the more earnest heed to the things we have heard, lest we drift away. For if the word spoken through angels proved steadfast, and every transgression and disobedience received a just reward, how shall we escape if we neglect so great a salvation...*  
Heb2:1-3

### **Escaping Iniquity!**

The central core of the Gospel Message is to rescue man from the bondage of sin. To Destroy the Works of the Devil! (1John3:8) He was manifest to **TAKE AWAY** our sin! (1John3:5) So HOW do we escape the trap of false teaching in the Churches?

*As His divine power has given to us all things that pertain to life and godliness, through the knowledge of Him who called us by glory and virtue, by which have been given to us exceedingly great and precious promises, that through these you may be partakers of the divine nature, having escaped (past tense) the corruption that is in the world through lust.*  
2Pet1:3-4

You Escape the Lust of the flesh, Eyes and Pride of life (1John2:16) through the exceeding great and precious promises of God! And it all begins with Repentance Proven by DEEDS! That's why the Real Gospel is:

*To open their eyes, in order to turn them from darkness to light, and from the power of Satan to God, that they may receive forgiveness of sins and an inheritance among those who are sanctified by faith (obedience) in Me.' Acts26:18*

The Gospel is NOT a Provision or cloak to cover your sins; it's a means by which you can be brought out of your dark bondage into His marvelous Light, into the Kingdom of His Love!!!

*He has delivered us from the power of darkness and conveyed us into the kingdom of the Son*



of His love, in whom we have redemption through His blood, the forgiveness of sins. Col1:13-14

The Bondage is broken. Those He has delivered have 'escaped indeed' from those who live in error! (2Pet3:18) You Escape the pollutions of the world through the knowledge of the Lord Jesus Christ. It's the False Teachers who Promise you Liberty in your sins.....

*For when they speak great swelling words of emptiness, they allure through the lusts of the flesh, through lewdness, the ones who have actually escaped from those who live in error. While they promise them liberty, they themselves are slaves of corruption; for by whom a person is overcome, by him also he is brought into bondage. 2Pet2:18-19*

How much more Certain could it be? Men who are slaves to their own corruption (admittedly calling themselves the chief of sinners and Romans Wretch!) **PROMISE YOU Liberty** and you buy it like a cheap pair of socks. If this isn't crying: 'Peace, Peace when there is no Peace', I don't know what is. (Jer6:14) They make the heart of the Righteous sad and strengthen the hand of the wicked! Does your Pastor believe a person is 'saved in their sin'? It's easy to find out, ask him whether or not a person coming to Christ has to Stop sinning as the Scriptures says.

*Because with lies you have made the heart of the righteous sad, whom I have not made sad; and you have strengthened the hands of the wicked, so that he does not turn from his wicked way to save his life. Ezk13:22*

The Modern Gospel is a Fraud it turns NO ONE from their sins! Woe to you who follow it.

In the Churches you have been Swindled out of your birthright. You sold it for the pleasures of sin for a season. Esau, Heb12:16-17, (like you: a fornicator and profane person) sought to regain his birthright bitterly with tears, but found no place for repentance. MANY of you intend to repent 'someday' (maybe on your death bed) but you have resisted the Spirit of Conviction too long and so it has been withdrawn. This Warning stands:

*Because I have called and you refused, I have stretched out my hand and no one regarded, Because you disdained all my counsel, And would have none of my rebuke, I also will laugh at your calamity; I will mock when your terror comes, When your terror comes like a storm, And your destruction comes like a whirlwind, When distress and anguish come upon you. Then they will call on me, but I will not answer; They will seek me diligently, but they will not find me. Because they hated knowledge And did not choose the fear of the LORD, They would have none of my counsel And despised my every rebuke. Prov1:24-30*

The Lord knows your heart and your intentions. Brokenness and sincerity He will not despise, but Pride He will bring down to the dust. Presently you THINK Salvation can be had by repeating some words and apologizing to God for your

'sinfulness'. In the end will it be any different? When the Preacher comes into your sick room to offer you the final condolence are you going to make it in just under the wire? The Thief on the cross did, so the Pastor will say. But how much Light have you already rejected? Your heart is as hard as stone toward God. (read the Proverbs passage again and THINK deeply about it!)

How many times has He called and you refused. His hand has been stretched out and you regarded it not. You despised His kindness, goodness and longsuffering, meant to lead you to Repentance! (Rom2:4) You thought the church had His approval and blessing! But He makes the sun rise on the good and the evil and sends rain on the just and unjust. (Matt5:45) This is a Concept of Truth your Pastors NEVER told you!

*Behold, I stand at the door and knock. If anyone hears My voice and opens the door, I will come in to him and dine with him, and he with Me. Rev3:20*

The Present Day Church System is Satan's folly. It's the Woman on the Scarlet Beast! (Rev17:3) There is no part of it worthy of redemption. It CANNOT be reformed or compromised with. You Must Come Out from among them and be Separate, or receive her plagues. (Rev18:4) Although your Pastors have the appearance of lambs they are speaking the language of the Dragon. (Rev13:11) Jesus called the false teachers Ravenous wolves in Sheep's clothing! (Matt7:15) You must come to an understanding that these are the ones teaching Substitution, Moral Transfer, Pre-forgiveness of sins and eternal security. It's NOT the cults or off the wall fringe group charlatans. The real threat is in your midst!

It's the highly respected Doctors and Professors who frame the doctrinal debates in their books, articles and lecture series. They have set the stage for this present day apostasy. The responsibility for the failure of the Gospel Message to turn the tide against iniquity rests directly on them. Our society has degenerated into its corrupted state because they have betrayed the very foundations of Christ original Message to Mankind.

Today the Strongholds, 2Cor10:4-5, are in the Churches! The vain imaginations of men have replaced the Doctrine which is according to godliness. (1Tim6:3) It's a SYSTEM of Lies. (error on top of more error) That's why Jesus said you must Count the Cost and be not partakers with them. (Lk14:28) It's the exact OPPOSITE of what's going on in the Churches! It's impossible to be lead by the Spirit of Truth while you sit under the spirit of error. You MUST come out or lose everything in the end. It's deadly poison to remain in the Church System today.

*Blessed are you when men hate you, And when they exclude you, And revile you, and cast out your name as evil, For the Son of Man's sake. Rejoice in that day and leap for joy! For indeed your reward is great in heaven, For in like manner their fathers did to the prophets.*

*But woe to you who are rich, For you have received your consolation. Woe to you who are full, For you shall hunger. Woe to you who laugh now, For you shall mourn and weep. Woe to you when all men speak well of you, For so did their fathers to the false prophets. Luke6:22-26*

It's always the false prophets who have the approval of men. In this world it's a popularity contest and success is measured in prosperity NEVER in Souls coming out of their sins. The followers of Christ were meant to be His Holy Remnant shining as lights in the midst of this crooked and perverse generation; (Phil2:15-16) Blameless and Pure, NOT overflowing with all filthiness of the flesh and calling it Christian. (Perfect Holiness! 2Cor7:1)

He who has ears to hear let him hear what the Spirit is saying! Those of God, will HEAR God:

*"Come out from among them And be separate, says the Lord. Do not touch what is unclean, And I will receive you. I will be a Father to you, And you shall be My sons and daughters, Says the LORD Almighty." 2Cor6:17-18*

### **Unraveling the Doctrinal Myths:**

The main platforms of Present day Reformed Doctrine are the Strongholds blinding the minds of millions inside the System. Each layer is a tangled web of deception with a thousands avenues of explanation to confuse the mind. It's like solving a riddle only to find ten more riddles equally as deceptive underneath. Correcting one error only leads to more uncertainty. Full escape requires that the 'first works' be done. (Rev2:5) Then the Spirit of Truth will be able to teach.

The entire System: Substitution, Moral transfer, Pre-forgiveness of sin, rewards, and eternal security, rests solely on the foundation of Original Sin or as it is modified into a type of 'inability'. Rather than go into an elaborate history of the origins of this doctrine (which we have done elsewhere) I intend to appeal to your sense of logic using the Scripture. Briefly I will say that the concept of inbred sin born into the nature of man came from Pagan roots, centuries before Christ. It was NEVER taught among the Jews, nor did Moses suggest that Man was born defective.

### **The Concept of Nature to the Jewish mind is expressed in the following:**

Yetzer Tov: Which is defined as Moral Conscience

Yetzer Ra: Which is the desires and inclinations

Man is Born (his soul created by God) endowed with Light of Conscience:

*John 1:9 That was the true Light which gives light to every man coming into the world.*

*Exk18:4 "Behold, all souls are Mine; The soul of the father As well as the soul of the son is Mine; The soul who sins shall die.*

The seat of his Will and Ability rest within this conscience and makes him solely responsible for his actions which are answerable to God. That's why God constantly Demands DEEDS proving the existence of Faith and therefore Judges man accordingly. The Scriptures are filled with Commands and admonitions for man to CHOOSE, TURN, AMEND his ways, Sin no more, Depart from Iniquity, Obey, Keep, Strive, Dig Deep, Endure.....and on and on.

NONE of these Commands would be sensible (coming from God) IF Man was incapable in some aspect of his Nature to respond in accord with them. In other words: It would be pointless for God to Demand something of man he was not able to perform!

*Remember Cain: 'Sin lays at the door, its desire is for you, you should RULE over it!' Gen4:6*

The first logical step in understanding the fallacy of Original sin (or inbred nature of sin) so you can escape its grasp, is to realize that you are NOT limited in your ability to Obey the Bible and that it is a matter of your own personal Willingness to do so. *'Be Doers of the Word and not hearers only, Deceiving yourselves!' James1:22.*

BUT HOW can you DO something you are not 'Willing' to do? Worse yet, HOW can you do it if you Believe that God has to MAKE you Willing by some mystical power to change your will? You will be neutralized, waiting for God to do something He has ALREADY told you to Do!

If you think of these fallacies as layer upon layer of deception, as we have presented them, then it's easily to see that the teaching of inbred sin is the Chief Cornerstone holding the entire structure together. You can argue and debate your way through every Doctrine the churches have to offer, but until you recognize this fallacy in its many forms all your efforts will be in vain. THIS is why people are being 'Saved in their sins' and NEVER departing from their iniquity!

The General accepted Statement of human 'Depravity' (or original sin) is codified in the Westminster Confession of faith, article VI: 1646

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Our first parents, being seduced by the subtlety and temptation of Satan, sinned, in eating the forbidden fruit. This their sin, God was pleased, according to his wise and holy counsel, to permit, having purposed to order it to his own glory.

II. By this sin they fell from their original righteousness and communion with God, and so became dead in sin, and wholly defiled in all the parts and faculties of soul and body.

III. They being the root of all mankind, the guilt of this sin was imputed; and the same death in sin, and corrupted nature, conveyed to all their posterity descending from them by ordinary generation.

IV. From this original corruption, whereby we are utterly indisposed, disabled, and made opposite to all good, and wholly inclined to all evil, do proceed all actual transgressions.

V. This corruption of nature, during this life, doth remain in those that are regenerated; and although it be, through Christ, pardoned, and mortified; yet both itself, and all the motions thereof, are truly and properly sin.

VI. Every sin, both original and actual, being a transgression of the righteous law of God, and contrary thereunto, doth, in its own nature, bring guilt upon the sinner, whereby he is bound over to the wrath of God, and curse of the law, and so made subject to death, with all miseries spiritual, temporal, and eternal.

As you can see from the statement above the conclusion is that Man has lost all ability to Obey or respond to God and is in a Total state of depravity (because of Adams 'original' transgression) AND although men can be regenerated and pardoned through Christ this original root of sin remains in him in an 'actual' sense and is 'properly' sin.

A SAD state of affairs if you ask me. BUT the real question is: DOES the Bible teach such things? When it says in Romans 6:6 : *knowing this, that our old man was crucified with Him, that the body of sin might be done away with, that we should no longer be slaves of sin.*

Does that REALLY mean that the sin actually remains, but is mortified by Christ? It goes on to say that *'Sin shall not have Dominion over you'* Rom6:14. Again, does that really mean that although the sin remains in you, you incur no condemnation for continuing in it? Can you see the difficulty with this Doctrine? It Directly Contradicts the Bible! Either sin is Done away with and no longer hold you in its bondage or you remain a Slave to it by continuing to sin.

*Do you not know that to whom you present yourselves slaves to obey, you are that one's slaves whom you obey, whether of sin leading to death, or of obedience leading to righteousness? Rom6:16*

It CAN'T be Both ways. Two opposing ideas cannot both be true. Man is NOT Born a Sinner, nor is he Depraved because of what Adam did in the Garden. However this fallacy has many facets. Not everyone holds entirely to the Westminster Confession of Natural Depravity. But they ALL limit man's ability in some way to stop sinning and turn to God. Here is a summary:

Man is born Dead in his sins, totally depraved, no free will or ability (extreme view)  
Man is born a sinner, but has limited free will and is responsible to God for his sin  
All men have sinned in Adam, inherited his Guilt and have a Corrupted Nature  
Man is not born a sinner nor did he inherit Adam's guilt but is still limited  
The Corruption of Nature has been handed down to man from the Garden

## **God Made Man upright! Ecclesiastes 7:29**

The Psalmist Declared: *"I am fearfully and Wonderfully made!"* (Ps139:14) Marvelous are your Works! He also said that *'Children are a heritage from the Lord'* (Ps127:3) Jesus said: *"let the little Children come to Me and do not forbid them, for of such is the Kingdom of heaven!"* Matt19:14

It certainly doesn't sound like God regards man as a Depraved Sinner born dead in his sins. Since you're a Slave to WHO you Obey, it's your own choice to sell yourself in bondage to sin. Man is born in a Neutral state, with the light of conscience in his soul. Such Passages in the Old Testament Prove this beyond any doubt:

*'Moreover your little ones and your children, who you say will be victims, who today have no knowledge of good and evil, they shall go in there; to them I will give it, and they shall possess it. Deut1:39*

The Scriptures DO NOT teach that Adam's Personal Sin was passed down to his posterity. His lineage described in Gen 5 includes several Righteous people, born AFTER the expulsion from the Garden; All the way to Noah who was found *'Perfect'* in his generation. (Gen6:9) Therefore if Man was cursed with a Depraved Nature HOW do you explain the off-spring of Adam doing the Right thing? The Bible says quite Clearly that the Son shall Not bear the guilt of the Father or the Father the guilt of the Son. (Ezk18:20) The Soul that SINS Shall die!

*The soul who sins shall die. The son shall not bear the guilt of the father, nor the father bear the guilt of the son. The righteousness of the righteous shall be upon himself, and the wickedness of the wicked shall be upon himself. Ezk18:20*

Sin is a Personal Choice, Not a Nature you're born with. All men did not 'Sin in Adam' or inherit his guilt. The main result of Adam's sin is that it brought Physical Death to mankind, because we have lost access to the Tree of Life. (Gen3:22-24) Thus the Scripture declares:

*Therefore, just as through one man sin entered the world, and death through sin, and thus death(physical) spread to all men, because all sinned. Rom5:12*

Through One Man (Adam) Sin entered the world, and Physical Death was the outcome. Nothing in this Passage indicates that Man's Nature was made corrupt or that somehow all mankind is charged with Adam's sin. Because of a corruption of the text in 4<sup>th</sup> Century Rome by Latin translators generations have supposed that Rom5:12 is actually saying that all men have sinned in Adam. Consequently they miraculously find 'support' text elsewhere to prove this fallacy.

### **Supposed Proof Passages for Original Sin teachers:**

*And the LORD smelled a soothing aroma. Then the LORD said in His heart, "I will never again curse the ground for man's sake, although the imagination of man's heart is evil from his youth; nor will I again destroy every living thing as I have done. Gen8:21*

Such Pundits as Paul Washer, R C Sproul, Mark Driscoll, will claim that 'Youth' is the Hebrew word for 'Babe'; Meaning that man is born evil and remains so. However this is where you have to question the sincerity of these men. If you examine the definition of this word in the Lexicon you will quickly find that they are in SERIOUS error.

Youth Clearly means: 'Adolescence' David was a YOUTH when he slew Goliath. (1Sam17:33) Isa54:6 speaks of a 'Youthful' wife. Malachi 2:15 also speaks of the wife of your Youth. The same word is used in many more passages throughout the Old Testament. Are these teachers intentionally miss-leading people into false doctrines that will jeopardize their souls or merely mistaken in their understanding? It's very suspicious indeed!

*And you He made alive, who were dead in trespasses and sins, in which you once walked according to the course of this world, according to the prince of the power of the air, the spirit who now works in the sons of disobedience, among whom also we all once conducted ourselves in the lusts of our flesh, fulfilling the desires of the flesh and of the mind, and were by nature children of wrath, just as the others. Eph2:1-3*

*knowing that you were not redeemed with corruptible things, like silver or gold, from your aimless conduct received by tradition from your fathers, 1Pet1:18*

Again we have a twisted translation problem. The Lexicon will reveal that 'By Nature' means by Long Practiced habit that becomes second nature. Used in a Positive sense in Rom2:14 where the Gentiles 'By Nature' do the things contained in the law. So if Nature itself was corrupt, as the false teachers imply, HOW could the Gentiles do what is Right by it? They would inevitably do what is Wrong, since as the false teachers say their hearts remain 'Desperately Wicked'

The Apostle Peter said that many would twist the Scriptures to their own destruction. (2Pet3:16) Whether they do it intentionally or out of ignorance is really not the issue here. Their purpose appears to be developing a System that supports their notions. Such passages as 1Pet1:18 (to them) can be read: 'Your aimless conduct you inherited from your fathers' When it's **NOT** saying any such thing! Is this the Blindness in Part, spoken of in Rom11:25, or willful contempt?

### **The Desperately wicked Text:**

*"The heart is deceitful above all things, And desperately wicked; Who can know it? I, the LORD, search the heart, I test the mind, Even to give every man according to his ways, According to the fruit of his doings. Jer17:9-10*

Jeremiah is NOT addressing all of mankind in this passage. Only those who have given themselves over to a wicked heart. He is comparing the Righteous with the wicked, not making a blanket statement about the state of mankind's heart. But in the System this passage is quoted continually by so-called converts who have NEVER Repented of their sin and think that it's normal to be vile within.

### **Here's another Passage they love to use:**

*For there is not a just man on earth who does good And does not sin. Ecc7:20*

They will site this passage in support of man's depravity. But yet they will totally ignore verse 29 that goes on to State that God made man upright. Solomon throughout Ecclesiastes, is drawing a Contrast between doing Good or Evil and showing what is Righteous and what is Wicked. READ the entire Chapter! Immediately before verse 20, he is speaking to the Righteous person of godly Wisdom and then shows the opposite of that. This passage cannot be used to prove that all men are born sinners or even that all men sin. Only that there is a vast difference between the righteous and the wicked.

### **The Stronghold of Passages:**

*Behold, I was brought forth in iniquity, And in sin my mother conceived me. Ps51:5*

This is the same man (David) who said that he was fearfully and wonderfully made! (Ps139:14) Would he contradict himself here? David was merely acknowledging his awful transgression. See verse 3-4. He is taking personal responsibility for his sin, NOT passing it off to his Mother. The Psalms are filled with hyperboles and figurative language. Using these passages to support doctrinal fallacies is not wise. A perfect example of this is Ps58:3.....

*The wicked are estranged from the womb; They go astray as soon as they are born, speaking lies.*

Everyone knows that infants cannot speak! Yet they will try and use this passage to prove their fallacy. Again it reveals how far they go in their attempt to twist the Bible.

In the Book of Job they will even attempt to apply the words of mortal men toward their doctrines. In Job 14:1-4 and 15:4,5 Job's so-called friends are waxing philosophical and trying to convince him he has offended God and his judgment is inevitable. They conclude by saying:

*Who can bring a clean thing out of an unclean? No one!*

This is NOT God speaking! Therefore it's not eternal truth. When they say such things as this and the following statement it cannot be in support of any doctrine of original sin.



*What is man, that he could be pure? And he who is born of a woman, that he could be righteous? Job15:14*

Further passages you will often hear in support of the Original Sin Doctrine are Jer13:23 and Prov24:16. They have to prove that men sin all the time and they will go to any length to do so. But the overall theme of Scripture is Righteousness and departing from evil. Passages that speak in such manner are always making a comparison, not promoting sin.

*Can the Ethiopian change his skin or the leopard its spots? Then may you also do good who are accustomed to do evil .Jer 13:23.*

Here Jeremiah is speaking to a wicked and fallen people with strong rebuke. He's NOT making a doctrinal statement about their Nature. The entire Chapter is a call to a full repentance. Just as Prov24:16 is speaking of the wicked who lay in wait to hinder the Righteous. So as the passage says: *For a righteous man may fall seven times And rise again, But the wicked shall fall by calamity.* In other words, the Wicked may cause the righteous to stumble and fall, but he will always rise again, but the Wicked shall fall by their own calamity.

As you can see there is NOT a single passage in the entire Bible that proves man is born a sinner by Nature. Neither does anything indicate that he inherited the guilt of Adam's sin or 'sinned' in Adam. The tone of Scripture strongly supports that man is created with free will and ability. He did not lose any of his faculties because of what Adam did in the Garden. What exactly happened there is clearly explained in Gen 3:14-19, God Pronounced His Curse:

The Beast who deceived Eve shall be most cursed of all beasts  
Enmity between this beast and the woman  
She would have greatly increased pain in childbirth, but desire her husband  
nonetheless  
And a final promise that he will be bruised by the woman's seed

Directed toward Man, God Pronounced:

A curse on the ground, on Nature itself  
Only by the sweat of man's brow shall it produce  
Physical Death, no further access to the tree of life in your mortal form  
Expulsion from the Garden

Nothing God Said is directed toward man's ability or free will. The death of his mortal body is the inevitable outcome of being cut off from the tree of life, nothing more. Romans 5 is NOT teaching some mysterious transfer of Nature. The result of 'one man's sin is physical death. (1Cor15:21-22) NOT a corruption of Nature.

*For since by man came death, by Man also came the resurrection of the dead. For as in Adam all die, even so in Christ all shall be made alive. 1Cor15:21-22*

Would the Apostle contradict himself to the Romans by suggesting that 'all sinned in Adam' ? (as the false teachers claim) ONLY if you speculate that 'within' Adam was every Soul yet to be born on earth! Which is absolutely absurd because the Scriptures reveal that ALL Souls are Created by God and belong to Him. (Ezk18:4, Ps22:9-10)

The many forms of Original Sin teaching is the main reason the System has the Gospel in Reverse. To them: 'You get saved in your sins, then you are able to repent and God will clean you up later'. However within this teaching, as we have pointed out, no one can ever Stop sinning before or after Salvation, because all men are born defective. The Message defeats itself. They want people to be Saved in Christ, but disqualify them from the Kingdom by arguing in favor of sin. (while they claim to be preaching holiness!) It's the greatest Hoax in the history of man!

People THINK they are being justified by a loving God who winks at their sin. They confess and trust and are told that any attempt made on their part to live a Righteous life is works and legalism. Everything the Bible says is explained away in the reformed Doctrines. No one is concerned about the sordid condition of the Churches. So the Cotton Candy Christianity continues.

That is why true biblical repentance is mandatory, either the sin stops, or the heart hardens, they say a Christian will sin, but sin less, the Word says the true convert will sin no more, and walk in purity, sincerity, and love! Only then will the Eyes of their understanding be open and the heart awakened to truth. Then you can dismantle this pyramid of lies and come into the Light.

### **Willingness and Ability in light of Original Sin teaching:**

Man's ability to stop sinning and turn to God is the central issue in every variety of the sin nature teaching. Even those who will agree that man is NOT born a sinner nor did he inherit Adam's guilt, still insist that his ability has been hindered to some degree. Therefore God has to off-set this lack of capacity in some manner and assist him in his effort to repent.

The extreme view of course is that God does it all and man is either elect or reprobate. (a vessel of mercy or of wrath) Consequently God chooses who will be given the Grace of Repentance and whether or not they will persevere in the faith. Man does nothing but Trust that he may be among the elect because he has some innate desire to attend church and learn about God. Any effort he may make to stop sinning and live a holy life is of no consequence toward the outcome of his Salvation. It's all God's selection process and has nothing to do with works.

The more moderate view involves an element of free will, but ONLY after God dispenses His 'Gracious influence' (sometimes called Prevenient grace) to off-set man's inbred lack of ability to respond. Under this system they will claim that man has a choice in the matter and that his election is Conditional according to his response to God's call. So the people are told they have free will, but also that it's God's job to clean them up in an undefined sanctification process without any time frame. This of course makes man responsible to God for his sin, even though he was born in it and has no control over his nature. Because once the 'Prevenient' Grace comes in he has no further excuse not to repent; Even though he can never stop sinning before or after Salvation. (which makes both systems almost identical except for the special Grace)

Where these teachings become extremely deceptive is by mixing the forms of theology together and picking and choosing different parts of each in a combination of error. But it's important to remember that the similarity is with the issue of free will and ability. EVERY System strikes at the heart of man's natural capacity to Obey God and DO what is Right.

First of all if Man is Born a Depraved Sinner he has no free will whatsoever. The Natural depravity negates the existence of free will and ability. It can't be both ways. Even a limited free will is questionable, because if God has to intervene in some manner to initiate the response, then God did it and not man. So man is either Completely Free or completely bound.

The same is true if you say man's Nature has been corrupted in some way by sin entering the world. He is still incapable of exercising his own free will toward any right action because he could never trust his own 'evil' inclinations. Therefore everything he does is considered sin and although he has free will (under this teaching) he can only use it to his own selfish ends until he is totally converted. (or filled with the Holy Spirit) Within this System they will say that man is capable of living for God, but UNWILLING to do so. (because of the effects of sin) So God has to MAKE him willing at conversion and give him the desire to stop sinning.

Translation: Man MUST be Saved in his sin because ONLY at Conversion is there any possibility of stopping his sin. The great deception here is that these teachers can agree that the Sin must stop, which keeps them in line with the Bible, but the actual stopping can only correspond with conversion. Which means the Holy Spirit indwells a vessel NOT YET Scrubbed, Cleaned and Purged of all sin, defilement and guile. That's why the Clearing MUST take place BEFORE the Spirit can be granted!

*But in a great house there are not only vessels of gold and silver, but also of wood and clay, some for honor and some for dishonor. Therefore if anyone cleanses himself from the latter, he will be a vessel for honor, sanctified and useful for the Master, prepared for every good work.*  
2Tim2:20-21

## Mass Confusion!

Many Repentance teachers will place the responsibility for sin directly on man claiming that he is capable of living for God instead of himself, (this is free will) but at the same time he is subject to God's Just punishment for Not doing something he is UNWILLING to do. (Until God makes him willing, at conversion) No wonder sinners are confused! On one hand they are told to Stop Sinning and turn to God, while on the other they are deemed unwilling to do the turning. BUT God makes them willing when He Calls them.....the Preachers will say.

Doesn't God Call ALL Men?? *"And I, if I am lifted up from the earth, will draw all peoples to Myself." John12:32*

The Call or Drawing is a Given in Scripture. Since God is calling all men everywhere to Repentance, (Acts17:30) and NOT Willing any perish, (2Pet3:9) What more is necessary? The Spirit is Convicting the world of sin, righteousness and Judgment, (John16:7-14) BUT no where is it shown that God interferes with man's will or overrules his desires.

He influences man, YES! But he DOES NOT Bend his Will to force the issue.

Again, look at Cain: *'Sin lays at the door, its desire is for you, but YOU Should RULE over it!'*

Was Cain unwilling to rule over his evil desires, or did he make a free will CHOICE to murder his brother? *And why did he murder him? Because his works were evil and his brother's righteous.1Jh3:12*

FULL responsibility rests directly on the DEEDS done, whether for or against the Light of conscience that is in every man born. (John1:9)

If the 'Saved in sin' Preachers are correct, WHY didn't God make Cain willing to do the right thing and avoid the sin of murder? That's exactly what they are telling the sinners that God will do. (Make them willing to yield) But most of them still refuse, why? Two reasons:

The Preachers may say: They are resisting the Holy Spirit by their selfish nature

But I say: "They are WAITING for God to Change their desires so they can repent!"

That's why these so-called Repentance teachers have parted ways with the Bible. Although they will use similar terminology and make constant references to Scripture, their Message leaves sinners in a state of limbo, uncertain that anything real has occurred in their hearts. So the door is wide open for the spirit of error to

introduce even more fallacy to obscure the truth with further explanations as to why the 'conversion' hasn't taken effect.

Man's apparent 'unwillingness' is simply based on his addiction to sin. You are a slave to who you obey....which requires an act of the will involving choice. Man is perfectly capable of choosing between right and wrong while still in his sins. The Prodigal Son wallowing in the Pig Pen decided of his own accord to return to the Father. Zacchaeus decided to restore what he had taken by fraud before Jesus came to his house. (Lk19, 15) The people of Nineveh stopped sinning and cried out to God for mercy before He relented and granted them pardon. (Jonah3:5-10)

In every case the Holy Spirit was present as an influence, (John16:8-9) but man had to make the choice whether to Obey or not to obey. The Spirit is given ONLY to those who Obey Him! (Acts5:32) Obedience is an act of the Will, NOT God imposing His will. That's why the preparation of the heart belongs to man. (Prov16:1)

*May the good LORD provide atonement for everyone who prepares his heart to seek God,  
2Chron30:19*

*The LORD is with you while you are with Him. If you seek Him, He will be found by you; but if you forsake Him, He will forsake you. 2Chron15:2*

This follows the Fallow Ground concept throughout the Bible. Repentance is Breaking up that fallow ground so that the Word can take root and yield results. James speaks of this in his Epistle:

*Therefore lay aside all filthiness and overflow of wickedness, and receive with meekness the implanted word, which is able to save your souls. Js1:21*

Why is this necessary before you can receive the Word to the Saving of the Soul? Because if you fail to become a DOER of the Word it will lead you to self-deception. *But be doers of the word, and not hearers only, deceiving yourselves. Js1:22*

Such is the Condition of the vast majority of false converts in the System today. Instead of receiving the Word on Fallow Ground, they received it among thorns and rocks; Supposing that they have been Saved because they 'Believe'. But the Lord made clear that ONLY the Word Sown into an honest and true heart (ready to receive it!) would it take root and grow.

*Those by the wayside are the ones who hear; then the devil comes and takes away the word out of their hearts, lest they should believe and be saved. But the ones on the rock are those who, when they hear, receive the word with joy; and these have no root, who believe for a while and in time of temptation fall away. Now the ones that fell among thorns are those who, when they have heard, go out and are choked with cares, riches, and pleasures of life, and bring no fruit to maturity. But the ones that fell on the good ground are those who, having*

heard the word with a noble and good heart, keep it and bear fruit with patience. Luke8:12-15

How could anyone who is born with a corrupted nature, lacking will and ability to obey possess a 'Noble and Good heart' ready to Receive the Word? Again, you see the danger of Mixing Truth with Error in the Preaching of Repentance. Until the heart is prepared in a season of godly sorrow for sin and Clearing of Wrong doing, the Word CANNOT take root!

*For thus says the LORD to the men of Judah and Jerusalem, Break up your FALLOW GROUND, and sow not among thorns!. Jer4:3*

*Sow to yourselves in righteousness, reap in mercy; break up your FALLOW GROUND: for it is time to seek the LORD, till he come and rain righteousness upon you. Hosea10:12*

Jesus speaks of this Breaking up in His Message: "And whoever falls on this stone will be broken; but on whomever it falls, it will grind him to powder." Matt21:44

Either you are Broken in Repentance (fallow ground plowed) or Ground into powder. You must get a New Heart, Circumcised in Repentance, Purged of Sin and Purified by Faith Working by love, Purged by the Blood. (Col2:11-12, Heb9:14, Gal5:6)

*Cast away from you all your transgressions, whereby ye have transgressed; and make you a NEW HEART and a new spirit: for why will you die, O house of Israel? Ezk18:31*

In Repentance the Restoration takes place, through the 'Refreshing' of the spirit. The Lord does His Mighty Work of Redemption in the Renewal of Man! That's why it's so important to Preach the Word in such manner as to prepare man's heart to receive it. If he understands it's his part and responsibility to Seek God, get Clear of his sins and cry out for Mercy, he will be genuinely saved.

*Repent therefore and be converted so that your sins may be blotted out, so that times of refreshing may come from the presence of the Lord, and that He may send Jesus Christ, who was preached to you before, Acts3:19-20*

The 'Refreshing' is a Recovery of Breath, 'anapsyxi' The Spirit of man in his Mortal body is Quickened to life. (Rom8:11, Eph2:5) The Result of real conversion is unmistakable:

The Eyes of the Understanding are Open to the Truth. Eph1:18

The heart is Awakened to Truth! 2Cor6:16-18 (You Will Come OUT of the System!)

All things become New! 2Cor5:17

The Witness of the Spirit is within. Rom8:16

You have Departed from Iniquity! 2Tim2:19

There is a Diligent Urgency for the Truth. Jude3-4

Spiritual Discernment is sharpened. 1Cor2:15-16, 1John4:6

Contrast this with Conversion inside the System:

You Remain Dead to God

You are Still in your sins, as Chief Wretch, Desperately wicked

You are a Worker of Iniquity

You have no urgency for the truth

You are under the spirit of error

The understanding is darkened, alienated from the life of God

A person cannot possibly be Saved and filled with the Spirit and remain under the spirit of error for any length of time. The entire professing Christian System is in a massive state of delusion. If the heart is not awakened by the Spirit of Truth and able to discern Sound teaching from error it spells death to the soul and separation from God. This is why people in the System will believe anything the Preachers tell them. Although this seems to be an extreme assumption to make, experience has proven it is accurate most of the time. Having a real conversion inside the System is a near impossibility and anyone who may indeed be truly saved placing themselves under such false teaching is risking eternal ruin.

The perfect example we have repeated over and over again is that the Preachers will tell you that it's God's Job to Clean you up. So you get Saved in your sins, trusting that He will change your desires to sin less and less, until one day all the vile habits you came into the Kingdom with will be gone. HOWEVER the question remains:

**"WHY DOESN'T ANYONE EVER STOP SINNING?"**

If the Power of God is available inside you, as you have been told, WHERE is it? If He was able to bend your will and give you the ability to trust in Him, as the doctrine affirms, WHY is His hand withdrawn when it comes to your continual sins? The Bible Doesn't say that 'no one is perfect' so you're destined to flounder in your sins until you die. On the Contrary it Says that:

*For this is the love of God, that we keep His commandments. And His commandments are not burdensome. For whatever is born of God overcomes the world. And this is the victory that has overcome the world—our faith. Who is he who overcomes the world, but he who believes that Jesus is the Son of God? 1John5:3-5*

Therefore 'Believing', having 'Faith' or 'Obeying' (is all the same thing) and it OVERCOMES the World! Why then are professed Christians today overcome BY the World? Simply because they are NOT of God! *"Little children, let no man deceive you: he that doeth righteousness is righteous, even as he is righteous. He that committeth sin is of the devil; for the devil sinneth from the beginning. For this purpose the Son of God was manifested, that he might destroy the works of the devil."* 1John3:7-8

Nothing could be more Obvious. Present day professing Christians have NEVER Departed from their iniquity. Even with God's 'supposed' help they can't stop sinning AND they operate within a theology that teaches them: 'If we say we have no sin we lie and the truth is not in us!' THINKING this means that they were born with sin in them and there it remains until death. It's a diabolical snare, but it has become a UNIVERSIAL Deception, on the lips of every professed believer!

God does not give more Light to those who reject it." *Therefore take heed how you hear. For whoever has, to him more will be given; and whoever does not have, even what he seems to have will be taken from him.*" Luke8:18 If you Suppress the truth in unrighteousness (sin everyday message!) the result is Strong Delusion: *and with all unrighteous deception among those who perish, because they did not receive the love of the truth, that they might be saved. And for this reason God will send them **strong delusion, that they should believe the lie,** 2Thess2:10-11*

God will Work a genuine Repentance through the conscious (conviction of the Spirit) of those who YIELD to His Truth. BUT if the Light in you is Darkness (Matt6:23) you can still be deceived! You come through this Repentance Purged and Pure of heart. You DO NOT enter into an indwelling of the Spirit still addicted to your sins. There is no 'Purification' process, as many forms of theology teach. When the Spirit enters, the heart is made Pure. *and made no distinction between us and them, purifying their hearts by faith. Acts15:9*

Obedience to the Truth Purifies the heart, 1Pet1:22. As a babe in Christ the person has forsaken all filthiness and overflow of wickedness, James1:21. NOW additional Light can come in and the Spirit of Truth can begin to teach them. The Person is Yielded to the Wisdom from above. Js3:17. The End Result of Repentance is: *In all things you proved yourselves to be clear (PURE!) in this matter. 2Cor7:11*

You Can't tell a person that it's God's job to clean them up and change their desires and expect them ever to be Pure. It's defective theology. People are NOT born Sinners and they DO have the Will and Ability to Obey God. Remove that Ability and nullify the Power of His Grace.

*For the grace of God that brings salvation has appeared to all men, teaching us that, denying ungodliness and worldly lusts, we should live soberly, righteously, and godly in the present age, Titus2:11-12*

### **Substitution and Moral Transfer**

The bases of Reformed theology in the System today, as we have shown, is some variation of Original Sin; Or better stated as 'Inability'. Under every modification in the System it is taught that God must somehow off-set, coerce, or bend man's 'inbred' malady so that he is able to trust in God's plan of Salvation. In this manner man is entirely excluded from the process (except his initial belief) and the Package



can kick in to accommodate his sinfulness and set him up to then receive the teaching of Substitution.

Substitution theology was invented in the tenth-eleventh Century, as 'Satisfaction' theology, by Roman Bishops by the names of Anselm and Abelard. It was further developed by Thomas Aquinas and others and finally Codified into what is called: Penal Substitution by Martin Luther and John Calvin in the 1500's. (you can verify this historical information on the Web) Before that from the Apostles through the first thousand years of Christology the Atonement was taught as Ransom. By which Man was Redeemed from the Corrupting influence of Sin by sharing in the death and resurrection of Christ who Defeated the Works of the Devil. (1Jh3:8)

Therefore what your Pastors have embraced as Biblical truth in the churches today originated LONG after the demise of the Apostles and was handed down to them by the Protestant Reformers. Hence it was NEVER taught in the Bible. It is a System Invented by men that attacks the very core of the Gospel Message. But Multitudes have been ensnared by it spanning generations around the entire globe. Substitution and Moral Transfer (sometimes referred to as Imputed Righteousness) Teaches:

Christ served as the elects Substitute, suffering the Wrath of God in their place on the Cross by becoming sin in their place

By Faith Alone man must accept, receive and trust in this Divine arrangement for Salvation.

God then Transfers man's Sin to Jesus in exchange for the Perfect Righteousness and Obedience of Christ thereby making man righteous in Position. Under this arrangement man is declared Righteous & Secure in Christ, his sins are covered.

The Satisfaction theory is a Modification of Substitution. It excludes the Retributive aspect of Christ's work on the Cross and focuses on God demanding some form of payment before He could forgive the sins of man. The theory is that sin was such a moral injustice that God could not possibly overlook it without upsetting the order of His Universe. Man could look to this great sacrifice as a superabundance of Grace to cover his ongoing sins. Then out of Gratitude he would serve God as an obedient disciple.

You will find these theologies: Penal & Satisfaction, combined in present day teachings; Which has been so since the Reformation.

Under these Systems it is assumed that Past, Present and Future sins are forgiven at initial Justification and no further condemnation is incurred for ongoing sin. Although most Pastors will say you shouldn't sin, ALL will admit that sin is inevitable. In Most Churches this Message is blatantly proclaimed as the 'Gospel' and no one is permitted to oppose it. Preachers will actually say that the sins they have yet to commit are forgiven in advance! Although the Bible Clearly states that only 'Previously' committed sins are passed over at reconciliation.

*whom God set forth as a propitiation by His blood, through faith, to demonstrate His righteousness, because in His forbearance God had passed over the sins that were previously committed, Rom3:25*

The danger in this line of theology is that it breeds indifference toward the Warnings contained in Scripture. If there's no possibility of further condemnation why be concerned about anything God has said? You can sin with impunity and enjoy your pardon. In God's sight you're Righteous and the Commands you are not able to obey, Christ obeyed for you. He even became Sin in your place on the Cross! Now His Provision is your Security. A Double Transfer (or imputation) has taken place, finished, for all eternity, and men need only to Trust in this arrangement for eternal Salvation. (It's the Greatest Hoax the world has ever known!)

The Doctrine of 'Imputed Righteousness' = A License for immorality. (Jude3-4) NO WHERE in the pages of Scripture is Christ said to be 'imputed' to sinners as Righteousness. FAITH is imputed as Righteousness, (Rom4:3, Gen15:6) but never Christ. The Faith accounted as Righteousness, exceeding that of the Scribes and Pharisees, (Matt5:20) is Obedience from the heart! (Rom4:18-22, 6:17) Faith alone does not suffice. (James2:24)

Remove this vital element of Faith, in place of a mythical Provision, and you negate faith altogether. Man cannot be declared Righteous while he remains in sin. He who DOES what is Right is Righteous, 1John3:7-8. How could anyone be said to be righteous if someone else is acting in their place? Did not every Saint in the Bible, who Did what is Right, do so of his own accord, by their own choice? So why can't you? Is it because some Preacher, you highly respect, told you it's impossible for man to turn and obey God, stop sinning and follow Christ!?

Abel obeyed and offered a more excellent sacrifice than Cain through which he obtained witness that he was Righteous. Noah being divinely warned of things not yet seen moved with godly fear in obedience to God. Abraham Obeyed when he was called and on it goes! (Heb11:4-23)

Why can man do everything else under the sun? He can accomplish great tasks, perform feats of incredible strength, create works of science, art and engineering. Even sacrifice his life for his fellow man in times of great stress. But he can't turn to God because some crazy preachers, 1500 years ago, said so. Consequently those in the System follow a contrived theology, they don't entirely understand, but they have the common cop outs down pat. Tell them they must Stop sinning in Repentance and get clear of their wrong doings, and they Retort:

If we can stop sinning we don't need Jesus!  
God will Clean me up later.

If I can Obey God then I don't need the Spirit to help me obey.  
If we can turn to God on our own, we can save ourselves!

Every excuse above defies logic, but somehow they make perfect sense to those espousing them. The Scripture tells you to Stop Sinning and to Clean up your act. All the Commands are directed toward a mind and intellect perfectly capable of Obedience and doing what is Right. The people of Nineveh did all these things WITHOUT ever assuming they were 'Saving themselves'! They didn't wait for God to come in and change their desires to sin less. Nor did they need the indwelling Spirit to turn and obey. (Jonah 3:5-10)

According to your church Pastors they were the most arrogant, prideful people on earth! They should have continued to wallow in their sin and expected God to Save them, because sin humbles the heart....they believe. Under today's preaching the Nineveites would have all been given a Double Imputation, Declared righteous and went about their business. But HOW does that fit into the Bible Record? Yet it fits into the Myth so it must be true.

### **The Trouble with Imputed Righteousness:**

The Scandal of Pre-forgiveness

The person NEVER Stops sinning

It abuses the Grace of God, no matter what excuse they can raise

The mythical clean up never happens, you remain addicted to sin

It turns Christ into a Blackened Sinner!

### **Did Christ Become Sin?**

*For He made Him who knew no sin to be sin for us, that we might become the righteousness of God in Him. 2Cor5:21*

### **Christ the Sin Offering!**

The Justification freely by His Grace is through the Release by Ransom that is in Christ. Rom3:24 His Death on our Behalf Destroyed the Works of the Devil in order to Redeem man from the corrupting influence of sin. (1John3:8, 2Pet1:3-4)

Redemption: a releasing effected by payment of ransom, liberation procured by the payment of a ransom. Strong's: G629

*who gave Himself a ransom for all, to be testified in due time, 1Tim2:6, Matt20:28, Mk10:45*

**No Substitution is involved! The Model of Redemption is by Ransom**, which effects a release from the bondage of sin. Imputation merely Covers sin, it CANNOT remove it. You magically exchange places with Christ and the rest is automatic. Salvation effects nothing, the delivery is by Provision not in actuality. The Substitution model

treats the blood of Christ like that of animals, unable to take away sin! (Heb10:4) It tramples the Blood and insults the Spirit of Grace. (Heb10:29)

Christ, the Blameless, Spotless Lamb of God! In Him is No Sin. (imputed or otherwise!)

*And you know that He was manifested to take away our sins, and in Him there is no sin. 1Jh3:5*

*how much more shall the blood of Christ, who through the eternal Spirit offered Himself without spot to God, cleanse your conscience from dead works to serve the living God? Heb9:14*

Christ could not have become sin and taken it away at the same time. He was able to Destroy the works of the Devil by partaking of human flesh and blood and thereby release those in bondage from the fear of death. (Heb2:14-15) *And having been perfected, He became the author of eternal salvation to all who obey Him, Heb5:9*

NOT by Substitution, but by EXAMPLE! (1Pet2:21-24) In Repentance we must Die to sin, Crucified with Christ! (Rom6:6) BEFORE the Blood can Purge our past sins and Purify our hearts by Faith Working by Love.

The 'Sin Offering' is the theme of Scripture:

*Yet it pleased the LORD to bruise Him; He has put Him to grief. When You make His soul an offering for sin, Isa53:10*

*"I will ransom them from the power of the grave; I will redeem them from death. You have sold yourselves for nothing, And you shall be redeemed without money. Isa52:3 Hosea13:14*

Thus 2Cor5:21 is better stated: 'He was made a SIN OFFERING' Although the Greek word used in this passage is: *hamartia*, and can be Translated 'Sin' The Exact same Word is used hundreds of times in the Greek Version of the Old Testament (Septuagint) Clearly showing 'Sin Offering' That's why the early Christians understood the Model of Redemption as Ransom, because to them Christ was their 'sin offering' dying on their 'Behalf' NOT in their place.

But by the slick use of language cloaked in a shroud of Mysterious theology, Reformed teaching has fabricated an Atonement that is NOT taught in the Bible. Even the Word 'Atonement' was invented and inserted in your KJV Bibles in place of Reconciliation. (Rom5:11) Reformer William Tyndale felt that the Word Reconciliation did not fully express the true nature of Christ's work on the Cross; Which to him was based on the Substitution Model. The Atonement, expressed: 'At-One-ment' in his thinking, the full scope of Christ's eternal sacrifice.

However Reconciliation, as described in the Bible, corresponds perfectly with Ransom. It is defined as: 'A Restoration of favor to sinners who Repent'; Purpose:

To Restore understanding between people after hostility or disagreement. In this Manner you approach the Mercy Seat (which is the Propitiation) and seek to be Reconciled to God. (Heb10:19-23) Your heart, which is the Living Sacrifice, is then sprinkled with Christ's blood for remission. This Purges you from dead works so you can Serve the living God.

Atonement founded on Substitution means that the retributive Justice of God has been poured out on Jesus instead of man. It also means (in most interpretations) that the Moral Righteousness and Obedience of Christ is transferred to us by faith. Once you trust in this arrangement there is Nothing to secure your own Obedience to God or motivate you to follow His example. Everything has been done 'in advance',. Your sins, Past, Present and Future are 'Done away' on the Cross with Jesus. The only thing that changed is your Status with God who has now reconciled Himself to your sinful 'Condition'. Your Justification is secured in Christ and cannot be reversed.

However IF indeed the truth is that He died 'ON MY BEHALF' as an Offering for Sin, (as Christians believed for the first 1000 years of their existence) then the Retributive Justice of God has NOTHING to do with it. Therefore Redemption is based on a 'Return to Favor' on Condition of forsaking our sins and obeying God. The entire process turns on a faith PROVEN by DEEDS, just as the Bible Says. In Repentance you die with Christ (to sin) and your heart is made PURE by Faith Working by Love! Now you Obey God Cleansed, Purged and Scrubbed Clean of all overflow of wickedness and defilement able to Receive with meekness the implanted Word that can Save your Soul. You Come Sorrowing after the Mercy of God, CLEARED of your wrong doings by forsaking them and making restitution where necessary. Vehemently desiring in your heart to Obey Him with great zeal, presuming nothing and plead for Reconciliation. (This is the Model of Redemption set forth in the Bible!)

*Christ has redeemed us from the curse of the law, having become a curse for us (for it is written, "Cursed is everyone who hangs on a tree" Gal3:13*

The Greek Preposition: 'For' is 'hyper', meaning: On Behalf of—NOT in Place of. Translated in this manner over 100 times in the New Testament.

*And walk in love, as Christ also has loved us and given Himself for us, an offering and a sacrifice to God for a sweet-smelling aroma. Eph5:2*

*who died for us, that whether we wake or sleep, we should live together with Him.1Thess5:10*

*who gave Himself for us, that He might redeem us from every lawless deed and purify for Himself His own special people, zealous for good works. Titus2:14*

*who gave Himself a ransom for all, to be testified in due time, 1Tim2:6*

(Check also: 1Peter2:21, 3:18, 4:1, 1John3:16)

Many in the System will mistakenly define 'hyper' as 'Instead of' to prove Substitution. They have made a SERIOUS Error! The Greek definitions are evident. 'Anti' Greek: G473, means: 'Instead of' and Plainly translates as something you should do INSTEAD of something you shouldn't. As follows:

Repay *no one evil for evil. Have regard for good things in the sight of all men. Rom12:17*

*See that no one renders evil for evil to anyone, but always pursue what is good both for yourselves and for all. 1Thess5:15*

*not returning evil for evil or reviling for reviling, but on the contrary blessing, knowing that you were called to this, that you may inherit a blessing. 1Pet3:9*

### Christus Victor (First Millennia AD)

Christ "fought" against all the different "powers" that hold humanity in hostage (Satan, death, sin, disease, poverty etc), and "defeated" them. He defeated sickness by healing people, He defeated poverty by helping the poor, He defeated the devil by casting out spirits, He defeated death by being resurrected etc. In this way He waged war against these things, both defeating them Himself and inspiring us to do the same and not fear them.

He Destroyed the works of the Devil, 1John3:8

He Rescued us from our fear of Death, Heb2:14-15, 1Cor15:26

He Defeated the Powers of Darkness, put them to open shame, Col2:15

He Ransomed Man from the Corrupting influence of sin, 2Pet1:3-4, 1Tim2:6

The Substitution Model achieves NONE of these things, only by 'Provision'. Under the lie they have God Reconciling Himself to man, not man seeking to be reconciled to God. Since man has no ability to obey and is unwilling to Serve God, a System had to be created whereby he could be declared in right standing with God, even though he continued in his rebellion. Then in order to Cloak the license to sin aspect of imputation they advocate a system of rewards and chastisements supposedly designed to keep you on the right track and make it sound as though they are NOT in favor of wrong doing.

However the grand conclusion remains. If you recognize Christ as your Substitute (who took your place on the cross and suffered God's Wrath for your sins) then NOTHING in the universe can possibly motivate you to Obey Him. To what Purpose would obedience serve? It's not necessary to secure the outcome of your Salvation, that's been done in advance. And for every short coming you have Christ makes up the difference. Shall you fear God's Chastisements when Christ has

already taken the pain? So you suffer His displeasure, but it means nothing in the long run. He could actually 'Kill' you and take you home (to Heaven) in your rebellion and you lose NOTHING! (Such non-sense as this is espoused by some Preachers and accepted as truth!)

Thus it is an absolute impossibility for Christ to be both your Substitute and your Example. Its opposite ends of the spectrum. Christ Himself said 'FOLLOW ME!' ....Not 'Let's Swap places!'

*If anyone serves Me, let him follow Me; and where I am, there My servant will be also. If anyone serves Me, him My Father will honor. John12:26*

*For to this you were called, because Christ also suffered for us, leaving us an example, that you should follow His steps: 1Pet2:21*

Those of you entrenched in Calvin and Wesley's Doctrines, who have endless debates between yourselves but all serve on the same page. You're trapped inside a System of Error! No matter which path you take it leads to perdition. You follow the Doctrines and Teachings of men, (Matt15:9) Not Christ. It may appear correct and have a form of godliness, (2Tim3:5) but what does it promote? 'Godliness and self control in this present age' (Titus2:11,12) or 'Workers of Iniquity, claiming to serve God' (Matt7:21-23) Unless you're Blind the results are evident. The System is Apostate, (The Woman on the Scarlet Beast, Rev17:1-4) NOT any particular denomination or movement within the System, but the SYSTEM itself. The so-called Christian Cults are not a serious threat. They offer people a Purpose to their profession whereas Churchianity is a joke. Therefore the most deceptive Cult of all is the professing Church because everyone THINKS its right!

Professed Christianity today will loudly proclaim that Christ died for their sins, meaning in their minds (as we have pointed out) that He took their place on the Cross, suffered God's Wrath and now extends Mercy to all those who trust Him. Apart from some version of the Substitution Model the Gospel has no other sufficiency in the world today. Remove that and you have no Message. Therefore trying to get someone to understand Ransom, as the Bible teaches, is like amputating their heads!

To them Christ's Death did not accomplish the eradication of sin in their lives; it merely Covered the gaping wound with a Band-Aid! *They have also healed the hurt of My people slightly, Saying, 'Peace, peace! When there is no peace. Jer6:14.*

As sincere as Church going people can be, they are SINCERELY Wrong! They may read and study the Bible but it only further confirms the fallacies they have been taught since Sunday School days. They see Christ as expiatory, (meaning payment in full) which fits into the Substitution Model of the Atonement, NOT the Mercy Seat Model of Ransom. Such a Sacrifice is NOT taught in the Bible, but is the very

Foundation of Reformed theology! Consequently Bible Pundits today use the Scriptures in their favor to cloud the comprehension of purer truth. When presented with an alternative to Substitution they immediately cry heresy.

This began in fourth Century Rome when most of the present day fallacies were introduced in their infancy. Basically what the establishment Church did in ancient times was to BLEND common Pagan Doctrines into Simple Christian teachings. But all this happened so long ago that hardly anyone is aware of it and most of them gather their perspective from what they call Reformed thinkers. These Preachers and Scholars of the past are given great creditability due their piety and dedication to learning. Their work contains a great deal of Bible Truth but it is intermingled with massive amounts of fallacy. All based on the assumptions that the early Saints were wrong because they had no defined Systematic Theology.

Therefore everything they taught and believed about Ransom, Death to Sin in Repentance, Obedience, Judgment according to Deeds, and following Christ's example is up for grabs. Even though they formulated their Gospel Message to the world centuries before a New Testament Canon (66 Books of the KJV) existed, by merely taking up where the Apostles left off. They were able to Evangelize the known world within a hundred years and bring their converts out from under the Corrupting influence of sin....Simply by Preaching Repentance and Faith According to Deeds. The Message handed down to them by Christ Himself.

*And that repentance and remission of sins should be preached in His name to all nations, beginning at Jerusalem. Luke24:47*

So why did the Reformers discard their principles in favor of Pagan fallacies? It could not have been because of all the discrepancies found in their writings. There's an equal and even greater amount of divergence in their own Reformed teachings. They could never agree among themselves on the fundamental principles of doctrines, especially on the immensely important subject of Salvation and Faith. But the early Saints, as we have shown, were right in line with what the Apostles and Prophets handed down to them. So what went wrong? What brought men like Luther, Calvin, Wesley, Edwards, Whitefield and others to their grand conclusions that Substitution and Moral Transfer were actually taught in the Bible? Was it that man was so given over to his wicked ways, far gone from any form of pity, that the only sensible explanation was that he was born in a depraved state of being? Yet nothing has changed under the Sun. In the days of Noah men were wicked continually. (Gen6:5)

The Message to them was no different than the messages of Isaiah, Jeremiah, Ezekiel, Daniel and John the Baptist. *"Let the Wicked forsake his ways and the unrighteous man his thoughts and let him return to the Lord!"*

None of these Godly Messengers assumed that men were so depraved that they could not respond to the Preaching of Repentance and Faith according to deeds.



They didn't INVENT a System whereby men were unable and unwilling to Repent until God off-set their depravity and made them able to turn. They just said: TURN, CHOOSE, FOLLOW, OBEY!

Certainly the System was developed over time (centuries in this case) and there's no single reason why the Reformers adopted it as Orthodox doctrine. Men follow traditions and resist change. The Teaching of Ransom practically disappeared from earth nearly 400 years before they came on the scene. And the True Message of Repentance was lost long before that. Perhaps in their attempt to break free from the tyranny of the Catholic Churches of Europe and the absolute rule of Popes, they thought that a 'Lighter' version of Catholic Doctrine was in order. In the Renaissances, Monarchy arose who agreed with the Protest and the birth of our Reformation (sometimes called the first Great Awakening) began. Out of that came the Confessions of Faith held today by your Church Pastors and all the fallacies that began in ancient Rome.

Therefore your eternal Salvation is based on ancient Pagan Philosophy, blended together with Catholic and Protestant Doctrines, created by very dubious means over a huge span of time. It's a deadly snare but packaged as a VERY STRONG DELUSION. Since the Nature of our battle is Spiritual and not Carnal, there are unseen forces at work aiding the delusion; Namely Satan who originated the bases of the Substitution Model in ancient Rome. That's why in Scripture the Saints are warned continually not to under estimate him or take his wiles for granted.

*Be sober, be vigilant; because your adversary the devil walks about like a roaring lion, seeking whom he may devour. Resist him, steadfast in the faith, knowing that the same sufferings are experienced by your brotherhood in the world. 1Pet5:8-9*

*For we do not wrestle against flesh and blood, but against principalities, against powers, against the rulers of the darkness of this age, against spiritual hosts of wickedness in the heavenly places. Eph6:12*

*in which you once walked according to the course of this world, according to the prince of the power of the air, the spirit who now works in the sons of disobedience, Eph2:2*

*We know that we are of God, and the whole world lies under the sway of the wicked one. 1Jh5:19*

He may indeed be 'Stripped of his advantage' (Col2:15) but he is still a powerful adversary. The early Saints understood this clearly, and waged war with him and all the hosts of darkness. They were the spiritual force behind the damning fallacies ensnaring the religious masses. This is why Jude issued his final warning:

*Beloved, while I was very diligent to write to you concerning our common salvation, I found it necessary to write to you exhorting you to contend earnestly for the faith which was once*

*for all delivered to the saints For certain men have crept in unnoticed, who long ago were marked out for this condemnation, ungodly men, who turn the grace of our God into lewdness and deny the only Lord God and our Lord Jesus Christ. Jude3-4*

### **The Paradigm Shift**

The Bible States that God Rewards those who Diligently Seek Him. (Heb11:6) By now, if you have indeed examined these things thoroughly in light of the fallacies that have been ingrained into your brain, you must realize that there is truly a famine of God's Pure Word in the world today. (Amos8:11) There are many voices and much speaking in the Name of God, but it has mostly returned Void because there is a deficiency of Truth. Many read and study the Word of God, but they DO NOT Believe it! They understand only within the framework of Reformed Doctrines.

In order to escape this deadly web of lies, one must first come out of the box and enter into a new mind-set. The Lord has asked man to '*Reason together*' with Him, Isa1:18. Judge Righteously as the Lord Himself Judges. (Jh7:24) Forsake your sins, Cease to do evil, learn to do good and seek the Lord's Pardon. Don't assume that coming to Him still wallowing in your sins will suffice, because it makes you humble whereas Stopping the sin would make you proud.

WHERE is that Supported in the Scriptures? ONLY under the false mind-set that ultimately accuses God of being unfair! "*But if a wicked man turns from all his sins which he has committed, keeps all My statutes, and does what is lawful and right, he shall surely live; he shall not die. None of the transgressions which he has committed shall be remembered against him; because of the righteousness which he has done, he shall live. Do I have any pleasure at all that the wicked should die?" says the Lord GOD, "and not that he should turn from his ways and live?"* Ezk18:21-23

*"But when a righteous man turns away from his righteousness and commits iniquity, and does according to all the abominations that the wicked man does, shall he live? All the righteousness which he has done shall not be remembered; because of the unfaithfulness of which he is guilty and the sin which he has committed, because of them he shall die.*

*"Yet you say, 'The way of the Lord is not fair.' Hear now, O house of Israel, is it not My way which is fair, and your ways which are not fair? Ezk18:24-25*

Therefore WHO is unfair; You or God? You're taught falsely that you cannot turn and stop sinning because you are born wicked, so you must be Saved in your sins. The Lord says '*IF you Turn from all your wicked ways' you will live, but if you Don't, you will die in your sin.* Does this require a PARADIGN Shift to comprehend? Obviously it does in your short-sighted world. You must dismantle a wall of lies to even begin to grasp the Truth.

Nothing in Scripture implies that you're 'Saving yourself' by stopping the sin. But that's your biggest hurdle in overcoming the false Salvation Message you believe. It makes Real Repentance almost insurmountable within the System. Like the people Ezekiel was trying to reach, the concept of turning away from sin was Lost to them. Like you, they thought it was not fair of the Lord to demand it. So you trust in a bogus Salvation Message that profits no one. Never escaping the false paradigm simply because you refuse to analyze what you have been told in the light of Scripture.

It's man's greatest dilemma, being duped by opposing arguments in a failure to see the full spectrum of the debate. Remember that two opposites cannot testify to an absolute. ONE of them has to be Wrong! Enter the Spiritual realm and you quickly reach an impasse. Most people are satisfied reaching a conclusion in-which they can be content. Therefore they will choose sides and feel some level of security within the level of understanding they have selected. This serves the need within man to believe that he is in control of his own destiny and has the right or ability to rationalize God into his own limited archetypal deity. In other words: 'God is anything you want Him to be' all based on perception.

The New Paradigm is being able to discern the Message behind the Message. Meaning the 'Manner' in which something is said and how it is being received.

*No one, when he has lit a lamp, covers it with a vessel or puts it under a bed, but sets it on a lampstand, that those who enter may see the light. For nothing is secret that will not be revealed, nor anything hidden that will not be known and come to light. Therefore take heed how you hear. For whoever has, to him more will be given; and whoever does not have, even what he seems to have will be taken from him." Luke8:16-18*

You may hear Christ say: "Narrow is the Way that leads to life and Few there be that find it" *Matt7:13,14*. But the Manner in which your mind received it 'REVERSES' how you heard it. So now the Way is Wide and MANY enter into it! Apply the same mode of reasoning to a thousand other Scriptures and you have an insurmountable wall of contention against the Word of God.

The Concept of Divine influence is man's conscience yielding to the Light of Truth. To him who has, more will be given, but he who does not have (or suppresses truth) even what he 'has' will be taken from him. This insight is unknown within the System. Judgment is according to Deeds. The 'Not of works' Gospel is another figment of your imagination. Nearly all the Teaching of Jesus harmonizes with this premise.

*Who "will render to each one according to his deeds" eternal life to those who by patient continuance in doing good seek for glory, honor, and immortality; but to those who are self-seeking and do not obey the truth, but obey unrighteousness—indignation and wrath, Rom2:6-8*

Even final Judgment is within the framework of the Sheep and the Goats, Matt25:31-46. With the ONLY difference between them is what one DID and the other Did not. Here ALL Believed and did works according to their beliefs. But only the Sheep departed from their iniquity. (Matt7:21-23) Many do works for God and make great personal sacrifices in His Name, but on their own terms-----in the 'Manner' they have perceived is acceptable. It's not that they don't 'Believe', they do (Js2:19) it's WHAT they believe that keeps them in the Dark. As Jesus said:

*"The lamp of the body is the eye. If therefore your eye is good, your whole body will be full of light. But if your eye is bad, your whole body will be full of darkness. If therefore the light that is in you is darkness, how great is that darkness! Matt6:22-23*

But the Perception of this is that the Eye can be BOTH darkness and light, so the assumption is you have the Light and what you suppose to be true is the Truth. Even though it's Opposite of what Christ has said. The rational: 'If I say I have no sin, the truth is not in me'. So they have the support of Scripture, (although it's under the spirit of error) it makes sense to them. Man can indeed be Double-minded and under the control of two Masters and still be in the family of God. Christ is picking up his slack and is his insurance policy against any further condemnation. (at least that's the assumption)

So why speak of Deeds when the Bible has said it's 'Not of works'? Again the false paradigm of the System will not allow you to see that the 'Works' of the law and the 'Deeds' of Faith are two ENTIRELY different things. The Preachers suppose that the deeds of righteousness done in faith working by love (as the scripture says, 1Jh3:8, Gal5:6) is a WORK and therefore earning your Salvation, which doesn't fit into their understanding of Eph2:8-9: *For by grace you have been saved through faith, and that not of yourselves; it is the gift of God, not of works, lest anyone should boast.*

To the Preachers this Passage may as well read: 'Not of Doing, lest anyone should boast!' Since anything you DO is equivalent to earning your Salvation.

Also many will go as far as to say that even the 'Faith' spoken of in this passage is a gift of God and must be given to you, as to the elect, who are appointed to believe. Such notions solidify the delusion further. Whereas the key to this passage is the 'BOASTING' of which the Jews were guilty of, (Rom2:17,23) in the keeping of the ritualistic laws of Moses. When in reality they were violating the Spirit of the law, Justice, mercy and faith, and remained vile within. (Matt23:23)

Thus Eph2:8-9 is NOT removing the necessity of Deeds! Faith is NOT faith without them! (Js2:24)

You Receive the Grace of God as 'Workers Together' with God, 2Cor6:1. This **Synergy** is the working dynamic behind saving faith. You receive the free gift (forgiveness of past sins, Rom3:25) when your faith emulates that which is spoken of in the Bible. (Rom4:12, Jh8:39, Heb11:8, Gal5:6) So the Grace of Eph2:8-9 is NOT

given or received in VAIN....to no effect...without purpose. That's why Scripture constantly speaks of Judgment according to Deeds. It's the Principle of God's universe: 'You reap what you sow'

### **The New Paradigm:**

This is a completely foreign concept to those inside the System: The Simplicity of Christ! It will spell the difference between eternal life and eternal death in outer darkness. That's why the powers of darkness have concealed it for so long.

*For by your words you will be justified, and by your words you will be condemned."*  
Matt12:37

*For the Son of Man will come in the glory of His Father with His angels, and then He will reward each according to his works.* Matt16:27

*And if you call on the Father, who without partiality judges according to each one's work, conduct yourselves throughout the time of your stay here in fear;* 1Pet1:17

*For we must all appear before the judgment seat of Christ, that each one may receive the things done in the body, according to what he has done, whether good or bad.* 2Cor5:10

*Do not marvel at this; for the hour is coming in which all who are in the graves will hear His voice and come forth—those who have done good, to the resurrection of life, and those who have done evil, to the resurrection of condemnation.* John5:28-29

*He who is unjust, let him be unjust still; he who is filthy, let him be filthy still; he who is righteous, let him be righteous still; he who is holy, let him be holy still." "And behold, I am coming quickly, and My reward is with Me, to give to every one according to his work. I am the Alpha and the Omega, the Beginning and the End, the First and the Last." Blessed are those who do His commandments, that they may have the right to the tree of life, and may enter through the gates into the city.* Rev22:11-14

Enough evidence, the Bible is filled with such Passages as these. Understand that your Pastors will attempt to explain these things in light of 'Rewards' that do not affect the outcome of your Salvation. They will separate the act of Justification from Deeds so entirely that one is accomplished and secured for eternity, while the other is a 'Relationship' issue based on rewards. Thereby the convert can choose the higher life in Christ, as His living Sacrifice, obedient and pure, Rom12:1-2, and receive the rewards in Glory or he can have his works burned up as hay and stubble but still receive eternal life, 1Cor3:12-15.

This method of separation is used in Reformed teaching to explain away the necessity of deeds and remove the fear of judgment. As with Sanctification and Justification, they will teach as two distinct acts of God in order to insert a Process of

sinning less over time, instead of a release from bondage as the Repentance of Ransom shows. BOTH happen together in Scripture: (1Cor6:11, Acts26:18)

To quell the idea that the Rewards Christ is speaking of in this Judgment are anything but eternal life or death, READ the passages sited above. The Judgment is ALWAYS in the context of finality. Examine the John and Matthew passages again. Christ is saying the exact same thing as He says issuing His final warnings in Rev22. Nothing magic is going to happen at this Judgment. You are not suddenly going to swoop into the sky with Jesus and be made perfect. What you are NOW, is what you will be THEN! 'Filthy, or Righteous' as you were found, as all the Parables of Christ so state: 'Be found so DOING' or face the outer darkness of rejection. (Matt25:12-13, 30, 46, Matt24:44-31) Simple Truths, but it requires an entire NEW Mind-set to receive them. "And I will give to each one of you according to your works". Rev2:23

What would motivate the Apostle to use such strong language in 2Cor5:10-11, If not eternal Judgment facing a Holy God? '*Knowing the TERROR of the Lord we persuade men!*' .....Persuade them of what: that the Lord will put them into a corner in His Kingdom wearing a dunce hat? Such foolishness is common in the System. Many Preachers to this day still teach that God will actually KILL a person who has gone astray into sin and take them to heaven sooner than planned. They base such fallacy on erroneous understandings of 1Cor3:11-15. Remember under the False Paradigm a person is Saved apart from any Deeds done, BUT he can still be subject to the Judgment of Chastisement as a Son. (Heb12) So, in a sense, you are punished again for sins that Jesus Nailed to the Cross and suffered God's Wrath in your place. Kind of Double Jeopardy, but it seems to work out in their twisted theology.

Accordingly then a person can have his Works burned up (meaning to them he is living in some kind of sin) and still pass through the Judgment unharmed, although he loses his rewards. However 1Cor3 is NOT addressing the issue of Sin. The Bible Plainly explains that certain acts of vile sin will disqualify someone from entrance into the Kingdom. (1Cor6:9-10, Gal5:19-21) In Corinthians the Apostle is speaking about Building on the proper foundation and not playing favorites within the church. The DAY (Judgment) will reveal the Work. Only such work done on the foundation Christ has already laid will endure, all others burned up. However the Warning remains: *If anyone defiles the temple of God, God will destroy him. For the temple of God is holy, which temple you are.*1Cor3:17

**Destroy:** To be Destroyed or Perish, G5351. Used always with finality as in Rev19:2

A far cry from God killing someone and taking them to heaven. The same is true of the 1Cor11:27-30, passage which has to do with taking the Lord's Super in an unworthy manner. The Passage says that many are weak and sick among them and some sleep, V30. Here they support the notion that God was taking them out for abusing the Communion service. If such was the case as with Ananias and Sapphira, Acts5:1-11, there is no hard evidence that this 'falling asleep' was in the Lord. Death

is often referred to as Sleep in the Scriptures, (Matt27:52, John11:11, 1Cor15:6, 18, 20, 51, 1Thess4:13-15, 2Pet3:4) Including passages of the OT: 1Kings1:21, Jer51:39, Dan12:2.

This Sleep can refer to the Righteous and the Wicked. There is no guarantee that you can 'fall asleep' or die, and be with the Lord. Judgment stands and is plainly shown by the Lord. He has allowed us to peer beyond the veil and get a glimpse of eternity. We can see the torment of the Rich man in Hades, Luke16:19-31, and the abode of the Righteous in Abrahams Bosom. We can hear them crying to the Lord in Matt7:21-23, and being sent away in sorrow. We can envision the glorious feast in the Kingdom and see the man at the table without a wedding garment being taken away bound hand and foot and cast into outer darkness! Matt22:1-14.

These are NOT fairy tales or some metaphoric story for Sunday School kids! The Lord is presenting an object lesson of reality as a dire warning to mankind. It may feel good to believe you can blow out your brains in suicide and still make it to heaven because God has already forgiven you in advance. But someday, like the Rich man, you also will lift up your eyes in torment and cry out for another chance to finally repent and Obey the Lord. (but it will be too late, your fate is sealed)

Under the false Paradigm the use of the Parables and Object lessons of the Lord are discarded as Doctrine mainly because they teach an entirely different Gospel than what is being preached in the Churches. If people are responsible for their actions and face Judgment according to their deeds, as the Lord has plainly revealed, then the present day preachers are in BIG trouble with God! They have created an entire System based on the Reverse of the Lord's foundation. There are no unfaithful servants, foolish virgins, workers of iniquity, Goats or Tares. Only Story book characters to teach us that everybody lives happily ever after in the end. The Moral to the story is that you 'shouldn't' go prancing off into the woods with the Big Bad Wolf, but even if you do, it's just a story and you can get it right next time.

So the important lessons of Scripture are lost to the masses. They sit at the feet of their false Jesus and ride the happy bus. The urgency to be a Good and Faithful Steward is secondary to the Gospel of 'Faith alone in Jesus alone'. What you do as a Sheep or a Goat holds no credence in the outcome of your Salvation. So little thought is given as to the amount and quality of your Deeds done in the Lord or whether they are done acceptably or in an unworthy manner. Remember: the Goats in Matt25:31-46, THOUGHT they had done works pleasing to God. Like the Sheep, they fed the poor, clothed the stranger, ministered to the prisoners and quenched the thirsty. But they were Dead Works, Rev2:19, 3:2. Done with improper motives and without the approval of the Lord.

The Goats ministered but their Message was corrupted. To them it wasn't important what someone believed in, only that they could chalk them up as another Church Project to their credit. It felt good to offer them some form of service and provided

great creditability to prove they were right with God. But here the Parables serve as dire warnings against these things, if heeded. Christ knew the nature of man and his desire to serve in some capacity, but He also knew their propensity to go head-long into error and fail to differentiate between what is good and what is excellent. It's good to help others, but it's far superior to help them COME OUT of the corrupting influence of sin.

One fosters great popularity and the praises of men. The other leads to obscurity and exclusion. You are hated and reviled, called evil and often times brutally treated. They murdered many of the Prophets, John the Baptist and Jesus Himself for Preaching this Message. Observe, the Jesus they follow in the System is a Candy coated Image they have created out of their own imagination. The Jesus of the Bible was a Man of Sorrows, acquainted with grief, often called Beelzebub!

*There is no beauty that we should desire Him. He is despised and rejected by men, Man of sorrows and acquainted with grief. And we hid, as it were, our faces from Him; He was despised, and we did not esteem Him. Isa53:2-3*

He exposed Religious hypocrisy and brought division among men. (Matt10:34-39, 23:1-33) His Message of Truth was generally rejected, except by the Few who followed after Him. Association with Him meant sharing in the suffering and Persecutions. A Servant is NOT above his Master! (Matt10:25)

This Jesus is UNKNOWN to the Church System. That's why Christ says, 'I Never knew you' to the deceived masses coming to Him at the Judgment. (Matt7:23) They have no clue that the Image they follow has been conjured up by an Army of False Prophets, who appear to them as Lambs but speak the Language of the Dragon. (Rev13:11) The Image speaks and bestowed great gifts on those who worship him and the Goats gladly receive it with great joy and rivalry. But it's a Party that ends in Hell for all involved. To them Jesus was nothing more than their Substitute and all His harsh sayings about separation and persecution were meant for Himself. He took the pain and rejection so we don't have to.

The Gospel of the System is not about Counting the Cost to follow Jesus. It's about Trusting in the Image they have created to do it all for you. So the Warnings in his Parables may as well be fables. They are easily explained away by the Preachers. The explanations are always the same:

The Foolish Virgins, Matt25:1-13, were Never saved to begin with.

The evil Servant also, not saved from the start! Matt24:45-51

The Unprofitable Servant who miss-used his Master's talents, was lost. Matt25:14-30

The unforgiving Servant who received but did not give, was never actually forgiven! Matt18:22-35



Thus it's Never a warning that Judgment will be dispensed according to deeds; Just nice little stories about 'rewards' for those who Trust in Jesus! They serve no Purpose otherwise but to instruct us of object lessons that will not affect the outcome of our Salvation. Such is the Deadly nature of the Substitution Model held in the System. It negates the Teaching of Christ and works against the Truth.

### **The False Paradigm:**

The Word Says it, but MOST people in the System choose NOT to Believe it. The Spiritual dynamic at work here is in Romans 1:18-32. God has revealed Himself to men, but they choose to SUPPRESS His truth in unrighteousness, V18. They then exchange the Truth of God for a lie and serve that instead of Christ! V25. So God gives them over to a corrupted mind, V26. This is shown in 2Thess2:10 as Strong Delusion, which God sends them because they would not Love the Truth. By their own choice they live within a false Paradigm of lies and resist the reception of Light.

### **Among their Relief Valves is much of what we covered so far:**

'If you could stop sinning, you could Save yourself!'

'If you could turn from sin on your own, you wouldn't need Jesus!'

'No one is Perfect, we all sin daily in thought, word and deed'

'If I say I have no sin, the truth is not in me!'

'We're all the Chief of sinners and Roman's Wretch!'

These are Common excuses we hear all the time, but they are all trumped by one Bible Verse everyone has committed to memory: '*Judge not lest ye be Judged!*' Matt7:1. Here is the Chief defense for doing anything you please and claiming that God knows your heart, because no one is your Judge. The idea behind this notion is that everyone is a wretched sinner, forgiven by Grace, and has no right to cast dispersions on anyone else in the same boat. But is this REALLY what Jesus is saying in Matt 7 ?

Clearly He is condemning hypocritical Judgment, not judgment entirely. It's deceitful to Judge someone for something you yourself are guilty of. If you wish to point out the faults of others first REMOVE the Beam out of your own eye, then you see clearly to help others with theirs. That's the Message here. Christ is not saying you can Wallow in your sin with impunity and no one can say anything about it. The Scripture is clear that the Spiritual man MUST Discern with righteous judgments.

*But he who is spiritual judges all things, yet he himself is rightly judged by no one. 1Cor2:15*

*Do not judge according to appearance, but judge with righteous judgment." John7:24*

This lack of true discernment in the System creates an environment where anything goes. The Preachers themselves are hamstrung from exposing any kind of sin or

even warning people that their wrong behavior will keep them out of the Kingdom. 'Judge Not' is the supreme defense given for every sin. That the Christian is told in the Bible they will sit in Judgment of the world, 1Cor6:1-11, is of no consequence in the System. They allow open fornication, adultery, molestation, homosexuality, theft and covetousness, without blinking an eye, because everyone is forgiven in advance and imputed Righteous!. There is no regard given to the dire warnings against these types of behavior. is there a Pastor alive who would heed the Apostle's warnings:

*Do you not know that the unrighteous will not inherit the kingdom of God? Do not be deceived. Neither fornicators, nor idolaters, nor adulterers, nor homosexuals, nor sodomites, nor thieves, nor covetous, nor drunkards, nor revilers, nor extortioners will inherit the kingdom of God. 1Cor6:9-10*

*Now the works of the flesh are evident, which are: adultery, fornication, uncleanness, lewdness, idolatry, sorcery, hatred, contentions, jealousies, outbursts of wrath, selfish ambitions, dissensions, heresies, envy, murders, drunkenness, revelries, and the like; of which I tell you beforehand, just as I also told you in time past, that those who practice(produce) such things will not inherit the kingdom of God. Gal5:19-21*

Honestly....HOW MANY Drunks do you have in your church? How many people are living in adulterous relationships; And young people committing fornication? The news is filled with stories of child molestation in your ranks and Pornography abuse is so rampant that you hold massive seminars attended by thousands! Are any of these people in bondage to sins of death ever told that such things will KEEP them out of the Kingdom? NEVER! The Oath Keepers attend the meetings, make all sorts of promises and remain in bondage to their vile habits. All because 'No one can Judge' and God knows their hearts! It's an absolute travesty on the Holy Name of Christ and the world looks on with utter disgust.

Bottom line: Those of you involved in all this DO NOT Believe what the Bible says. If you did you would ACT accordingly and Vacate the System immediately. There's not a shred a truth in any thing they say. It may be mixed in with Bible verses, but only the Carnal Mind finds it appealing. The hearts of the Righteous are made Sad at the tide of iniquity overflowing in our midst. So JUDGE this and find yourself wanting:

*These things we also speak, not in words which man's wisdom teaches but which the Holy Spirit teaches, comparing spiritual things with spiritual. But the natural man does not receive the things of the Spirit of God, for they are foolishness to him; nor can he know them, because they are spiritually discerned. But he who is spiritual judges all things, yet he himself is rightly judged by no one. 1Cor2:13-15*

Another aspect of 'Judge Not' is that it quells Contending for the faith as commanded in Scripture. Since you can't Judge anyone for anything least you accuse yourself, how can you Defend the Faith? If vile behavior is ignored then people can

also believe whatever they please.....who is anyone to tell them they are wrong? Therefore Contending Earnestly for the faith, once handed down, Jude3-4, is cast to the wind.

No Pastor is going to risk alienating himself by pointing out the spirit of error in his colleagues. He would be out of a job in a flash. Better to just preach a nice Safe Message and let the people arrive at their own conclusions. If you challenge the status quo you make too many enemies.

The System is not engaged in any sort of Spiritual battle against the Strong holds of false doctrine. They run matters on a consensus of opinion among various theologies. Debate is welcome, but NEVER anything as harsh as 'casting down' your opponents. Another unfamiliar passage that the Carnally Minded Church goers find very disturbing:

*For the weapons of our warfare are not carnal but mighty in God for pulling down strongholds, casting down arguments and every high thing that exalts itself against the knowledge of God, bringing every thought into captivity to the obedience of Christ, 2Cor10:4-5*

Notice the Military terminology here? A 'Stronghold' was a Roman Garrison constructed on the battlefield so the enemy could not easily breach their encampment. It usually consisted of stockade type walls, barricades, a mote and ramparts from which to mount a defense. They were quite imposing and not easily assaulted. The Apostle is comparing the LIES of false doctrines to this Stockade, and although the Christian does not fight with carnal weapons, he DOES fight with the WORD of God! And so he must if the enemy is to be held at bay. Otherwise the arguments of fallacy will prevail. But this command is almost totally ignored in the System. Most people don't even know it exists least of all understand how important it is to keep the Message pure.

How imperative this is to the true Saints of God. If in the first forty odd years since the introduction of the Gospel Message to men, deceivers were so numerous that the original Apostles had to issue urgent warnings about them. Beloved John, as the last remaining elder said the following:

*For many deceivers have gone out into the world who do not confess Jesus Christ as coming in the flesh. This is a deceiver and an antichrist. Look to yourselves, that we do not lose those things we worked for, but that we may receive a full reward. Whoever transgresses and does not abide in the doctrine of Christ does not have God. He who abides in the doctrine of Christ has both the Father and the Son. If anyone comes to you and does not bring this doctrine, do not receive him into your house nor greet him; 2John7-10*

What was MANY then is legion today. More than anyone could count! In the System they have the upper hand. Those who Contend have fallen into the minority. So the

ancient warnings stand as a bright beacon and as our legacy in defending the faith. The early Saints understood that Many deceivers and Many anti-Christ's were gone into the world. (1Jh2:18, 4:1-3) They were not expecting 'one man' to come along and deceive the whole world. The 'thieves and robbers' Jesus told them about, who came to steal, kill and destroy, were the False Prophets of Revelation. Today they have given life to the Image that nearly the entire world has bowed to.

Of course, to the 'Deceivers', anyone who preaches the Truth is a deceiver. Deception wouldn't be known as Strong Delusion, in the Bible, unless the teachers of it were also under the same misconceptions. A person could not present something with passion and conviction they didn't believe themselves was the Truth. Consequently the Church Pastors under the delusion will zealously promote their own message and also try to hinder anyone who opposes them. Especially if it means 'exposing' them as the False teachers they are.

The True Saints are compelled by their own LOVE for Truth to defend it at all cost. Nothing is more evident of a Soul dead to God who has no sense of urgency in our times to combat the onslaught of false doctrines in the System today. This is NOT some kind of 'Special' calling or 'Gift', as many would have you think; That only a few partake of while the rest sit on the side lines and watch. This Command is directed to who follow and serve Christ. Read Jude again:

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The TRUTH delivered to the SAINTS! That was under attack. It has Nothing to do with the Gifts of the Spirit. (1Cor12:12-31) If you consider yourself a Saint, Redeemed by the blood of Christ, you are Duty bound to obey this command, and Judgment will be dispensed accordingly. Because THESE are the Deeds that count in your 'Patient Continuance' in doing good to inherit the Kingdom. Rom2:7-8. Get your head out of the clouds! Church activities are 'Dead Works', Rev3:1-3. Let the Dead bury the dead; Go and Preach the Kingdom of God! (Lk9:60)

Neglecting this responsibility is like going to war and then refusing to fight. If indeed you have Truly Repented, you're out of the System and lead by the Spirit of Truth, you're failure here will be your ultimate demise at the Judgment. A 'WORKS' Gospel you say....If you have not realized by now that Christ's Gospel is: STRIVE, OBEY, Count the Cost, Take up your Cross and FOLLOW ME, then you are still in Darkness and under the lie.

A False Teacher will always tell you to Judge Not because it safeguards him from examination. Anyone who Contends will quickly discover that these teachers and

pastors are very hesitant to answer a direct question about the Bible. Getting a clear explanation from them is nearly impossible. They love being vague and indirect in order to cloud the issues with more questions. Ask one of them: 'Does a person have to Stop sinning to receive Jesus or be saved' , a Simple 'Yes, or No' question. But they can't say 'Yes' because NO ONE can stop sinning, but they also can't or won't come right out and say 'No' (although some of them will if you keep pressing the issue)

No would mean that they argue in favor of sin (which of course they do) but they can't bluntly say it's ok to keep sinning. That would upset the apple cart in the church and he may as well start handing out license to everyone when they repeat after me. The Message must have a 'FORM' of godliness involved and at least a sense of morality conveyed. So you may hear something along the line of the person coming to Christ must be 'Willing' to stop sinning or have a 'Desire' to break his addictions. We covered this in the Repentance and Faith section. (go back and review it) You understand that a large percentage of the Church System today won't even mention the Word 'Repent' . They are the 'Faith alone' crowd that seems to rule the roost when it comes to delineating the theology of the masses. But a lot of local churches and Pastors, who read their books and commentaries, still preach a form of repentance to their congregations. Although, as we have previously pointed out, they collectively have it Backward of Scripture and explain that a person must first have the Holy Spirit before he can repent.

Nevertheless the likelihood of finding a Pastor who agrees with the Bible is almost nil. You will find them all over the map when it comes to discussing the Black and White of Scripture. Especially when it comes to the sin issue. Always remember that in their world 'No One' can ever stop sinning Before or After Salvation. So it's a Given that they will eventually resent your inquires and consider you an enemy of truth. Count the Cost now and don't be discouraged later when you're no longer welcome among them. This is all part of Contending for the Faith and MANY of our past Sainted Brethren gave their life's blood to do what we are doing with Paper and Ink, in the Name of Jesus.

### **Counterfeit Conversion:**

Why is the System filled with so many Pretenders who are confident they possess genuine Salvation although they admittedly sin all the time? What gives them such a strong sense of security in the face of such hypocrisy? Is it merely that there is strength in numbers or is the authority of the Pastors so convincing that he can't possibly be wrong? Probably a little of both, but more so it boils down to blissful ignorance. While the false doctrines are extremely persuasive, the human mind itself has an inane desire to take the path of least resistance.

No one wants to be wrong, Least of all when it comes to God and eternal life. The Spiritual aspect of this deception is such that it can easily lull someone to sleep and shut down the logical reasoning center of the brain. The Gospel becomes a 'Mystery',

that can't be explained in simple terms. As with the Magic Transfer they teach as imputation of Christ's obedience and righteousness to the sinner. You don't actually have to understand it, just TRUST it has happened by faith.....and what is faith.. But Trust. Doing something would mean you actually understand that it's your personal responsibility to Obey. So all the Commands directing you to this Obedience are merely vague reminders that Jesus fulfilled your obligation and took your place on the Cross.

Then you have the 'Mystery' of Substitution, another invention of man. It's the Provision of the Gospel and what makes Grace unmerited favor. Everything you believe is based on it. It provides you with the Name Christian, gives you access to the body of Christ (the church system!) eases your conscience and keeps you securely in your trance. Your mind is programmed to reject any inference from the Bible that contradicts your beliefs, even though you cannot state a valid objection that makes logical sense. Dissenters are always considered heretics, in the System. The Pastors have much too large a stake wrapped up in all this to risk allowing someone to come in and rock the boat. They are skilled in using the suspicions of the people in their favor.

Always remember these people in the System are Operating in the flesh, not the Spirit. They may be partially subdued in temperament but will lash out accordingly when you challenge the status quo. The good nature apparent among them is only a thin veneer over the fleshly desires. Together they are a happy group, satisfied that everyone is on their way to heaven. The Pastor's have a silver-tongue that can charm the crowd! But send in John the Baptist to expose their hypocrisy and they will have his head on a platter in no time.

The Nature of Religious Deception has not changed for thousands of years. Read the Prophets. Their warnings from God are as relevant today as when they were spoken the first time. People have not changed. They love their delusion and they will fight to keep it. Like the failed policies of Government that remain in place for generations because they fund a 'class' of people who benefit from them. It's no different in the Church System. Millions profit from the hoax and think they are on the winning side by supporting it. Yet in every case, the people trusted in the lying words of their false prophets until Judgment came down on their heads.

The false Message has removed all fear of Judgment from the land. People are confident that the 'Saved' will escape any coming tribulation. They have a Hollywood mentality concerning the end times, based on fictional myths and the Charlatans are cashing in on their ignorance. It's a circus atmosphere and it's getting more and more difficult to get their attention off the Party. The Scripture speaks extensively about the deep seated spiritual nature of these deceptions over the minds of men.

Peter calls them Destructive heresies that exploit you by deceptive words. 2Pet2:1-3

He said also that they Speak in great swelling words of emptiness. 2Pet2:18  
Paul said they would deceive the hearts of the simple. Rom16:18  
Jude wrote an entire Epistle about them!  
John warned of the Many Deceivers gone out into the world. 1John4:1

Their tentacles reach into every branch of our society. Like a 'Brood of Vipers' they have spread their deadly venom into the main-stream as a brain numbing neurotoxin that paralyzes the human mind into a state of slumber, blind to the truth! Truly the Prophets are still speaking to this generation:

*And in them the prophecy of Isaiah is fulfilled, which says: 'Hearing you will hear and shall not understand, And seeing you will see and not perceive; Matt13:14*

Could it be more obvious than this? Can you sit there and outright DENY the Plain warnings of Scripture and still insist you understand? The Churches are poor, blind and naked and THINK their good natured Pastors are leading them into the Light. The deception is rooted in your dispositions that pass among you as 'Christian'. Everyone can Pose as the real thing because their behavior fits perfectly into the System of Doctrine generally accepted as truth. So the Church elder, who has no practical knowledge of real Repentance, Faith and Salvation from sin, is considered a highly respected Pillar in the community. He's on hand for every activity, helps the Pastor when needed and knows the sinners prayer by heart. His heart is in the right place and all the old folks love him. He gives them all a confident assurance they're going home to heaven when they die. What they do with the Truth is of no consequence to him.

But God forbid one of these 'Pillars' suddenly Wake up and become overwhelmed with a deep sense of urgency for their lost wretched souls. That would be equivalent to Blaspheme and he would be considered an Apostate. Unless you fit into the MOLD your services are not welcome. In simple terms: 'You stick out like a sore thumb'. Such a Metaphor is used in Scripture:

*And through covetousness shall they with feigned words make merchandise of you:2Pet2:3*

This old KJV expression, 'Feigned words' means to: mold or form something out of clay. Just as someone of the Truth does not fit into the Mold, so those in the System are MOLDED to fit into the lie. They are no more than a Wax or Stone Image, all shiny and smooth on the outside, but empty within. A sober truth but would you rather let these people face impending doom or Warn them with all your strength!

### **The Purpose of Parables:**

A Paradigm is a Pattern of thought or behavior. Most people are stuck in one position or line of reasoning and unwilling to consider an alternative. We've all heard it said: 'Don't confuse me with the facts! My mind is made up!' Despite the evidence

they believe what they believe no matter what. Confound them with the Wisdom of logic, as our Master did any number of times, and they may concede the argument, but they will Never give up their position.

The Story of the Good Samaritan, Luke10:25-37, is a perfect example of this. The man who challenged Christ with the rhetorical question of 'Who is my neighbor', grudgingly had to concede to the obvious. But did he "Go and do likewise" There is no evidence that he did so. His question was merely a ploy to shape his own Paradigm. Much like: 'Do you sin?', 'Are you Perfect?' 'Can you Save yourself!'

Since Spiritual Matters make no sense to the Carnal mind, Christ used Parables or Stories that relate to the physical universe to convey His Truth to the Minds of men. But even this requires a radical shift in the thought process. Jesus often said of these things: '*He who has ears to hear let him hear*' (Matt13:9) What He means of course is let him: 'Hear, Perceive Comprehend and Receive it as Truth'. Reception of Light makes way for more light, then it becomes an abundance. , So why Parables.....

*He answered and said to them, "Because it has been given to you to know the mysteries of the kingdom of heaven, but to them it has not been given. For whoever has, to him more will be given, and he will have abundance; but whoever does not have, even what he has will be taken away from him. Matt13:11-12*

'Even what he has will be taken away' What did he have? Here's the answer: 'He HAD the Will and the Ability to Receive this Truth into his Mind, Obey it and Move on to further Truth!' His Paradigm rejects it instead and remains in his own narrow thought patterns. Eventually his own ability will be hindered by his initial unwillingness to yield. It was 'taken away' by the same universal truth he rejected. (Use it or Lose it!)

This is why those in the System have no functional use of the Parables. That's the point of Isaiah's Prophecy the Lord repeated in Matthew 13, directed toward the Religious Jews who thought they had the market cornered on truth. The System is no different. If they understood the Lord's Parables they would comprehend His Teaching. They would dismiss Substitution and adopt Ransom. They would understand the Deeds of Repentance and Faith and they would know that DOING what is Right makes you Righteous, Not some magic transfer.

In the Parables God freely forgives sin on virtue of repentance and faith proven by deeds. No Payment was demanded and no one had to suffer in another's place to appease Justice. Mercy was freely bestowed on the single SIMPLE Condition we have pointed out a hundred times so far! What other purpose is there to the Story of the Unforgiving Servant in Matt18:22-35, than to Demolish the myth that God demands some kind of Divine Justice to be meted out on His Son to extend His mercy to sinners.



**Simply:** The Servant owed a debt he could not possibly pay off---(Sin)  
He begged the Master (God) to be forgiven of this debt and given time to pay  
The Master had compassion on him (Mercy) and granted the reprieve  
The Servant went away but failed to extend the same compassion to his fellow  
servants on discovery of this, the Master rebuked the servant and withdrew His  
pardon

This DESTROYS the entire System of theology accepted in the churches for the last  
400 years! But it is 100% Consistent with the Ransom Model of Redemption. So  
WHO are the Real heretics? Those of us who Preach Repentance and Faith Proven by  
Deeds or YOU, who think Jesus had to Pay God for our Redemption? As before, the  
Parables are Lost to the Posers.

The Teaching of Jesus annihilates every tenet of Reformed Doctrine. NOTHING in  
His Parables even slightly supports the Notions of: Substitution, inbred sin, Moral  
Transfer, Sin forgiven in advance or eternal security. In every instance Deeds spell  
the difference between success and failure. As a Servant of God you use what He has  
provided to the best of your ability, multiply it and present it to Him at the  
Judgment. You are either rewarded with entrance into His Kingdom or Cast into  
Outer Darkness where there is weeping and gashing of teeth. (Matt24:45-51)

Whether it's use of the Talents, Minas, workers in the Vineyard, or keepers of the  
lamp, the lesson is the same. Only the Servants who performed their Duty and  
diligently prepared for the Master's Return were welcome into His Kingdom. The  
others lost everything, including their eternal souls. (Read the follow:  
Matt25:14-30, Lk19:11-27, Matt20:1-16, Matt25:1-12)

Now ask yourself the following questions:

Why wasn't the man who buried his talent Saved by Faith alone apart from his  
deeds?

Why did the Vineyard workers have to labor through the heat of the day, if Jesus  
was their Substitute?

Were the foolish Virgins not really Virgins at all and never had any oil?

And why is there always a price to pay for failed service if Jesus Paid it for you in  
advance?

The Commentary writers undermine the very foundation of Christ's Teaching! They  
insist that DOING is not associated with Justification by faith, But only related to  
relational issues. They simply DO NOT Believe what Jesus said and as a result the  
multitudes who follow them have also discarded MOST of the Bible.

Otherwise THIS would be the Gospel:

*"Not everyone who says to Me, 'Lord, Lord,' shall enter the kingdom of heaven, but he who  
does the will of My Father in heaven. Many will say to Me in that day, 'Lord, Lord, have we*

*not prophesied in Your name, cast out demons in Your name, and done many wonders in Your name?' And then I will declare to them, 'I never knew you; depart from Me, you who practice lawlessness!' Therefore whoever hears these sayings of Mine, and does them, I will liken him to a wise man who built his house on the rock: and the rain descended, the floods came, and the winds blew and beat on that house; and it did not fall, for it was founded on the rock. But everyone who hears these sayings of Mine, and does not do them, will be like a foolish man who built his house on the sand: and the rain descended, the floods came, and the winds blew and beat on that house; and it fell. And great was its fall." Matt7:21-27*

**AND DOES THEM!!!** Is this merely ink on paper to those in the church System? Can you Cast every Command out the windows because in your mind 'It's not of works!?' Professed Christians today may as well be atheists rather than follow a god who pampers their flesh! They've turned Christianity into a Popularity contest, with a bunch of self possessed comedians running around trying to amuse the flock. Women walk around like beauty queen debutants, no modesty or submission to God. They lord it over the men and compete for positions of authority. Most young people and children are rebellious and worldly like their parents. They know churchianity is a Joke, but still grow up deceived by the lies. The Pastors are like dumb dogs who have forgotten how to bark. Their Gospel is a weekly anecdote designed to keep you in your trance.

The Devil knows that you have been taken captive to do his will, 2Tim2:26, and he also knows that you DON'T Believe the Word of God! So your soul is up for grabs. You put more credence in the History Channel than what the Bible has to say. Your final authority is YOU! As you believe (think) so it is. God answers to you. When He tells you to DO something to enter His Kingdom, you tell Him "I DON'T have to!" You Build your house on the Sand and Mock Matt7:21-27. "I'll Build where I wish!" you say. Extreme arrogance, but you think by admitting you're a wretched sinner saved by grace, you're safe! Yet you will turn right around and accuse those who Preach Repentance and faith proven by deeds have no humility because they claim to have stopped sinning.

But Does Sin Glorify God or Harden the heart? Clearly sin is a bitter root that defiles the heart and sears the conscience. (Heb12:15, 1Tim4:1-2) The LAST thing it does is humble you. Repentance should do that.

### **Here's the Topper:**

***We know that whosoever is born of God sins not; but he that is begotten of God keeps himself, and that wicked one touches him not. 1John5:18***

Study this Passage. Look up the Greek Reference words in an online Lexicon. It is NOT saying that he who is Born of God does not 'Continue' in sin. (as though he does sin some of the time) That's how professed Christians in the System read it. But without question it says that whoever is Born of God DOES NOT SIN! In other

words, he is NOT sinning, although every Church Pastor under the sun says that he is sinning. Again, Solid evidence that those of you in the System DON'T believe the Word of God.

In the Bible a person truly Born of God is NOT: Fornicating, committing adultery, molesting, committing perverse sexual acts, addicted to pornography, a thief, liar, foul mouth, drunkard, full of malice and guile or possessed with vile dispositions. These may be common practice in your Church group, but according to the Bible anyone doing them is Disqualified from the Kingdom. (1Cor6:9-10, Gal5:19-21)

*And those who are Christ's have crucified the flesh with its passions and desires. Gal5:24*

*Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation; old things have passed away; behold, all things have become new. 2Cor5:17*

The Body of sin is Done away with, Rom6:6. So if you are in possession of the Holy Spirit and supposedly have all Power to overcome sin in God (who is going to magically change your desires) WHY do you continue to sin? Here's the Reason:

You have been instructed, in Christ (Born again) to use this Newness of life imparted to you by the Spirit of God, (Quickened, Acts3:19) to in a literal sense CRUCIFY the flesh with its passions and desires.

*Therefore do not let sin reign in your mortal body, that you should obey it in its lusts. And do not present your members as instruments of unrighteousness to sin, but present yourselves to God as being alive from the dead, and your members as instruments of righteousness to God. For sin shall not have dominion over you, for you are not under law but under grace. Rom6:12-14*

#### What will be expected to happen?

Sin Will Not Reign in your Mortal Body

You Will Not Present your members as instruments of unrighteousness

Sin Will no longer have Dominion over you!

Therefore DON'T tell me there is any such thing as Fornicating Christians, Porn watching Christians or any other such thing (as listed in the Scriptures) in Christ! It's a simple equation....YOU'VE Been LIED to! If you are still in the flesh, walking in the passion and desires of the flesh, under the dominion of sin, you are NONE of HIS! (Rom8:9) The FULL Authority of Scripture testifies against you. Any kind of fictitious assurance you may have is NOT coming from God, but your own deceived mind.

#### In the System you are taught the Exact Opposite of Romans 6:

Sin Continues to reign in your mortal body, because you are born a sinner!

You shouldn't sin, but you will.....all the time

You Remain a Slave to Sin, in the sense that you can never stop sinning, even with the Power of God

Many in the System are not outright reprobates (although some are) they have a form of godliness to the extent of good intentions and helpful pursuits. Church people are generally good natured friendly folk who will extend their hand to others in fellowship....as long as you don't challenge what they believe. What's disturbing among them is their barefaced disobedience to the Word of God, while they profess to Love Him and sing praises to His Name! It's frightening to see them die in their sins with no fear whatsoever of HIM who can cast both body and soul into Hell. (Matt10:28)

*"All day long I have stretched out My hands To a disobedient and gainsaying people. Rom10:21*

God's Mercy is longsuffering and extremely Patient, Rom2:4, but a Contrary People have abused His kindness. Although He is not willing any perish in their sin, He is also compelled to cut off those who oppose His Truth. (Rom11:22) The Deadly nature of our present day deception is that people THINK they have nothing to repent of, so all the admonitions in Scripture fall on deaf ears. You can't Repent of a Nature imbedded into your flesh, you must LEARN to live with it and that's exactly what the invented Doctrines teach you to do. There's nothing to encourage anyone to get clear of their sins, so they simply do not understand the necessity of breaking up the fallow ground to allow the Spirit to do His Work.

How can they Do something that is equal in their minds to: 'Saving themselves' ? It would violate everything they have been taught about the Gospel. The entire house of sand would come crashing down around them if they woke up to this lie. Of course with God '*All things are possible*' (Matt19:26) and some (the fewest of the few) do come out of this mess. No one person has the market cornered on Truth. Faith comes by hearing the Word. (Rom10:17) God rewards those who diligently seek Him. (Heb11:6) As He spoke through Moses in Deut30:15-19:

*"See, I have set before you today life and good, death and evil, in that I command you today to love the LORD your God, to walk in His ways, and to keep His commandments, His statutes, and His judgments, that you may live and multiply; and the LORD your God will bless you in the land which you go to possess. But if your heart turns away so that you do not hear, and are drawn away, and worship other gods and serve them, I announce to you today that you shall surely perish; you shall not prolong your days in the land which you cross over the Jordan to go in and possess. I call heaven and earth as witnesses today against you, that I have set before you life and death, blessing and cursing; therefore choose life, that both you and your descendants may live;*

Repeated in Rom10: 8-10:

*But what does it say? "The word is near you, in your mouth and in your heart" (that is, the word of faith which we preach): that if you confess with your mouth the Lord Jesus and believe in your heart that God has raised Him from the dead, you will be saved. For with the heart one believes unto righteousness, and with the mouth confession is made unto salvation. For the Scripture says, "Whoever believes (obeys Him) on Him will not be put to shame*

Thus the fault belongs to Man, not God. He has asked men to 'DO IT' .....DO what you Believe! But Man refutes Him....saying 'That would be works! We're saved by faith alone!' So although the Word is near and NOT a Mystery, it remains elusive and unattainable. They do Confess with their mouth (the sinners prayer) and believe in their heart (trust) BUT NEVER OBEY! (Rom6:16-17)

So the Present Day professing Christians are the Children of Israel going into Jordon (the Promise land) and expecting God to conquer the land for them while they sit back and watch. Kind of like a modern day amusement park ride through a virtual reality sound stage, where everything is Provided in the script and you just enjoy the journey. Nothing is real, but the Mind sees it as fact. The contrived Doctrines of Reformed theology are no different. They appear authentic, Bible based, as solid Truth; Backed up by scholarly teachers with massive credentials. Few can unravel the deception.

Jesus called them: 'Wolves in Sheep's clothing' (Matt7:15) Who you can KNOW by their Fruits! It's what they PRODUCE that exposes them! If the Apple is Rotten the tree is bad. Can you recognize rotten fruit? 'Do men gather grapes from thorn bushes' The False Teachers say they do! (I've heard them!) Are you so foolish that you will discard this simple Truth a child could understand? Your Pastors believe and preach a Doctrine of lies that boil down to getting saved in your sin and remaining a sinner! TEST them and Judge for yourselves. You're eating rotten apples!

### **Counting the Cost**

*For which of you, intending to build a tower, does not sit down first and count the cost, whether he has enough to finish it lest, after he has laid the foundation, and is not able to finish, Luke14:28-29*

John told the Saints not to believe every spirit, but TEST them and See if they are from God. (1Jh4:1-2) In his Day it was the Gnostics that denied Jesus had come in the flesh, as he points out. But in our time we have to ask (as our test) Would a spirit from God argue in favor of sin? This was always the test given by the Prophets against the false prophets.

*"I have not sent these prophets, yet they ran. I have not spoken to them, yet they prophesied. But if they had stood in My counsel, And had caused My people to hear My words, Then*

*they would have turned them from their evil way And from the evil of their doings. Jer23:21-22*

That's the TEST!! Do they TURN people from their evil ways and wrong doing? The COST of Preaching this message is great indeed. That's why Christ told us to COUNT the COST, because this would be our Message to a world wallowing in iniquity. The church Pastors are in La La Land when it comes to this. They haven't got a clue this is their mission to the people. Do you think the false Prophets in Jeremiah's time knew they were false? NO...they were convinced they were hearing from God! Just as your Pastors. They are certain that God has called them into the Ministry and set them on the right path. They preach their false doctrines with deep sincerity of heart and good intentions toward men. In their minds they are saving the world!

Consider Billy Graham (or any big name evangelist) he's preached to millions over generations and spread his message worldwide. His crusades were televised when I was a child and even then droves of people would respond to his invitation to be saved. Conservatively we would have to say that more than a hundred million people have been 'saved' under his ministry alone. (not counting all the others) Yet our Nation and our Planet continues to Wallow in sin! WHY hasn't God used His Power to stop them?

The answer is simple, TAKE the TEST! They are of a false spirit, exposed by the testimony of God's own Prophets. They are Wretched, Miserable, Poor, Blind and Naked....WORSE than Laodicea! They have fallen to the Depths of Satan and the Lamp stand has been removed a LONG time ago. They are collecting the ARMY of Perdition bowing to the Image....enough to Make Jesus Weep.

In the System there's no chance that the Real Gospel of count the cost will be heard. Jesus as man's Substitution removes the necessity to Strive or Dig Deep. (Lk6:48, 14:28) Since He did it all for you what remains? There is no sense of urgency involved. The Gospel consists of 'Repeat' after me and trust in the transfer. The idea of someone coming out of their sin is just not in their lexicon. They must excuse the people from taking up their Cross and that makes them converse of Christ, who Preached such Discipleship as the focal point of His Gospel.

*And he who does not take his cross and follow after Me is not worthy of Me. Matt10:38*

*Then Jesus said to His disciples, "If anyone desires to come after Me, let him deny himself, and take up his cross, and follow Me. Matt16:24*

*When He had called the people to Himself, with His disciples also, He said to them, "Whoever desires to come after Me, let him deny himself, and take up his cross, and follow Me. Mk8:34*

*Then Jesus, looking at him, loved him, and said to him, "One thing you lack: Go your way,*

*sell whatever you have and give to the poor, and you will have treasure in heaven; and come, take up the cross, and follow Me.” Mk10:21*

*Then He said to them all, “If anyone desires to come after Me, let him deny himself, and take up his cross daily, and follow Me. Luke9:23*

*And whoever does not bear his cross and come after Me cannot be My disciple. Lk14:27*

*Most assuredly, I say to you, unless a grain of wheat falls into the ground and dies, it remains alone; but if it dies, it produces much grain. He who loves his life will lose it, and he who hates his life in this world will keep it for eternal life. If anyone serves Me, let him follow Me; and where I am, there My servant will be also. If anyone serves Me, him My Father will honor. John12:24-26*

### **Worthy of Christ:**

What does the System do with all this? They make Discipleship an option and the Cost paid in advance. The self denial is explained away and being Worthy is not discussed. (except in the Bible that is) How many hundreds of times did Jesus say these things to the people during His earthly ministry? John says, at the end of his Gospel, that if all the things Jesus said and did were written down one by one there would not be enough books that should be written to contain it all. (John21:25) In spite of that the Pastors in the System would STILL find a way to Deny it all!

This Concept of being Worthy for the Kingdom is lost entirely to the Present day Church System. Yet it’s a constant theme in the Preaching of Christ....

*But Jesus said to him, “No one, having put his hand to the plow, and looking back, is fit for the kingdom of God.” Lk9:62*

He repeated this premise over and over again as the focal point of His Message. How many times must it be recorded by His Disciples before the so-called Church will obey it? The Reality is they simply Don’t believe it, like everything else we’ve been discussing. In Matthew10 alone Jesus stresses Worthiness for the Kingdom SEVEN times!

*Do not think that I came to bring peace on earth. I did not come to bring peace but a sword. For I have come to ‘set a man against his father, a daughter against her mother, and a daughter-in-law against her mother-in-law’; and ‘a man’s enemies will be those of his own household.’ He who loves father or mother more than Me is not worthy of Me. And he who loves son or daughter more than Me is not worthy of Me. And he who does not take his cross and follow after Me is not worthy of Me. Matt10:34-38*

In the System there is no possibility of Worthiness in any fashion whatsoever. As a depraved sinner a person can do nothing but sin, so any attempt toward becoming worthy would result in abject failure. No One is Worthy, nor could anyone ever

expect to be. Their only hope is trusting in the Substitution. Such things as the Passage above must be directed toward 'special' case Disciples whom Christ has called for some particular mission. Believers are acceptable to God and fit for the Kingdom NOT because they have Done anything to merit acceptability, but because they believe in Jesus.

Being Worthy however denotes 'One who has done something of merit' (Strong's G514) Since we can't merit God's favor by 'Works' of the law, Eph2:8-9, what does being Worthy of Christ mean? The Scripture says we must serve Him acceptably with reverence and godly fear, Heb12:28. Why? Because God is looking on the heart, (1Sam16:7) not necessarily the outside appearance. It's the heart of man that must be without guile or contrary motives. A Perfect heart, Matt5:48, is what God requires. Perfect in love toward HIM! Not Double-minded and Divided in loyalty. Man is surly capable of this kind of Worthiness. A heart devoted to God that will DO what He Says to do.

*But the LORD said to Samuel, "Do not look at his appearance or at his physical stature, because I have refused him. For the LORD does not see as man sees; for man looks at the outward appearance, but the LORD looks at the heart." 1Sam16:7*

Is the heart willing to Take up the Cross, Strive to enter the Narrow Gate, Dig Deep, Keep His Commandments? THIS is the Gospel of Christ...'*Forsake all that you have and come Follow Me!*' Substitution is just another excuse in the long list of excuses. Jesus has heard them all!

*And Jesus said to him, "Foxes have holes and birds of the air have nests, but the Son of Man has nowhere to lay His head. Then He said to another, "Follow Me." But he said, "Lord, let me first go and bury my father." Jesus said to him, "Let the dead bury their own dead, but you go and preach the kingdom of God." And another also said, "Lord, I will follow You, but let me first go and bid them farewell who are at my house." But Jesus said to him, "No one, having put his hand to the plow, and looking back, is fit for the kingdom of God." Lk9:58-62*

As the Church has asked to be excused, so that is not something new:

*Then He said to him, "A certain man gave a great supper and invited many, and sent his servant at supper time to say to those who were invited, 'Come, for all things are now ready.' But they all with one accord began to make excuses. The first said to him, 'I have bought a piece of ground, and I must go and see it. I ask you to have me excused.' And another said, 'I have bought five yoke of oxen, and I am going to test them. I ask you to have me excused.' Still another said, 'I have married a wife, and therefore I cannot come.' Lk14:16-20*

The attitude of people who do not want to Count the Cost is always reflected in this kind of disobedience to the Lord's commands. Understanding this concept of Christ's Gospel requires another major Paradigm shift in the thought process. Most



will Never understand the real Gospel and will place all their hopes in the myth of Substitution. But Jesus made it extremely clear WHO was Worthy of His Kingdom:

The Good and honest heart that hears and obeys. Luke8:15

The Good and faithful Servants. Matt25

The Returning Son ready to Serve the Father. Luke15

The Workers in the Vineyard who received their wages with gladness. Matt20

And all those who used their Talents wisely. Matt25

This perspective of the Bible is unknown to most Pastors who have swallowed the Chief of sinners and Romans wretch fallacies. Any worthiness could only be imputed by faith and it has nothing to do with performance. Yet the Apostle said the very OPPOSITE!

*I, therefore, the prisoner of the Lord, beseech you to walk worthy of the calling with which you were called, Eph4:1*

*that you may walk worthy of the Lord, fully pleasing Him, being fruitful in every good work and increasing in the knowledge of God; Col 1:10*

*that you would walk worthy of God who calls you into His own kingdom and glory. 1Thess2:12*

*which is manifest evidence of the righteous judgment of God, that you may be counted worthy of the kingdom of God, for which you also suffer; 2Thess1:5*

*Therefore we also pray always for you that our God would count you worthy of this calling, and fulfill all the good pleasure of His goodness and the work of faith with power, 2Thess1:11*

Ask yourselves: Is it Worthy and Pleasing to God to call yourself a wretched sinner with a wicked heart? Can you be Counted Worthy of His calling while sinning daily in thought, word and deed? In the end Who is found worthy?

*You have a few names even in Sardis who have not defiled their garments; and they shall walk with Me in white, for they are worthy. Rev3:4*

The Lord is not coming back for a defiled Bride committing adultery with the world. But a Chaste Virgin who has made herself Ready! Don't expect to be taken if you're the CHIEF of sinners! .

*Let us be glad and rejoice and give Him glory, for the marriage of the Lamb has come, and His wife has made herself ready." And to her it was granted to be arrayed in fine linen, clean and bright, for the fine linen is the righteous acts of the saints.Rev19:7-8*

All this probably sounds like a Different Gospel for those inside the Church System. Presenting it often brings accusations of being Beelzebub. But as we have already pointed out they called the Master Himself a Devil and a servant is not above his master. The fact remains that your Pastors are the blind leading the blind! Although it may be hard for you to accept, the only way you have any possibility of being Saved is to flee the influence of the System as fast as you can. Even then it will require a lengthily scrubbing of your mind of all the false teaching you have been subjected to for years on end. It certainly won't be an easy process to find Real Repentance and godly sorrow for all your sins. Pray that you're not Seared already!

Doctrines of Demons (which you have surely been under) have a strong tendency of numbing the conscience mind to the Conviction of the Holy Spirit and tricking it into believing that the 'impressions' you receive in Church are from God. People generally find what they are looking for in religious groups and the flavor that pleases them is definitely out there. But it's all founded on the same false premise that you can be Saved in your sins.

In our next section we will deal with what I will call: 'A Second Repentance', in light of the Hebrews 6 and 10 Passages so misunderstood by professing Christians. Perhaps we can shed some more light on your situation and pull you out of your snare. But until you cut yourself off from the Churches and all the present day teaching, confusion will rule your mind. You Must start from scratch and build anew.

## **Second Repentance**

*For God is not the author of confusion but of peace, as in all the churches of the saints. 1Cor14:33*

*Who is wise and understanding among you? Let him show by good conduct that his works are done in the meekness of wisdom. But if you have bitter envy and self-seeking in your hearts, do not boast and lie against the truth. This wisdom does not descend from above, but is earthly, sensual, demonic. For where envy and self-seeking exist, confusion and every evil thing are there. But the wisdom that is from above is first pure, then peaceable, gentle, willing to yield, full of mercy and good fruits, without partiality and without hypocrisy. Now the fruit of righteousness is sown in peace by those who make peace. James3:13-18*

In the Scriptures Confusion means 'instability, disorder' The opposite of godly wisdom from above. When everyone believes a variety of false doctrines of their own choosing there can be no order among the people, just confusion. It's important to maintain unity in order to edify one another in the faith.

*Now I plead with you, brethren, by the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, that you all speak the same thing, and that there be no divisions among you, but that you be perfectly joined together in the same mind and in the same judgment. 1Cor1:10*

Diverse opinions lead to division and further resentments. Such things do not descend from above, but is earthly and demonic. (as the passage says) How can anyone in the System arrive at a sound conclusion on the important matters of repentance and faith when they are not in unity with the Scriptures and poles apart with one another? Who will speak the same thing, proving to the world they are of the SAME Spirit? So in order to have peace and not confusion it's essential to begin from a solid point of origin. We discussed Biblical Repentance at the outset of this volume. If you have come this far you must understand by now that True Bible Repentance means Stopping your Sinning.

At the commencement of Christianity this was a given. The fornicator stopped fornicating. The adulterer stopped committing adultery. The thief made restitution and stole no more and so on. No one was brought into the fold or Baptized who was still sinning. We've shown what the Bible says on this subject, history of ancient times is also ripe with evidence quoted by the early Saints saying the same thing. Therefore when a person went through godly sorrow and Repentance, it was absolutely genuine. The likelihood of a fake conversion was far fetched.

However in the System this is reversed. Most people have Never Repented or been truly converted. But they are fully convinced otherwise. So the Repentance of Hebrews 6 and 10 has no real meaning to them because they have not done their first works. (Rev2:5) The Pastors can easily explain these passages out of the Bible altogether by concluding that the people spoken of here are either hypothetical cases or have never been saved to begin with. But again, this is under a System where Salvation can supposedly be had by repeating some words or imagining you've been declared righteous by faith.

However coming from the reality that these things were written to Saints who had Stopped Sinning in their first repentance and given to them as a dire warning that sinning against such knowledge of the Truth would place them in a very desperate situation with God. Therefore we are approaching this from 180 Degree perspective OUT of sync with the System. But for the Bible to harmonize with all it's other warnings and commands we have to change the viewpoint of our approach to Scripture. Otherwise confusion will rule and no Wisdom from above will be revealed.

We proceed from the viewpoint that this is written to the Early Saints, who had been exposed to the real Gospel and been genuinely converted through Repentance and Faith proven by deeds. (2Cor7:10-11) They were not exposed to a saved in sin message nor did they argue against the authority of scripture.

*Therefore, leaving the discussion of the elementary principles of Christ, let us go on to perfection, not laying again the foundation of repentance from dead works and of faith toward God, of the doctrine of baptisms, of laying on of hands, of resurrection of the dead, and of eternal judgment. And this we will do if God permits. For it is impossible for those who were once enlightened, and have tasted the heavenly gift, and have become partakers of the Holy*

*Spirit, and have tasted the good word of God and the powers of the age to come, if they fall away, to renew them again to repentance, since they crucify again for themselves the Son of God, and put Him to an open shame. For the earth which drinks in the rain that often comes upon it, and bears herbs useful for those by whom it is cultivated, receives blessing from God; but if it bears thorns and briers, it is rejected and near to being cursed, whose end is to be burned. Heb6:1-8*

How many people in the System who still have a conviction of conscience left in them have read this passage and suddenly come to realize they have sinned themselves past the point of no return? Without a doubt this is speaking to people who are 'in Christ'! Actually enlightened, tasted the heavenly gift, Partaker of the Holy Spirit and tasted the good Word of God. The Pastor theologians can dispute this all they please, but they HAVE to know that these things are Describing a Saved person!

Jesus TASTED death for every man, Heb2:9. We have become Partakers of the Holy Spirit, Heb3:14. We were illuminated in former days, Heb10:32. And Tasted the good Word of God, which we have received with meekness to the saving of the soul! James1:21-22. The ONLY reason the Preachers have to make giant leaps of assumption here is to protect their saved in sin doctrines. Otherwise they would have churches full of people in the awful state described here. They've told everyone they are saved in their sin and all is ok with God, and it's likely that any person asking questions about this passage has also ran across Heb10:26-31, reading it with great trepidations. Probably convinced they are one step away from the Pit for living such a phony, vile life and claiming to be a Christian.

*Heb10:26-31 For if we sin willfully after we have received the knowledge of the truth, there no longer remains a sacrifice for sins, but a certain fearful expectation of judgment, and fiery indignation which will devour the adversaries. Anyone who has rejected Moses' law dies without mercy on the testimony of two or three witnesses. Of how much worse punishment, do you suppose, will he be thought worthy who has trampled the Son of God underfoot, counted the blood of the covenant by which he was sanctified a common thing, and insulted the Spirit of grace? For we know Him who said, "Vengeance is Mine, I will repay," says the Lord. And again, "The LORD will judge His people." "It is a fearful thing to fall into the hands of the living God.*

It can be a very scary situation when real conviction bears down on the mind. 'Impossible' to renew them again to repentance! That resounds with finality. Couple that with Romans 1:18-32, where a person can be 'Given up' to a reprobate mind and given over to their vile passions and you have the 'sinning daily' people in a nutshell. They have ALL abused the Grace of God beyond its limits and mocked Him in the process by believing a lie. Surly they could cry out 'We have trampled the Son of God underfoot, Counted the blood of the covenant by which we were Sanctified a common thing and INSULTED the Spirit of Grace! The Worse punishment belongs to them.

Certainly this would be horribly true IF INDEED the person had genuinely repented to begin with, STOPPED Sinning, gotten Clear of their wrong doings and was actually a Spirit filled Child of God pure of heart and obedient to the Truth. THAT is who this Passage is addressing.....NOT a pack of hypocrites Living in all kinds of sin and excusing it as though God didn't care. A Second Repentance to the Saints could very well be 'impossible' under some circumstances, mainly because, like Judas, you have seen too much and gone too far astray. So he fell by transgression, Acts1:25, unable to repent again, but Peter found that second chance and was restored. (Luke22:31-34)

WHO Trampled the Blood? (a most serious offence since the person is treating the precious blood of Christ like that of an animal, unable to take away sin!) One who Betrays his Faith and turns on the Holy lamb of God! But you had to have KNOWN Him to betray Him and that's the deadly offense. In early times a person who fell again into sin after repentance was examined thoroughly and possibly given an opportunity for restoration. But it was truly with sackcloth and ashes and weeks if not months of mourning and crying out to God, Outside the congregation of the Brethren. If the person endured and did not lose heart in seeking to be restored he returned on probation with close accountability until it was certain he would not fall back into the error of the wicked.( A far cry from the sin repent, sin repent crowd)

Of course such a thing is unheard of in the System, where a re-dedication could serve as a second, third or even fourth repentance anytime the Evangelist comes to town; Since it has NOTHING to do with Stopping sin or getting clean inside or even considering the Hebrews Passages. And that's the reason everyone in the System either avoids these scriptures altogether or relies on some commentary writer to give them a candy coated explanation. Those of you concerned have to realize that a 'Second' Repentance does not include you, because you have NEVER Stopped sinning to begin with. Until that happens, in real godly sorrow and repentance, NONE of this can apply.

Surely you have sinned against the Spirit of Grace, trampled the Son of God under foot, insulted Him daily with your excuses! BUT you have NEVER been a PARTAKER of the Holy Spirit, nor were you ever Sanctified by the Blood of the covenant. You've sinned with impunity, yes (an awful offense!) but you have NOT counted the blood of no effect because it was never applied. If it had been applied you would have experienced true Purity of heart and release from the corrupting influence of sin. (Heb9:14)

*How much more shall the blood of Christ, who through the eternal Spirit offered Himself without spot to God, cleanse your conscience from dead works(sin) to serve the living God?*

You're still doing 'Dead works', debating the elementary principles of Christ; Discussing the fallacies of Substitution, Moral transfer, rewards and eternal security.

It is a dangerous position to be in? Most Certainly! Deception is always precarious. The further you go into your delusions the less likely it is you will ever truly repent. But don't for one minute THINK that Heb6:6 is saying that you can't repent because you blew all your chances already! It is saying that a True Saint in this situation may indeed have gone too far and become like verse 8 says: a barren ground of thorns and briars whose end is to be burned. The word used here is 'Reprobate' meaning Castaway, disqualified, as used in 1Cor9:27

*But I keep under my body, and bring it into subjection: lest that by any means, when I have preached to others, I myself should be a castaway.(reprobate)*

The possibility exists, so the warnings. But those of you from the System, who may be waking up to the truth, need to approach this in a fresh light. The first thing you need is to overcome is any confidence that may remain in your mind that you were 'Saved' in the System, while still in your sins. This has to go before there's any chance of beginning a season of godly sorrow that could lead to real repentance. With it will go the false Pride and earthly confusion keeping you in bondage to the lies. Unless you divorce yourself entirely from the System and all its ways, the Double-mindedness will remain and you'll find a way to convince yourself that you were saved under their ministry and that all this is highly questionable. You're coming from a standpoint of 'Strong Delusion' (2Thess2:10) that came about mainly because you Do Not LOVE the Truth!

Simplicity is in Christ, 2Cor11:3 *But I fear, lest somehow, as the serpent deceived Eve by his craftiness, so your minds may be corrupted from the simplicity that is in Christ.*

In the System you have received a Different Gospel (as this passage goes on to say) and you've learned to love it instead of the truth. Your own Ministers are the false teachers and deceitful workers who have been transformed into ministers of righteousness. (2Cor11:13-14) They are tools in the hands of Satan to spread the lies. Oblivious yes....but destructive nonetheless. Even the best of intentions can be of no value to God, (1Cor13:1-6) People need to hear the Truth not more fairy tales! The Strongholds must come down. First in your own Mind and then you can reach out to others.

Some in the System may have reached the point of no return and gone completely reprobate. Their conscience is seared against any conviction. It's Impossible for them to Repent (not because they have previously done so and fallen away) but because they see NOTHING to Repent of. The Sin Gospel is so common to them they're willing to take it with them to the Judgment. The sad part is they are taking so many others with them in the process.

A season of true conviction or crisis of conviction is a delicate process. The Holy Spirit is gently probing into the mind shining the light of truth, cautiously maintaining man's free will ability to choose while showing him the error of his

ways. The LAST thing a person in this condition needs is someone giving them false assurance that they are saved already and just doesn't know it yet. That would end the sorrow forthright. The danger of this happening in the System is quite real. Most Pastors have never seen a real conversion take place. They think it consists of an altar call and repeating a few words in worldly sorrow. If someone comes to them under real conviction, seeking a genuine clearing, they will immediately quell the situation by confirming their Salvation and trying to get them involved in some support group aimed at their particular addiction. For most of them that will be the end of it and they will settle into the usual church routine and learn to cope with their sins.

At Present the most dangerous place you can be is in a Church under the influence of their teaching whether you understand it all or not, there is no Redemption for your soul in there. You must not fall prey to their False promises and great swelling words of emptiness. They have nothing of eternal value to bestow on anyone. Their lies make the heart of the righteous sad, the scripture says, Ezk13:22. Is your heart made sad as you sit there and take it all in and see the people wallowing in their sin? If it's not you have better closely examine yourself in light of the truth, for perhaps you have gone numb.

*Examine yourselves as to whether you are in the faith. Test yourselves. Do you not know yourselves that Jesus Christ is in you? — unless indeed you are disqualified. 2Cor13:5*

Can anyone afford to assume they are Saved because some Preacher says so? The Real question is do you PASS the Test! Such is the definition of Examining yourself, it's a testing of the quality of your faith. Often used in Scripture for Temptation: Abraham was *Tried* when he offered up Isaac, Heb11:17  
The Martyred Saints also *Tested* in death, Heb11:37  
Jesus Himself was *tried* and tested, Heb2:18  
The Children of Israel were *tempted* and failed, 1Cor10:9

All were TESTS to examine the merit of professed Faith. Some passed, many were 'disqualified'. The vast majority of these in the System are oblivious to this test. It does not fit into their Gospel. Speaking of merit and achievement is classified as 'Works'. The end or outcome of their faith is secured in Christ. But they lack any Real evidence of true light in their souls. To them their profession of religion is just another dimension of the fallacy. It has nothing to do with putting to death the passions and desires of the flesh or walking in the Spirit. (Gal5:24, Rom8:1-4)

*In this you greatly rejoice, though now for a little while, if need be, you have been grieved by various trials, that the genuineness of your faith, being much more precious than gold that perishes, though it is tested by fire, may be found to praise, honor, and glory at the revelation of Jesus Christ, whom having not seen you love. Though now you do not see Him, yet believing, you rejoice with joy inexpressible and full of glory, receiving the end of your faith—the salvation of your souls. 1Pet1:6-9*

The outcome of any Test should be manifest in Obedience to the Truth, not some worldly trial that adds nothing to the Purity of your faith. Everyone faces worldly trials in life, some more than others, but the question remains (if you are a real Christian) will you OBEY God. Most don't even take this into consideration. They think taking up their cross is putting up with their annoying relatives. Not being a good faithful Servant who contends earnestly for the faith and Walks in Truth.

One final remark about a Second Repentance; we have clearly drawn the distinction between a genuine conversion in which the sin stops in repentance and counterfeit version going on in the Churches. Those of you who have imagined your Salvation under this mess are facing your FIRST WORKS of repentance and faith proven by deeds. The impossibility spoken of in these passages applies only to true Saints who have betrayed their Lord and face a real possibility of final ruin. Hope for them is fading away, but for you in the System it does remain....IF the scales will come off your eyes before it's too late.

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### **To be Carnally Minded is Death!**

*For to be carnally minded is death, but to be spiritually minded is life and peace. Rom8:6*

In the System this concept is presented as a Choice. The Convert can either Walk in the Spirit or in the Flesh or Both. The consequence of the choice affects your relationship with God, NOT the outcome of your Salvation. Death could only apply to those who were never saved to begin with. The Pastors are never going to tell anyone that their Double-minded ways separate them from God. In the Churches there is no Black or White, Good or evil, only shades of Gray on a sliding scale. So a person can be Carnally minded and labeled as a 'carnal' Christian who slips in and out of the Light.

In the Bible however darkness and light cannot coexist. Beginning again with the Teaching of Christ:

*"The lamp of the body is the eye. If therefore your eye is good, your whole body will be full of light. But if your eye is bad, your whole body will be full of darkness. If therefore the light that is in you is darkness, how great is that darkness! Matt6:22-23*

Here Christ is crystal clear: Either the Eye is good and full of light or bad and full of darkness. There is no in-between. Unless the lust of the Eye is 'Plucked out' (Matt5:29) and Crucified with Christ, (Gal5:24) the Light of God is NOT in you.



*Do not love the world or the things in the world. If anyone loves the world, the love of the Father is not in him. For all that is in the world—the lust of the flesh, the lust of the eyes, and the pride of life—is not of the Father but is of the world. And the world is passing away, and the lust of it; but he who does the will of God abides forever. 1John2:15-17*

You cannot have a relationship with the World (as a carnal Christian) and be of God. The Pastors say otherwise because of the fallacy of original sin. Under their teaching (contrary to Christ) you were born a sinner and remain inbred with a corrupted nature that makes sin inevitable. However in the Bible the consequences of walking in the flesh are dire, because these warnings are written from the perspective of genuine repentance and faith. The old man WAS Crucified with Christ that the body of sin might be done away with, Rom6:6, is not a Provision, but a Reality. The real convert has been brought from Darkness to Light from the power of Satan to God! (Acts26:18)

Romans 8:13 Says: *For if you live according to the flesh you will die; but if by the Spirit you put to death the deeds of the body, you will live.*

The Early Christians were taught that there is a Way of Life and a Way of Death. (Apostolic fathers, Didache 1:1) Directly inline with what they had been taught by the Apostles. The Way of Death, in the Scriptures, meant eternal loss to the soul. So if you lived in such a manner as serving the passions and desires of the flesh, with ASSURITY you were NOT going to enter the Kingdom! Converts were not given the excuse of an inbred sin nature. If they were in Christ the eye was Single, not roving after things of the world. The Whole body was full of Light!

#### Let's Contrast the fallacies of men Compared to the Bible:

##### In the Bible:

The Double-Minded receives nothing from God, James1:8

You Can't serve two Masters, Matt6:24

You cannot walk in the flesh and Spirit at the same time, Rom8:6, 13

Darkness and Light cannot coexist, Matt6:23, 2Cor6:14

##### In the Church:

Everyone is double-minded serving various passions of their flesh

They are Serving several masters or addictions

It's your choice how to walk

The Eye is bad and full of darkness

Can you see the conflict? In the System everything is questionable, including the vile acts listed in 1Cor6:9-10, Gal5:19-21. The Bible says unmistakably: 'Let no one Deceive you with empty words---IF you Do these things you will not inherit the Kingdom!'

But again what does your Pastor say? Knowing that the people in his church walking and living in the flesh will indeed commit these sins, he gives them assurance that if they are done 'OCCASIONALLY', Not as a common practice or habitual life style, God will extend His Mercy because of the weakness of the flesh. Thus all the support groups, books and CD's available for purchase.

Think about what this means. It is commonly taught that such sins as fornication, adultery, homosexuality and even molestation exist among Professing Christians and are considered 'Mistakes'. NOT Sins that will immediately disqualify a person from the Kingdom! Since it is also thought that driving over the speed limit is as bad as any of these things, HOW could a single act of sin disqualify anyone from the Kingdom? It sounds reasonable to them given that everyone sins all the time and if this were so (that you could be disqualified for one sin) NO ONE would be Saved.

Once more the Bible is on its head in outright contradiction! Simply because the founding Premise of Reformed Doctrine is derived from the Pagan teaching of the Dual Nature of man. At best he can be ever moving toward the Light, but always hindered by the malady dwelling within him. So the Scriptures have to be re-defined in order to Justify the carnality, instead of Crucifying it once and for all in Christ.

We've shown that not all sin is the same and walking in Perfection does not mean a person never makes a mistake. However in the Bible certain conduct is not named among true Saints:

*But fornication and all uncleanness or covetousness, let it not even be named among you, as is fitting for saints; neither filthiness, nor foolish talking, nor coarse jesting, which are not fitting, but rather giving of thanks. For this you know, that no fornicator, unclean person, nor covetous man, who is an idolater, has any inheritance in the kingdom of Christ and God. Let no one deceive you with empty words, for because of these things the wrath of God comes upon the sons of disobedience. Therefore do not be partakers with them. Eph5:3-7*

In other words Carnality is not acceptable in Christ. The behavior common in the Churches, filthiness, foolish talking and coarse jesting, taken for granted, PROVE they are not FIT for the Kingdom. But who will tell them? Not the Pastors, they love to tell their funny little stories and keep things on the lighter side. The atmosphere in most churches is ripe with excess and no one gives it a second thought. It's mostly fun and games of a 'religious' nature, with the appearance of piety. The people love it because no demands are made against their dubious behavior.

Why are professing Christians so indifferent to all these things? Because their Gospel is retroactive!

*But God demonstrates His own love toward us, in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us. Rom5:8*

Since Christ died for the Past, Present and Future sins of mankind (from the foundation of the world!) Man is automatically reconciled to God by proxy. So 'Faith alone' (or trusting in this arrangement) equals eternal Salvation. Christ was Born, lived, Died and Rose again, now man can live forever more and that's the Gospel. Although none of this takes into consideration HOW man can be Reconciled to God.

Remember, in the System you're born a sinner and remain one until you die. Therefore Christ had to die (or take your place on the Cross) while you were still in sin.....Before and AFTER you are saved. That's how they see it and Preach it. Just how it all takes place remains a mystery, thus the 'trust' factor.

While it's true Christ died for us, but on our 'Behalf', NOT in our place. (we pointed this out previously) There is nothing automatically bestowed upon man by virtue of His death and resurrection. Because of what He did man can now 'Be Reconciled to God' (2Cor5:20) Through Repentance and Faith Proven by Deeds. (Acts26:18-21) That's the part they are leaving out and in doing so no one can be Reconciled to God. The Wicked never forsakes his ways, neither does the sinner ever get Clear of his wrong doings. BOTH directed so in Scripture, BEFORE Pardon can be granted. But they fail to see it and continue in their deception.

Accordingly they see Rom8:1-4 as Promising no further Condemnation for those in Christ, Period! The Condition of Walking in the Spirit or the flesh is a side issue. The overall truth is eternal salvation whether you serve the flesh or spirit. So the Righteous requirements of the law, Established in faith (according to the Scriptures, Rom3:31, 8:4) are fulfilled in Christ, in whom you 'Trust' as your everlasting Substitute. Yet the Passage clearly says that the Requirements are fulfilled in us, not in Christ:

*There is therefore now no condemnation to those who are in Christ Jesus, who do not walk according to the flesh, but according to the Spirit. For the law of the Spirit of life in Christ Jesus has made me free from the law of sin and death. For what the law could not do in that it was weak through the flesh, God did by sending His own Son in the likeness of sinful flesh, on account of sin: He condemned sin in the flesh, that the righteous requirement of the law might be fulfilled in us who do not walk according to the flesh but according to the Spirit.*  
Rom8:1-4

Again the System is coming up short on real Salvation. They have God Reconciling Himself with man's sinfulness and then offering him a free ride. But in reality if the Conditions of reconciliation are not met by man he will experience death. (Rom8:13) As a Note here we are compelled to mention that the KJV of the Bible excludes the sentence you find in verse one, written in italics in most other translations that states: *'If you do not walk according to the flesh, but according to the Spirit'*

This is because the KJV Version omits the sentence due to its bases on the Textus Receptus. The NKJV, which includes the sentence, relies on what we call the

Majority Text, meaning a variety of Greek manuscripts discovered throughout history assisting in the translation of the New Testament. The actual sentence, as you can see, is repeated in Verse Four and was probably added to verse One by a scribe somewhere along the line kind of like a 'Ditto'. Evidence shows also that many of the very early Saints quoted from this passage, including the condition of walking in the Spirit and not the flesh. Obviously this is how it was understood in early times even before we had a New Testament Cannon.

Here is an early quote from a man named Basil, 379AD:

'And after he has developed more fully the idea that it is impossible for one who is in the power of sin to serve the Lord, he plainly states who is that redeems us from such a tyrannical dominion in the words 'Unhappy man that I am' who shall deliver me from the body of this death? I give thanks to God through Jesus Christ, our Lord.' Further on he adds, *'There is now therefore no condemnation to them who are in Christ Jesus, who walk not according to the flesh.'*

Any honest heart can see that the Preachers who defend people still walking and serving their flesh, calling them Christians and giving them assurance of the Kingdom, are NOT doing them any favors! They are not only violating the simplicity of the text but negating God's eternal principle of reaping what you sow. (Gal6:7-9) The Scripture says that the Carnal mind is enmity with God, Rom8:7, it cannot be subject to God or be in any kind of agreement with Him. But the System sets up programs to pamper it and attempts to harness in its passions. It simply cannot be done. The Lust of the eye, flesh and pride of life must be put to death once and for all! Crucified with Christ.

Often it will require a season of godly sorrow in which the penitent seeks in humble brokenness to be cleared of their wrong doings. As he lays aside all filthiness and overflow of wickedness, preparing his heart to receive the implanted Word that can save his soul, (James1:21) he can come through his crisis victoriously and actually receive the Holy Spirit of God into his Purified Soul. But this takes too much time and effort for the Churches to jump aboard. They work within a strict timeframe and pressing schedule of events. No one (especially the pastors) has the time or inclination to kneel with someone in this condition and bring them through to the victory. Would they even know how to recognize real godly sorrow in the first place without grieving away the Spirit?

The Salvation prayer(sinners prayer) streamlines the process to fit within their timetable and it can be done with much sincerity and even tears offering the person some feeling of relief. But it's all in Vain until the person actually comes out of their sins and is Purged by the blood. (Heb9:14) Then no one will have to tell them they are Saved, they will TELL YOU how glorious it is to come out of their Darkness into the Light and from the Power of Satan to God! With the Standards so low in the System and the Pastors unable to discern the Spirit of Truth the majority of the people are already considered Saved. So the kind of Conviction required to bring on

a real godly sorrow for sin is impossible. A person may be persuaded to re-commit themselves during an emotional hyped service, but how can they Repent of their Nature?

Remember to the System everything is sin, the natural conclusion is that you are nothing but a huge lump of sin, filthy to the core. You became this lump at birth, not by any Choice you made. Consequently what you are is not your fault since you had nothing to do with being born. The suggestion of getting 'Clear' (2Cor7:11) of all your wrong doings is like asking a leopard to change his spots! That's the way people in the System see their sin, as a malady inbred into them. The drunkenness, adultery, fornications, perversion, all the filthiness of the flesh is part of their evil disposition. Attempts may be made toward improvement through association with some support groups, but total eradication is unattainable. Thus there can be no real repentance.

Over and above this is the fact that those ensnared by these fallacies are Programmed unconsciously to attack anyone who has Genuinely repented and stopped sinning, calling them liars and heretics. In essence the System has erected a Wall of Resistance against the Truth and like any Stronghold it can become impenetrable from assault. The Pastors can proclaim: 'We are Clothed in the Righteousness of Christ!' ....with NOTHING to support it in the pages of Scripture, but because it sounds reasonable according to their doctrines, everyone buys it as the perfect cloak to cover their sinfulness. Hence their fate is sealed and locked tight inside the Matrix.

*The Lord is Calling you OUT of the System, not in it!*

*Do not be unequally yoked together with unbelievers. For what fellowship has righteousness with lawlessness? And what communion has light with darkness? And what accord has Christ with Belial? Or what part has a believer with an unbeliever? And what agreement has the temple of God with idols? For you are the temple of the living God. As God has said: I will dwell in them And walk among them. I will be their God, And they shall be My people. Therefore Come out from among them And be separate, says the Lord. Do not touch what is unclean, And I will receive you. I will be a Father to you, And you shall be My sons and daughters ,Says the LORD Almighty. 2Cor6:14-18*

The Carnal Mind Clothed with the Righteousness of Christ:

This fallacy begins with the absolute Perfection of Christ, that you can Never attain or hope to attain. God requires this Perfection in His Kingdom. So from the start you're a dead duck since all your righteousness is as filthy rags in His sight. (Isa64:6) Straw man in place!

Next you're presented with the hope that if you confess your sinfulness and then trust in Christ, God will transfer His Perfect Righteousness to you by faith. Now

although you remain dirty and defiled inside, God sees only Christ, Clean and Pure. Your heart is still desperately wicked, (Jer17:9-10) and your best works are like rubbish, but your Clothed. Again, sounds reasonable, if indeed it's true you're born in sin.

However if you're wrong, your certain to be hanging out to dry at the Judgment. Take a moment to look up the word Clothed. NO WHERE in the Bible can you find it associated with being Clothed in Christ. The very idea is an illusion. Faith is imputed as Righteousness not Christ. (Rom4:3-19) The real Straw man is supposing you can be Righteous while you remain wicked to the core. It's he who DOES what is Right that's Righteous, 1John3:8. But you will NEVER hear your Pastors tell you this because doing anything is considered works and wouldn't be acceptable to God anyway.

This is how a Myth becomes a reality in the minds of the people. The Bible simply DOES NOT teach that the Righteousness or the Obedience of Christ is imputed to you when you're Justified by faith. But everyone in the System accepts it as a Central truth of the Gospel; and built on layers of deception its keeps the truth hidden from their sight. Accepting anything less than the Perfect righteousness of Christ as their cloak is preaching sinless perfection with the ability to 'Save' yourself. The imputation means you can 'come as you are' and be fully received into the family of God. That's what makes the 'sinners prayer' so captivating and the number one method of Evangelism in the world today.

Although NONE of these things can be found anywhere in the Bible, they serve as the principal tools of every ministry out there without exception! From the largest stadiums in the Western world to the smallest villages of China, India and even Africa, the prime objective of the Gospel is imputation by Trusting in Christ which generally involves repeating some words in the form of a prayer. Statistically using these methods has achieved the greatest success in the history of the Church according to the numbers of supposed responders. But in Light of complying with Jeremiah 23:21-22, TURING people from their evil ways and the evil of their doings, it is an Absolute failure and a stench in the nostrils of God.

Carnality Clothed is another Gospel. (Gal1:6-8) It Negates repentance and discards obedience. The Sin question is removed entirely and the Gospel becomes a Package instead of a Person. Here it is in a nut shell, spoken from the Wolves own mouth:

You are already forgiven!

Where was the Sin question settled? Calvary (Paid in full)

What was the Verdict? Guilty!

What was the Penalty? Death. Rom6:23

Who took it in our place? Christ

How much of it? ALL of it!

What is there for us to do? BELIEVE!

Your sins are forgiven Past, Present and Future, only unbelief will exclude you.

As you can see this sums up the saved in sin message and covers the mythical imputation. Regrettably it is unanimously accepted world wide as the Gospel of Jesus Christ. The Scandal of Pre-forgiveness is a key feature in the minds of professed Christians today. It's like telling a child that whatever they do, no matter how bad it is that Mommy & Daddy won't hold them accountable for anything.

Imagine the code of moral values someone in this mindset lives by. Could you trust them to deal honestly with anyone? Why do you think potential Church Pastors take classes in ethics....because they have to learn the manipulation methods! (since no one has any ethics to begin with) If they were preaching real repentance and faith and turning people from their evil ways the morals would take care of themselves. Now you have to practically jump through hoops to get any of these pastors to even talk about sin. It's not included in their Gospel plan!

Under their System a Person can be: '*Such were some of you*' 1Cor6:11....Washed, Sanctified and Justified in the Name of Lord Jesus; while they are still doing the things listed in the Previous Passages, 1Cor6:9-10. Therefore:

You can be Washed but Still Dirty  
Sanctified but still Defiled  
Justified in a State of Sin!

*You are already clean because of the word which I have spoken to you. John15:3*

How does the WORD make you Clean? By OBEDIENCE to the Truth! 1Pet1:22. Therefore you lay aside all filthiness and overflow of wickedness and RECEIVE with meekness the implanted WORD that is able to SAVE your Soul! James1:21.

How is this EVER going to happen under the Pre-forgiveness message? Can you Receive the implanted Word while you remain filthy and wicked? The Passage says you CAN'T. But every Pastor alive today says you can! WHY have they Changed the Word of God??? (why have you bought it?)

*Let God be true and every man a liar!' Rom3:4*

This is reason all the Pastors are saying that a practicing Child Molester, fornicator, adulterer can be 'Saved' in their sins! Just ask them if you don't believe me. We have over a thousand email responses from Pastors and Churches worldwide favoring the saved in sin message. (and more coming in all the time!) It seems like no one out there today understands this simple concept written so clearly in the Bible, that you MUST cease from you vile behavior BEFORE God can Pardon you! Read it again:

*Wash yourselves, make yourselves clean; Put away the evil of your doings from before My eyes. Cease to do evil, Learn to do good; Seek justice, Rebuke the oppressor; Defend the fatherless, Plead for the widow. Come now, and let us reason together, Says the LORD, Though your sins are like scarlet, They shall be as white as snow; Though they are red like crimson, They shall be as wool. If you are willing and obedient, You shall eat the good of the land; But if you refuse and rebel, You shall be devoured by the sword; For the mouth of the LORD has spoken. Isaiah 1:16-20*

What does the Lord have to do? Knock down the doors of your churches and shout these Words from the Pulpit Himself before you will believe it? Why is almost every professed Christian we encounter under the Same delusion? Even those who preach some form of Repentance still refuse to give man the ability to stop sinning before they have the Spirit. YET as a truth people have testified of their personal efforts in actually stopping certain addictions who have nothing to do with God or His Spirit. Many who practice Islam have come out of alcoholism, drugs, sexual addictions and more by following Allah. Would any professed Christian in the Church say that the Holy Spirit helped them? (I doubt it)

The Bible also speaks of the human capability to 'Clean' house without the Spirit. Matt12:43-45, The evil spirit is expelled and the house is Swept and put in order. When it returns however it finds the house EMPTY, although cleaned up, so it re-occupies the house with many of its cohorts! Such is the exact testimony of MANY who Cleaned up their act, but didn't actually Repent to Receive the Spirit. The issue here is ability. Man can indeed make himself clean and put away the evil of his doings.

But he also needs the 'Refreshing' of the Spirit. (Acts3:19) The Quickening of his mortal body, (Rom8:11) and this can only be done by the Purging of Christ's Precious Blood to Purify the heart of sin and cleanse the conscience from dead works! (Heb9;14)

Exactly how this happens is the Redemption Process God has put forth. When man Reverses it to the Saved in Sin method the Holy Spirit is NOT present. That's why it's so critical to get Repentance and Faith right and keep it undefiled from the invented theologies of men. In the universal delusion of our day the most devastating factor is that the people under it really do THINK they are Saved! Therefore they have blocked all the in-roads of their minds against the Truth. So 'Reasoning together' is out of the question. Thus there is no other way for God to *come together* with man, Isa1:18.

This appears to be a common problem among deluded humans. When God asks man to stop sinning, man accuses Him of being unfair.,Ezk18:19-32. But HE settles the question once and for all:

*Yet you say, 'Why should the son not bear the guilt of the father?' Because the son has done*



*what is lawful and right, and has kept all My statutes and observed them, he shall surely live. The soul who sins shall die. The son shall not bear the guilt of the father, nor the father bear the guilt of the son. The righteousness of the righteous shall be upon himself, and the wickedness of the wicked shall be upon himself.*

*But if a wicked man turns from all his sins which he has committed, keeps all My statutes, and does what is lawful and right, he shall surely live; he shall not die. None of the transgressions which he has committed shall be remembered against him; because of the righteousness which he has done, he shall live. Do I have any pleasure at all that the wicked should die?" says the Lord GOD, "and not that he should turn from his ways and live?*

*But when a righteous man turns away from his righteousness and commits iniquity, and does according to all the abominations that the wicked man does, shall he live? All the righteousness which he has done shall not be remembered; because of the unfaithfulness of which he is guilty and the sin which he has committed, because of them he shall die.*

*Yet you say, 'The way of the Lord is not fair.' Hear now, O house of Israel, is it not My way which is fair, and your ways which are not fair? When a righteous man turns away from his righteousness, commits iniquity, and dies in it, it is because of the iniquity which he has done that he dies. Again, when a wicked man turns away from the wickedness which he committed, and does what is lawful and right, he preserves himself alive. Because he considers and turns away from all the transgressions which he committed, he shall surely live; he shall not die. Yet the house of Israel says, 'The way of the Lord is not fair.' O house of Israel, is it not My ways which are fair, and your ways which are not fair?*

*Therefore I will judge you, O house of Israel, every one according to his ways," says the Lord GOD. "Repent, and turn from all your transgressions, so that iniquity will not be your ruin. Cast away from you all the transgressions which you have committed, and get yourselves a new heart and a new spirit. For why should you die, O house of Israel? For I have no pleasure in the death of one who dies," says the Lord GOD. "Therefore turn and live!"*

Turn and live, The eternal Message from above! But man insists he can live and NOT turn and God will turn him later. But this could only be spoken to a being that has the ability to comply or refuse. Just as it is stated in the Ezekiel passage; The Wicked man turns from his evil ways, he lives, he turns back to them again, he dies. The same is true of the Righteous, turn from doing what is Right, Die, Continue to do good and live. What could be more equitable to the mind of man?

So why does everyone in the System still think you can get Saved in your sins? By now, as a reader, you should be able to list a number of reasons all based on the fallacy of inbred sin. But Ability is the real culprit in this discussion. God has given man full ability to Choose between right or wrong, and man has taken it away in favor of excusing his wrong doing. Beyond that there's no point of origin for the discussion to begin. To man every argument returns to the same premise, 'you're

saved in your sins!' To God it's COME OUT of your sins or you will Never be Saved. Opposite ends of the spectrum.

### **STRIVE to enter through the Narrow Gate!**

*Strive (agonize) to enter through the narrow gate, for many, I say to you, will seek to enter and will not be able. Luke13:24*

Here is the Gospel of Jesus Christ you will NEVER hear Preached in your Churches Easter morning or any other day. STRIVE....Make Every effort to the point of agony....*agōnizomai* (Strong's G75) Has your Pastors ever told you this; That the Righteous are Saved with Great Difficulty! 1Pet4::18. That NOT everyone who says Lord, Lord will enter the Kingdom of Heaven, Matt7:21-23. That only a FEW will be able to find it!

*Enter by the narrow gate; for wide is the gate and broad is the way that leads to destruction, and there are many who go in by it. Because narrow is the gate and difficult is the way which leads to life, and there are few who find it. Matt7:13-14*

Wouldn't it be better to understand now that the Way to life is Narrow and Difficult and requires great effort on your part? Are the great swelling words of emptiness so enthralling that nothing can break your trance? Perhaps those of you in the Systems should ask yourselves seriously; 'Do you even believe the Bible to be the genuine Word of God?' It is under massive assault from every side today and no where worse than in the Church Pulpits. The principal threat is always from within. Every Empire on earth has inevitably crumbled by its own doing. The so-called Christian church is no exception.

The first Century religious Jews were so threatened by the success of the early Christians and their use of the Greek translation of the Old Testament (called the Septuagint) in proving that the Prophetic scriptures pointed to Christ, that they set out to translate their own version of the text. (dubbed the Masoretic text) The Reformed scholars followed their example and re-translated the entire New Testament casting their dispersions on almost every Clear text Jesus and the Apostles recorded!

Presently most people are in a mass state of confusion regarding these things and who's to blame? Anyone can search the original languages today with the use of Greek-English Lexicons. It's not necessary to become a language scholar to understand the finer points of translation from ancient Greek into modern English. Anyone who examines the facts can easily see that the simple meanings of many scriptures have been changed to accommodate reformed doctrines. So everything comes out in Reverse:

Few means Many. Obey means Trust. Narrow means Wide. I Never knew you means I did know you! Doing means He did it for you. Departing from iniquity means no one is perfect and sins all the time. Difficult means Easy. Follow means Rest. Endure to the end means you're eternally secure. Is it any wonder why everyone in the System has no desire to Obey the Word of God. The Pastors have been telling people for the past four hundred years its 'faith alone' and obedience is not a prerequisite. What should we expect coming from our Churches but a horde of gainsaying hypocrites' stiff-necked against the Word of God? (Not much different from the religious climate Jesus encountered when He came)

Certainly if you told the people now they had to Strive, Dig and Obey to enter the Kingdom it would clear out most churches in short order. There would always be someone right down the street willing to tickle their ears with more fables and fairy tales about getting saved in their sins. The present climate is not receptive to the Truth, especially if you attack their precious doctrines. You can jump into the theological debate within their defined parameters as long as you don't go outside the Paradigm. That way they can control both sides of the coin and keep the real truth shrouded in the controversy. Thus everyone 'Picks' their side and they are all one big happy family.

That's why Jesus never debated with the religious scholars. He merely pointed to their error and exposed them with the Scriptures they held in so high esteem. The ring of Truth in His Words is our Salvation today, IF we will heed and obey what He said. *'He who has ears to hear, let him hear!'*

### **Building on the Rock!**

*Therefore whoever hears these sayings of Mine, and does them, I will liken him to a wise man who built his house on the rock: and the rain descended, the floods came, and the winds blew and beat on that house; and it did not fall, for it was founded on the rock. But everyone who hears these sayings of Mine, and does not do them, will be like a foolish man who built his house on the sand: and the rain descended, the floods came, and the winds blew and beat on that house; and it fell. And great was its fall. Matt7:24-27*

Here again Jesus removes all religious debate and finalizes His Gospel Message to the people. There is no gray area or wiggle room in His decree. You either hear His Words and DO them resulting in life or hear them and DO them Not resulting in destruction. Your pastors come up on opposing sides again. They say if you DO anything you will be most assuredly lost because you're not trusting that He did it for you! So you're the man who Did nothing or who built his house on the Sand (religious activities, doctrines, traditions) and spend your days telling others to follow the Doctrines of men. (Matt13:14-15)

This illustration of the house was firmly rooted in the minds of the common people who lived with the understanding that a Deep foundation was absolutely necessary

to sustain themselves against the harsh elements of the environment. When Jesus told them to Dig Deep, (Lk6:48) so their foundation could not be shaken, they took Him at His Word. Today they mock His Word and make excuses why it doesn't apply to them. Nevertheless the Solid foundation remains, no matter what they may say:

*Nevertheless the solid foundation of God stands, having this seal: The Lord knows those who are His, and Let everyone who names the name of Christ depart from iniquity (not departing). 2Tim2:19*

Does anyone need further proof that the Churches are apostate? Ask any professed Christian under their teaching if they have departed from their wrong doings. What will be their immediate response? Indignantly they will ask you: 'Do you sin!?' Trying to cast the spotlight on you instead of themselves. The real question however is 'Have YOU Stopped Sinning!' (1John5:18) 'Are you Clean within?'

If you still proudly proclaim yourself as the Chief of Sinners and Romans Wretch, with a desperately wicked heart, thinking that it humbles you, be advised! You've been hoodwinked out of your birthright. (Heb12:16-17) A Profane person isn't likely to find a real repentance when the time comes for sorrow. To become a Vessel in the Great house fit for the Master's use, 2Tim2:20-21, you must be Cleansed of your iniquity not wallowing in it! The Rock is Christ, 1Cor10:4, you dig your foundation deep into Obedience to His Word and nothing will bring it down.

### **Running the Race:**

*Therefore we also, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us lay aside every weight, and the sin which so easily ensnares us, and let us run with endurance the race that is set before us, Heb12:1*

No one is going to make it into the Kingdom sitting on the sidelines as a spectator watching the world go by and sin will only weigh you down and ensnare you. You must also compete by the Rules or be Disqualified. (2Tim2:5) Only those who finish the race receive the Crown of eternal life. Fighting the good fight means that the battle is engaged but the outcome is not yet certain:

*that having been justified by His grace we should become heirs according to the hope of eternal life. Titus3:7*

It's imperative that you Dig and Understand this passage. Get a Greek-English Lexicon and look up the word: 'SHOULD' Clearly it is a Greek Verb used frequently in scripture to express something that MIGHT come to pass, but has not yet happened. So the translation here into English is very accurate; 'You Should or Might become heirs of eternal life' ....Thus it is 'Yet to Come'

Which fully conveys the tone of Scripture through out: 'Keep, Watch, Obey, Run,

Endure, Dig, Strive, Follow.' Why would God constantly put forth these Commands if everything was pre-arranged and done in advance? Surly God is Sovereign and knows the outcome of all things from start to finish, but that DOESN'T negate the free will choice of man. God's foreknowledge is not the determining factor in man's choice between good and evil. Even the Pagan King of Nineveh understood that God could change His mind after making a decree of destruction. (Jonah3:5-10) God has Conditions, Man has a Choice. While we remain in our Mortal bodies NOTHING is an absolute certainty. (finish the race!)

### **A Tree is Known by its Fruit:**

*Beware of false prophets, who come to you in sheep's clothing, but inwardly they are ravenous wolves. You will know them by their fruits. Do men gather grapes from thornbushes or figs from thistles? Even so, every good tree bears good fruit, but a bad tree bears bad fruit. A good tree cannot bear bad fruit, nor can a bad tree bear good fruit. Every tree that does not bear good fruit is cut down and thrown into the fire. Therefore by their fruits you will know them. Matt7:15-20*

Jesus has taught us that the determining factor in knowing the truth from a lie is by the fruit produced thereof. We have established that a person cannot:

Serve two Masters

Be Double-Minded

Divided in heart

Nor can Darkness and Light coexist

So why does man tenaciously insist that Good and Bad fruit can grow on the same tree, when the Scripture absolutely denies it? Surely under the Romans 7 dilemma of a man struggling to keep the law and often failing in his attempt we can agree that in the flesh mortal man can do 'good' things as well as bad. But that assumption is based on the Premise of personal choices NOT inbred sin. If sin does indeed dwell in the flesh of man as some kind of malady then nothing he does is good and we're back to the dilemma of the tree illustration.

The only way Christ's teaching can make logical sense is from the basis of free will and ability to choose. Good fruit is produced by making Right choices, so then the tree bears acceptable fruit. But if the fruit turns sour and become rancid the whole tree must come down. Simple truth confirming Christ's teaching. The conundrum we face however is another reversal of the facts. The Carnal man obviously bears good and bad fruit, ie Romans 7. (of which the Church System says is the Christian life) We've emphasized the error of this teaching previously, but nothing seems to detour them from believing the fallacy of wretched Christians. Therefore in the Church a Good tree can indeed bear bad fruit and still be a good tree! Darkness and Light can coexist. (The exact opposite of Scripture.....again)

The Gospel Message was introduced by John the Baptist preaching Repentance. What did he tell the people to do?

*Then he said to the multitudes that came out to be baptized by him, "Brood of vipers! Who warned you to flee from the wrath to come? Therefore bear fruits worthy of repentance, and do not begin to say to yourselves, 'We have Abraham as our father.' For I say to you that God is able to raise up children to Abraham from these stones. And even now the ax is laid to the root of the trees. Therefore every tree which does not bear good fruit is cut down and thrown into the fire." Luke3:7-9*

Simple and concise, lay the ax to the root of the (bad) trees. Produce Good fruit WORTHY of repentance or be thrown into the fire! Nothing is said here about man's inbred inability to do what is Right or some kind of natural depravity preventing him from obeying God. As the tree is known by its fruit so the religious System is known by adhering to the Doctrines of men instead of following Christ.

Assuredly Jesus said: 'If you love Me, you will KEEP My Commandments' John14:15 This means you will HOLDFAST, Attend to Carefully, Guard, Watch and Keep the Teaching of your Master. The same expression is used in 1Cor15:1-2 'By this Gospel you are Saved if you HOLDFAST the Word preached' Unless the Word is Kept in this manner you will receive Nothing from God. (Read John14:19-30)

Only by Obedience to His Word will the Comforter come, leading you into all Truth. Only through Keeping His Word will the Father be manifest to you. And only by Watching carefully and Guarding your heart to keep it Pure will your Prayers be answered. This explains why professed Christians in the System are so dead to God. They are taught the exact opposite of Keeping or Holding fast to His Word. It is conveyed to them constantly that everything has been done for them in advance and merely trusting in Christ will suffice. The Glad tidings in their minds are centered on Substitution and Provision, Not Redemption from the corrupting influence of sin.

They can see the Messiah of Isaiah 61 no further than Him taking their place on the Cross and Obeying God for them. Past, Present and Future sins are covered and no further condemnation is imputed. In their Minds Christ represents Universal redemption to the world at large. That's why they pack into the churches on Christmas and Easter to celebrate what they think is their free ticket to heaven. To them the Gospel is pageantry and comfort, all based on religious traditions and invented ceremonies.

Isaiah's Messiah however is quite the opposite. He is portrayed as rescuing the captive from the bondage of sin. The focus again is on the Tree bearing the Fruit of Righteousness:

*"The Spirit of the Lord GOD is upon Me, Because the LORD has anointed Me To preach good tidings to the poor; He has sent Me to heal the brokenhearted, To proclaim liberty to the*

*captives, And the opening of the prison to those who are bound; To proclaim the acceptable year of the LORD, And the day of vengeance of our God; To comfort all who mourn, To console those who mourn in Zion, To give them beauty for ashes, The oil of joy for mourning, The garment of praise for the spirit of heaviness; That they may be called trees of righteousness, The planting of the LORD, that He may be glorified.” Isa61:1-3*

The language of the Prophet is far beyond the understanding of a Carnal mind. The Gospel men have conceived does not involve mourning for sin in sack-cloth and ashes, (a godly sorrow leading to salvation! 2Cor7:10-11) nor will it bring about the ‘oil of Joy’ to the soul, (in the quickening of the Holy Spirit! Acts3:19) In the Spirit the heaviness of sin will pass (in clearing) and so the Tree will be able to Produce the Good Fruit acceptable to the Lord. (Heb12:28,Heb13:15)

The Professed Christians in the System would hardly be aware that Isaiah is speaking of Repentance and what it brings about in the soul. His Messiah is of a Blood Redemption, Purging of Sin and an Example to follow. The Messiah of your Churches is a cheap counterfeit.

The final consideration in the Gospel of Christ is will you KEEP His Word! If you were to just sit down with your Bible and shut out the world. Discard your books and commentaries and truly ponder the Words of Christ, (recorded for us by the Disciples who followed Him) and ask yourself honesty are you OBEYING Him? Will you Go and Do likewise? (Lk10:37) Go and Sin no More! (John5:14, 8:11) Or continue to hide behind the skirts of your Pastors denying the Truth. It matters what you DO!!!

*You are My friends if you do whatever I command you. John15:14*

*If you love Me, keep My commandments. John14:15*

*“But why do you call Me ‘Lord, Lord,’ and not do the things which I say? Luke6:46*

### **What did Jesus say about Eternal Punishment?**

Another major discrepancy in the Church System is their lack of diligence in warning the people to flee the Wrath of God. (Matt3:7, Lk3:7, Rom1:18, 2:5, Acts2:40) The Substitution Message is not conducive to the Preaching of Hell since God’s Wrath has supposedly been adverted on the Cross and the believer is no longer subject to any punishment. However the appeasement of God’s Wrath doesn’t hold up on a close reading of Scripture.

There is Wrath yet to come on the disobedient and those who suppress the truth in unrighteousness. (2Thess1:8-9, Rom1:18, Col3:6, Eph5:6) Even those Sanctified by the blood of Christ can fall victim to Wrath if they sin willfully against the truth! (Heb10:26-31) At the Judgment the Condition you appear is how you will be Judged:

*He who is unjust, let him be unjust still; he who is filthy, let him be filthy still; he who is righteous, let him be righteous still; he who is holy, let him be holy still.” Rev22:11*

Therefore the Warnings of an eternal place of torment are as relevant now as when Christ first spoke them. If indeed He was to be the Great Substitution for mankind WHY did He continually alert the people to the reality of Hell? Many today will insist that it's not a 'SIN' issue, but a belief issue! In other words 'unbelief' is the only damnable sin. But Christ cautioned otherwise:

*“But whoever causes one of these little ones who believe in Me to stumble, it would be better for him if a millstone were hung around his neck, and he were thrown into the sea. If your hand causes you to sin, cut it off. It is better for you to enter into life maimed, rather than having two hands, to go to hell, into the fire that shall never be quenched — where Their worm does not die And the fire is not quenched. Mark9:42-44*

He repeats this warning three times in Mark9:42-48, warning of a final place of torment. The translation of the Word 'Hell' in our English Bibles comes up short of a true definition to convey the seriousness of these warnings. Hell is actually 'HADES' or Sheol as the Hebrews called it. This place is depicted in Scripture by Christ as the temporary resting place for the souls of the Dead. On one side was Abraham's Bosom where the righteous saints rested. On the other, across a huge chasm no one could cross, was the place of torment. (See Luke16:19-31) Reference to this place should be translated as HADES.

However when Jesus warned of final eternal punishment He called it 'Gehenna' (In the Jews of the day minds; a figure of final judgment, it meant the rubbish tip always burning with fire and worms die not) (A PLACE NOT TO END UP IN !)

The following passages refer to this place:

- Matt.5:22 whoever calls someone "you fool" will be liable to Gehenna.
- Matt.5:29 better to lose one of your members than that your whole body go into Gehenna.
- Matt.5:30 better to lose one of your members than that your whole body go into Gehenna.
- Matt.10:28 rather fear him who can destroy both soul and body in Gehenna.
- Matt.18:9 better to enter life with one eye than with two eyes to be thrown into Gehenna.
- Matt.23:15 Pharisees make a convert twice as much a child of Gehenna as themselves.
- Matt.23:33 to Pharisees: you brood of vipers, how are you to escape being sentenced to Gehenna?
- Mark 9:43 better to enter life with one hand than with two hands to go to Gehenna.



- Mark 9:45 better to enter life lame than with two feet to be thrown into Gehenna.
- Mark 9:47 better to enter the kingdom of God with one eye than with two eyes to be thrown into Gehenna
- Luke 12:5 Fear him who, after he has killed, has authority to cast into Gehenna
- James 3:6 the tongue is set on fire by Gehenna.

Also: In Rev20:14 the Lake of fire is referred to as Gehenna (which was always burning) the Word translation in the Rev passage is simply Pyr...Fire. So Gehenna is the place of burning, the final Judgment Translated literally gehenna is the trash dump outside the city used to dispose of all refuse.

Many in the System today will mistakenly say that Christ went to Hell, based on the miss-translation of Acts2:31, Here is the proper reading of the passage:  
*he, foreseeing this, spoke concerning the resurrection of the Christ, that His soul was not left in Hades, nor did His flesh see corruption.*

By this we believe that Christ descended into Hades, Abraham's Bosom, and lead captivity captive, Eph4:7-9, bestowing His gifts on men. He DID NOT go and preach to the wicked dead offering them a second chance to believe. These places of torment are real, not imaginary or irrelevant to the Gospel Message. The awesome reality of going to one of them should give anyone pause to fear God and Obey His Word, and then Warn others to FLEE His Wrath!

*And do not fear those who kill the body but cannot kill the soul. But rather fear Him who is able to destroy both soul and body in Gehenna! Matt10:28*

In the churches religion is just a game. Everyone is all smiles and full of cheer. They have their lives and prosperity all mapped out and hope to enjoy the ride. If Christ is in their minds at all it is that He died so they can have fun with all of life's pleasures. Heaven is their Pie in the Sky when you die by and by and Hell is putting up with the frustrations of life. Christ's Words are a dim echo to their ears, but one thing is certain: 'The Party ends in Hell!'

### **Destructive Heresies:**

*But there were also false prophets among the people, even as there will be false teachers among you, who will secretly bring in destructive heresies, even denying the Lord who bought them, and bring on themselves swift destruction. And many will follow their destructive ways, because of whom the way of truth will be blasphemed. By covetousness they will exploit you with deceptive words; for a long time their judgment has not been idle, and their destruction does not slumber. 2Pet2:1-3*

In this section we're going to examine the destructive nature of false teaching on the minds of the people. Jesus called these kind of teachers 'Savage Wolves' (Matt7:15) and said you would know them by their fruits. Such an illustration is important to fully understand the impact of error. Wolves are dangerous creatures. They usually run in packs and are very vicious. Natural human instinct would shy away from a snarling animal bearing its sharp teeth in violence.

But these Wolves are in disguise and they appear harmless. (Sheep's clothing!) Also they are experts in the use of Smooth and flattering speech that Promise the people liberty while they remain Slaves to Corruption. (2Pet2:18,19) Few can escape their snare. The Great Apostle Peter expressed these dangers with the use of Metaphors that describe their methods in great detail. He said: '*many shall follow their pernicious ways*' this is a Word used to describe: Utter destruction, Perdition, waste, damnable. Meaning following their ways will lead someone into TOTAL devastation!

He went on to say: '*through covetousness shall they with feigned words make merchandise of you*' Meaning that they **MOLD** their words (as one does clay or wax) to form an image in your mind to sell you their message. Then he says that their 'Damnation' does not slumber. The same thought as before: 'Perdition' Utter destruction and waste. Such awaits them at the Judgment. But until then you MUST be aware of their presence and wise to their ways. They can indeed lead many into the error of the wicked!

*You therefore, beloved, since you know this beforehand, beware lest you also fall from your own steadfastness, being led away with the error of the wicked; but grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. 2Pet3:17-18*

This is NOT about a theological debate between 'brothers' in the faith. There is no 'agreeing to disagree' on matters pertaining to Repentance, Faith and Salvation. We cannot Mix truth with error and suppose the people will muddle through on their own and find the Narrow Way to life. We MUST cry Wolf! And expose the deadly errors in their teaching. No matter how subtle they may be or how intermingled with the truths of Scripture. These teachers pose as a deadly menace to the souls of men. They cannot be permitted to have free reign in the arena of debate. ALL aspects of their Reformed Doctrines contain destructive errors in the final analysis. They are Preaching a DIFFERENT Gospel; (Gal1:8-9) Under the most Perfect camouflage the world has ever known. The danger they pose to mankind far exceeds any natural disaster, nuclear war or cosmic catastrophe the earth could possibly encounter.

Because these teachers have the appearance of Lambs but speak the language of the Dragon (Rev13:11) MANY follow after them. Even those who will expose some aspects of their erroneous doctrines still remain under the influence of others; as with the debate between Calvinism vs Wesleyans, two doctrinal extremes equally in error. But within the framework of the System you can find numerous pundits debating these issues as though their lives depended on it. Do they see the entire

picture that BOTH of these system of teaching are derived from the same structure of systematic error? NO! So they continue to debate the finer points of each, thinking that it is enlightening those who hear them. Neither can resolve to accuse the other of outright heresy. Nor can they say that their opponent's Salvation may be in jeopardy by espousing erroneous doctrines. What kind of impression does this leave on the people listening or reading their books? Obviously it conveys a feeling of satisfaction that you can pick your side in the debate and look no further into the matter as compared to the Bible.

By now, as a reader, you must realize that the entire System of professing Christianity in today's world is deeply engulfed in error. If you still hold to the belief that there is some kind of redeeming value that remains in the churches perhaps you should stop here and retrace your steps until you can reach a firm conclusion in the matter. We have shown the absolute illogical methods by which they twist and distort the Scriptures to suggest the Opposite meaning of every one. We have also uncovered the most common misconceptions by which professing Christians are entangled. What remains is a close look into the actual teachings of these modern heretics in their OWN words. You will see for yourself that they have taken the Word of God and turned it into a License for immorality. (Jude3-4)

It is an impossibility to cover all the false teachings sweeping Christendom today. That would require a volume of extreme size and scope. Our intention is to reveal a cross-section of the most blatant anti-Biblical remarks common today among many well known Teachers. You will easily recognize their names and can also check out for yourself the depth of their errors in their books and audios. We will proceed with a few of the most outrageous statements that will show how opposite of sound Biblical teaching they really are. (remember: these teachers hold firmly to the fallacies of Reformed theology)

Erwin Lutzer (pastor of Moody Church) Says:

"Promise you're going to follow Christ. You and I John, have known Christ for years and we struggle following Him. Can you imagine someone out there saying I'm going to follow Jesus, that's NOT the Gospel!"

"When Jesus died He nailed all your sins to the Cross, past, present and future. The guilt and shame has been removed. Jesus paid your debt and took God's Wrath in your place as your Substitute. Your covered by His righteousness and made clean as snow."

"On Eph2:8-9, free gift of God's Grace, but few find it because few will admit their sinfulness and failure"

"A Doctor in Eden burrow says that every child born is born a potential criminal. The Nature of Hitler is no different than your nature when you were born. The only difference is God's Grace, environment and situation. We all come into this world as rebels. Why do you think a doctor when a baby is born always spanks the baby twice. Once so the baby gets air into its lungs and the second time he spanks him is

keep the kid from stealing his wrist watch. (lol!) We're all born sinners."

Without a doubt this man is a classic heretic. Following Jesus is NOT the Gospel! How outrageous can you get? Was Jesus wasting His breath when He told everyone to take up their Cross and FOLLOW Him? What is a Disciple, but a follower of His Master! Clearly Lutzer's statement is of the Dragon.

The next statement is a classical version of Penal Substitution. You're pre-forgiven and must now realize that you can sin with impunity. No further Wrath awaits even if you sin willfully, trample the blood and insult the Spirit of Grace! (Heb10:26-31)

Imagine how a person like Lutzer views his fellow man. If he is willing to impugn an innocent babe at birth with this silly illustration how could anyone ever do what is Right? Clearly we have covered this subject in great detail and have shown the fallacy of it in Scripture.

Lutzer is a dangerous Wolf mainly because he looks so harmless. He is soft spoken, gentle and wouldn't hurt a fly. It's certain that he truly believes in what he is teaching. Like his cohorts he makes clever use of the Scriptures MOLDING them into certain thought patterns conducive to his System of doctrine. Sitting under his teaching without a strong sense of discernment would be very deadly to your soul.

John Piper, (Pastor of Bethlehem Baptist Church) Says:

"Christ's death covers all our sin, Past, Present and Future. It's over, it's over! The Sin that I will commit tomorrow morning was put away 2000 years ago. That sin is over, gone, finished, it will not be held against me. What glorious news! That all the sin I am yet to commit and even now may be committing as I preach was put away by Christ once and for all."

"You and I sin everyday. We black ball God day and night, we give Him a vote of no confidence as we go our own way everyday of our lives. All of our sin, past, present, future is put away and not held against us!"

"On Justification by faith. Not God seeing a righteousness in us that we have done or that He may have helped us do, but rather faith being reckoned as righteousness meaning that there is an alien righteousness namely God's righteousness in Christ which is credited to our account through faith, meaning that His righteousness is credited but faith is not the righteousness itself."

"On Rom3:28, it happens to the one who does not Work! That is the clearest statement in all the Bible that Justification is by faith alone. So when Martin Luther stuck the word alone into Rom3:28, adding it to the text, he interrupted it correctly!"

Piper is the true essence of Great Swelling words of emptiness. He promises pre-forgiveness and even future forgiveness as absolute guarantee in Christ. Even though as in his own words, 'you black ball God daily' Justification to these preachers is merely a cosmic transaction that takes place by some kind of mystical

faith. The slightest mention of you putting forth any effort in the exchange is strictly taboo. Piper is willing to sight one of history's greatest heretics, Martin Luther, to prove this in his mind.

He preaches a sinning Gospel from start to finish as though it glorifies God to 'sin daily'. Although he can masquerade himself as a holiness teacher he is deeply engulfed by the spirit of error. Among the Wolves he is one of the most highly polished speakers and talented writers; Which makes him doubly dangerous to the souls of men. Many have fallen under his spell and count him as a great teacher of the faith. By appearance he is innocuous but inside is a raging wolf devouring men's souls.

John MacArthur, (Grace to you ministry) Says:

"On 2Pet2:18, while they promise them liberty they themselves are the servants of corruption. They have not escaped corruption. But watch this one: they have escaped Pollution. Here Peter is differentiating between internal corruption and external pollution. He is saying they have never been changed on the inside but they have had the aches of the world washed off on the outside. They've gotten rid of the external pollution but have never done anything about internal corruption. That's what he's saying."

"On Matt7:15 known by their fruit. You have to be careful here. Many Christians get sucked in by false prophets and line up with them. You know who they are? They're in Verse16 the Grapes stuck on the thorns and the figs stuck on the thistles. You know that grapes don't grow on thorns and figs don't grow on thistles but you can stick them there. But if you look closely you will see that the thorn didn't produce that grape or the thistle didn't produce that fig. But there are people who will attach themselves unwittingly, they'll get stuck on some false teacher who appears to be a Christian."

"No Carnal Christians. No such thing as a Christian with self on the throne, only Christians with the Lord on the throne some are obedient and some disobedient."

"That's why Paul would come to the end of his life be as mature as he would ever be as a Christian and say I am the Chief of sinners. That's when you really understand Grace and you long for your glorification."

"In its theological sense, justification is a forensic, or purely legal, term. It describes what God *declares* about the believer, not what He does to change the believer. In fact, justification effects no actual change whatsoever in the sinner's nature or character. Justification is a divine judicial edict. It changes our status only"

"Justification is distinct from sanctification because in justification God does not *make* the sinner righteous; He *declares* that person righteous" (Romans 3:28; Galatians 2:16) Justification is an event, sanctification a process"

MacArthur describes himself: "The Deceived false prophet. He comes with the cloak of the Shepherd and this is not the cultist, Mormon, JW, or someone who belongs to Christian

Science who openly and flagrantly teaches false doctrines. Those are apostates and heretics. This is the one who talks about Jesus and he talks about the Cross and he talks about God and he talks about the Bible and the Church and the Holy Spirit and he hangs around with people that are true Christians and he mingles within the framework of evangelicalism and he's on the radio, TV and he's in the pulpit and on the platform and he writes the books and he always looks like a Christian!"

MacArthur is an expert at twisting Scripture with slick little illustrations and gimmicks. Like his cohorts of Reformed teaching he Separates terms to divide the meanings into doctrinal categories. As he did with the 2Pet2:18-20 scripture. Since by his premise it cannot possibly mean someone who truly escaped the corruption of sin and then went back to it, he divides the meaning of the words used by the Apostle to suggest an idea that was NEVER intended. There is very little difference between Corruption and Pollution. BOTH convey internal contamination and defilement. But this is a perfect example of MacArthur's clever use of separation. He is a slick Wolf who passes himself off as a sound teacher willing to criticize his associates.

Using twisted logic MacArthur speaks with a forked tongue to confuse the issue of bearing fruit; By suggesting something that the Lord Christ NEVER intended! Grapes on thorns, figs on thistles....Did Jesus suggest such a thing? Outrageous! But how many unwitting folks sit under this guy and are dubbed by this? It's truly a foolish illustration and should be obvious to anyone who has the spirit of truth in them.

JM Likes to say there are no Carnal Christians, but he knows better since his own teaching produces them. So he calls them all 'Christians', just that some are obedient and others disobedient. Yet another separation to justify walking in the flesh.

As we have shown the 'Chief of Sinners' argument, 1Tim1:15, is common place in the System. JM is no exception. Paul was a sinner to the end, longing for death so he could be finally rescued from his inbred corruption. A common farce to excuse sin.

Separating Justification and Sanctification is a principle feature of Reformed doctrine. That way a person can be declared righteous by doing nothing and then a sanctification process can kick in to gradually change him over time. It's a perfect rouse for them to claim they are not arguing in favor of sin, because if no change happens within the person they can say he was never Justified to begin with. The fallacy however is obvious! If Justification is purely forensic (as they all say) WHO can say it never happened due to lack of evidence.....when there was no evidence to begin with? In Scripture Justification and Sanctification happen together, Acts26:18, 1Cor6:11.

JM is doing all of us a huge favor in the final quote. He is laying out the Pattern of all the Wolves in massive detail! This is EXACTLY what they all do.....Talk about Jesus, the Cross, the Bible, God, the Holy Spirit and the Church...they write all the books

command the airwaves and control the platforms! They are the superlative Ministers of Righteousness!

*For such are false apostles, deceitful workers, transforming themselves into apostles of Christ. And no wonder! For Satan himself transforms himself into an angel of light. Therefore it is no great thing if his ministers also transform themselves into ministers of righteousness, whose end will be according to their works. 2Cor11:13-15*

It would be redundant to list the quotes of RC Sproul, David Jeremiah, Billy Graham, Hank Hanegraaff, Kennedy, Laurie, Chip Ingram, Dr Dean, Donald Cole and a thousand other Reformed heretics, living and dead. Suffice to know that they are all a part of the same Wolf Pack.

The real danger however is those among us who stand aloof of the System for various reasons but still endorse many of these false teachers on their web pages and in their printed material. It's disturbing to hear someone out there preaching a strong Repentance and Faith Message to the people and then recommending teachers like Ray Comfort and Paul Washer; who Clearly promote Substitution, pre-forgiveness and moral transfer. Certainly THIS is what John the beloved warned us about!

*Whoever transgresses and does not abide in the doctrine of Christ does not have God. He who abides in the doctrine of Christ has both the Father and the Son. If anyone comes to you and does not bring this doctrine, do not receive him into your house nor greet him; 2John9-10*

It is NOT the Doctrine of Christ to teach Substitution and some kind of magic transfer! Comfort and Washer do not teach a Real Repentance. They think hell's best kept secret is that people don't know Jesus paid their fine in advance and all they have to do is accept it. You then serve Him out of gratitude for granting you a pardon while you remain in your sins. Yet many outside the System remain in some kind of deception concerning these teachers. As a little leaven leavens the whole lump, 1Cor5:6, so mixing the spirit of error with the Truth nullifies the impact of Repentance and faith. Teachers like Comfort and Washer are NOT doing 'some good' in the realm of Christianity. They are the Wolves among us as Jesus warned in Matt7, pretending to be Christians, Self-deceived and promoting fallacies.

Let's look at some of the things Ray Comfort has to say:

"Rom7:4, you have become Dead to the law by the body of Christ. The law had no dominion over that person whatsoever because it was satisfied by the sacrifice of the Father's payment in full. Which makes us dead to the law by the body of Christ. The law holds no demands from a Christian we are free from any condemnation. The law can only chase a man to Calvary no further."

"God took my rotten dirty heart and changed it. Gave me new desires, transformed me, opened up the Bible to me like a bright light!"

"I'm not exaggerating my heart is deceitfully wicked. I have people call up and tell me they are having such a battle with sin can you pray for me. I say why not swap brains with me for an hour and you'll be pleased to get yours back.

My heart is desperately wicked, I know in me dwells no good thing, I have a constant battle with sin that comes from my own heart."

"Am I saying a genuine convert never sins, of course not! Every Christian has a battle with the world, flesh and devil and sometimes he does fall into sin. But that's the point, he Falls into sin, while the hypocrite false convert Dives into sin. The Christian sins against his will, but the false converts makes provision for the flesh."

Notice how this Wolf makes use of partial truth to espouse his doctrines. Surely the true Christian is dead to the law by the body of Christ, the Bible says it! But it also teaches that you MUST be Crucified with HIM so that the body of sin can be done away with once and for all. (Rom6:4-6) Conveniently he leaves that part out of his Gospel Message, putting the emphasis on no further condemnation for the Christian because the Penalty has been paid in full by Christ. This is just another version of Penal Substitution teaching, laying down the law on the conscience of sinners.

I included the next two quotes to show the contradictory nature of their teaching. On one account he goes out and preaches how God changed his heart from a lustful, dirty disposition to a new clean and transformed temperament. Then he turns around and says his own heart is 'Desperately Wicked' and has nothing good in it. Like his cohorts, he claims who have it all wrong; he agrees wholly with them that man is born depraved with inbred sin inherited from Adam. So the contradiction stands: God comes in and changes the heart, but it remains desperately wicked until death.

Here again, he tries to separate sins between 'Falling into it' or 'Diving' But what's the difference? And HOW can anyone sin against their Will??? According to James1:13-15, Sin is an act of the will! But Comfort must protect his sin message and still try to appear that he is a sound teacher. Certainly he would probably use the common cop out of 'they were never saved to begin with'.

Comfort likes to use silly illustrations in his open air preaching after getting the people to admit they have broken God's law. He tells the story of a young man arrested for drunk driving and is now behind bars without hope of posting bail. Suddenly the Cell door swings open and a man comes in to escort him to freedom. He has no idea whatsoever why this is happening, but accepts it humbly and walks out. Now, according to Ray, out of deep gratitude for this wonderful gift, he will reform his ways and take up a new leaf in life. TOTAL HOGWASH!

No godly sorrow, no crisis of conviction for the sin and NO Repentance proven by Deeds! (2Cor7:10-11) Do you see the Danger of this kind of Message? In the minds of those hearing him (who think they are saved in their sins anyway) the Sin Gospel is fully confirmed. Sure they broke the law, that's a given. But then Comfort tells them



that someone you don't even know has paid their fine in advance. This is supposed to then motivate them to accept this great gift with the understanding that God has forgiven them and they are now free from the condemnation of the law. Salvation MINUS Repentance....which is NO Salvation at all. Comfort is preaching for the Dragon and must be exposed.

If you're interested in the teaching style of Paul Washer, visit his Web site: heartcryministry and read the doctrinal statement. Washer is 100% Penal Substitution, Moral Transfer, Faith alone, election, eternal security and total depravity inherited from Adam. He cloaks his message in a moralistic tone stressing that you must 'Continue' in the faith...which really means according to his doctrine....that you must be granted the Grace of Perseverance. So in his mind Repentance and faith are both a continuing process God works in you as evidence you are among the elect. But the message sounds as though he is actually saying you must Obey God to be Saved. (much like Charles Finney who many think was a sound teacher)

These reformed teachers are Calvinist based but they conceal it with tons of rhetoric. This seems to enrage many hard core Calvinist who constantly attack them as false teachers. So you have the strange phenomena of Wolves exposing Wolves!

While doctrinally all these teachers would be in agreement with the basic tenants of Calvinism: T.U.L.I.P. :

Total depravity, to some degree, Unconditional election in some form, Limited atonement only for the elect, Irresistible Grace in maintaining God's Sovereignty and Perseverance of the saints, or as Washer conceals it 'Continuing' in the faith. The debates that rage between these proponents are nothing more than a 'Word' game. One will accuse the other of preaching a 'works salvation' because they stress continuing in the faith (like Washer) Yet BOTH the accuser and the teacher would agree with the Perseverance Doctrine. That the Elect will endure, the non-elect will not. Thus the elect Continue, but actually charging the person with the responsibility to continue is heresy in the mind of some. (all foolishness)

Consequently, to defend their extreme views, they will Post such outrageous comments as the following:

Dr. Harry Ironside, What is the Gospel:

The Gospel is not just any message from God telling man how he should behave. The Gospel is not a call to repentance, or to amendment of our ways, to make restitution for past sins, or to promise to do better in the future. These things are proper in their place, but they do not constitute the Gospel; for the Gospel is not good advice to be obeyed, it is good news to be believed. Do not make the mistake then of thinking that the Gospel is a call to duty or a call to reformation, a call to better your condition, to behave yourself in a more perfect way than you have been doing in the past. Nor is the Gospel a demand that you give up the world, that you give up your sins, that you break off bad habits, and try to cultivate good ones. You

may do all these things, and yet never believe the Gospel and consequently never be saved at all.

Could there be any better example of a Savage Wolf than this? No change in behavior, no Repentance or clearing of wrong doing. Nothing to be obeyed, no Duty to perform. No Deny self take up your cross and follow. No giving up sin whatsoever! This is STRAIGHT out of the PIT of hell! Yet you will find it posted all over the web as the Gospel of Jesus Christ. Would Paul Washer or Ray Comfort agree with it?

Doctrinally they would have to or be accused of heresy. But they would certainly WORD it different to shroud the blatancy of a do nothing Gospel. Underneath they are both Reformed Calvinist teachers, which puts them smack dab in the heretical camp. Bottom line the Gospel, to them, is receive, accept and trust in the full payment made by Christ and then serve Him out of gratitude for His free gift.

Comfort likes to say that Jesus used the Law: *'To prepare their hearts for Grace'* By this He can reconcile in his mind all the hard sayings of Christ into a nice neat Provision that reapplies everything to his original premise. The real debate between these teachers boils down to the finer points of WHAT is supposed to happen within a person who is truly saved. None of them can lay any of the responsibility on man, while at the same time they don't want to be accused of preaching a license to sin. So they must choose their words carefully and make it sound as though man has some input in the Salvation process but still give all the glory to God for electing, calling and preserving him.

When Jesus encountered the deeply religious Scribe in Mark12:28-34, why was the discussion centered on the Greatest Commandant of all? Should He have told this man that he was 'Dead to the law'? Yet when the Scribe quoted the Great Commandment to Jesus, what did Jesus say....?

*And to love Him with all the heart, with all the understanding, with all the soul and with all the strength, and to love one's neighbor as oneself, is more than all the whole burnt offerings and sacrifices." Now when Jesus saw that he answered wisely, He said to him, "You are not far from the kingdom of God." Mark12:33-34*

Was this preparation for Grace as Comfort eludes? Jesus told anyone who asked Him what they must do to enter the Kingdom, to KEEP the Commandments. (Matt19:16-22, Mk10:17-22, Lk18:18-23) They already knew that the wages of sin is death, or the soul that sins shall die. It wasn't necessary to apply the law on their conscience in the form of self condemnation. The only reason its necessary today is because the False teachers in the System have everyone convinced they are Saved in their sins! Jesus Gospel is PROVE by your DEEDS that you Love God and Obey His Word. *"Go and sin no more!"*

Can you 'Know' these teachers by their Fruit, as Jesus said, Matt7:15? Without doubt just look at what they have produced! Are they bearing good fruit on the tree or sowing Tares among the Wheat? I suppose that anyone can deny the evidence of our societal structure falling apart at the seams or put the blame on a thousand different explanations. But it's difficult to pass over the fact that evangelical Christianity is preaching an apostate message to the world that condones sin. The FULL Responsibility of our present day degeneracy rests solely on the Pulpits. If the flood of iniquity is to ever be restrained we're going to have to raise up an Army of Jer23:21-22 Preachers!

*I have not sent these prophets, yet they ran. I have not spoken to them, yet they prophesied. But if they had stood in My counsel, And had caused My people to hear My words, Then they would have turned them from their evil way And from the evil of their doings.*

Read Jeremiah 23, and you will have a Perfect image of today's Pastors:

They Commit adultery and walk in lies and strengthen the hand of evil doers. They Walk according to their own imaginations and promise the people no evil will befall them and They Turn NO ONE from their sin!

In fact the Gospel they preach says Sin is NOT the issue! Everyone is Born a wretched sinner anyway, the Good News is that Jesus Paid your penalty and whether you know it yet or not, you're pre-forgiven and all you have to do is accept the gift. As honey attracts flies so this false Gospel message draws in the crowds. But the end result is Tares being sown by the evil one.

### **The Wheat and the Tares, Matt13:24-30, 36-43**

This Parable of the Lord is long lost to the present day System. Few have any understanding whatsoever of farming concepts and such an illustration has no place within the Penal Substitution message. But in the time of Christ this parable had tremendous impact on the minds of the people. Specifically because they knew that a Tare was not a WEED. (as many modern translations imply)

In this Parable is the perfect illustration of what the False Teachers like Ray Comfort are doing. A Tare is known to farmers as DARNEL, which resembles Wheat except the grains are black. According to the Parable they are placed among the Wheat by the 'evil one' (false teachers) and instantly recognized by the Lord's Servants. The Wheat and Darnel grow together until the harvest. Then the true nature of the corrupted plant is revealed by the black grain within. Allowed to spread this poison grain will contaminate the good. So the Tares are gathered and burned.

The point is that these false teachers are creating a multitude of false converts and passing them off as genuine. They have the form (appearance) of Wheat but inside they are full of corruption. The false message is highly conducive in producing large

fields of this Darnel. That's why the Lord's true servants must expose this deception now. You cannot allow these false teachers to operate in the Vineyard carte blanche. Wolves are dangerous beasts and just because they are disguised as sheep doesn't mean they are harmless. Every true Saint should resolve in their mind now that the System is the Woman on the Scarlet Beast. (Rev17:3-6) Surly it is arrayed in the finer things of life but soon it will again be drunk on the blood of the Saints! The time for fun and games is long past. This is a pitched battle against the forces of evil. A dark veil of death is descending on our society. Hell is about to be unleashed. The Church System serves the Beast!

Many of these false teachers have tremendous creditability in the System. Tens of thousands follow their every word! Worse, people who have withdrawn from the churches and expose some aspect of the lies, still endorse many of these teachers. In Particular they go to great lengths to quote past Reformers like Charles Finney, John Wesley, Tozer, and others who are CLEARLY on the side of error concerning depravity, Substitution, and faith alone. These teachers invented the false concepts of Prevenient grace, perseverance and imputed righteousness. The great deception is that most of the past teachers did denounce wicked behavior, but they also held to the major tenants of the Westminster confession.

Therefore men like Finney will say if you're sinning you won't enter the Kingdom, because without holiness no one will see the Lord. (Heb12:14) Even Arthur Pink, a hardcore Calvinist preacher, would agree. Anyone who falls into vile sin will NOT be saved. However their understanding is NOT based on 1Cor6:9-10, Gal5:19-21 *"Those who do these things will not inherit the Kingdom, be not deceived!"* Rather their doctrine of Perseverance is founded on Election. Simply: the elect will endure the non-elect will not. Therefore the person who falls away into sin or apostates from the faith was NEVER elect.

Can you distinguish the deception here? These Reformers sound as though they are preaching holiness and obedience to the faith, but always within the fame work of the same doctrinal error. So whether it's some kind of Divine Prevenient grace that magically off-sets man's inability to repent and believe, or just plain old irresistible grace, it's all based on man born a depraved sinner lacking the ability and willingness to turn from his sin. There is only a 'hair-breath' difference between the errors of Calvinism and Arminianism and debating them is futile. The reams of material bantering about the tenants of each is nothing more than a demonic distraction that will lead you down the rocky road of error. (2Pet3:16-18)

Those of who stand aloof of it all wish to show that the outcome of following any of these reformed teachings boils down simply to: 'You are Saved in your sin!' This theme has been redundant throughout our attempt to awaken the few who will listen, but it summarizes the entire issue. Does man have the ability to Stop sinning and Obey God? It is more than apparent that he DOES. Otherwise WHY would GOD tell him that *sin lies at the door, its desire is for you, but you should RULE OVER IT!*

(Gen4:6,7)

Could our Loving Savior God be so tyrannical that He would demand of man something he was incapable of doing? Is the Way of the Lord fair, and its man's way that is not fair? (Ezk18:29) How many past generations of lost sinners MAY have been Saved if they had Simply been told they MUST OBEY God? (such was the result of this simple message in Nineveh and the Queen of the South, Lk11:29-32.)

But NO! They blab on and on about Substitution, Moral transfer, future forgiveness, inability, human depravity and the Great Provision. Within their Systems it's considered Blasphemy to tell the people they must PROVE their Repentance and Faith by their DEEDS! The Truth has been shut out of every form of ministry on the planet. Unless you are willing to hold these past and present false teachers in high esteem you will NOT get your foot in the door of the churches. If you want their money and support you will have to play by their rules and find a way to rationalize it in your mind. But know this: that John the Baptist did NOT Compromise with the religious system to bring his message of Repentance. Surly it cost him his head and so it will for anyone who will stand firm against the lies.

Reformed teaching has no bounds. Although you can find certain 'Stricter' denominations who actually enforce modes of behavior they still Preach the Saved in Sin message. The Mennonites are a perfect example of this phenomenon. They dress modestly at church and in public. Their women wear little bonnets and ankle length plain, homemade dresses. They stress Sabbath keeping and infant Baptism. Most of their ministers teach that God only recognizes one marriage for life. So if you divorce and re-marry you are said to be living in the sin of adultery. However they are hesitant to enforce this rule on the people at fault. When pressed, their pastors will say that ONLY if the Holy Spirit Convicts you of the sin of adultery should you actually divorce and remarry your first spouse. (a stretch when you consider that adultery is one of the sins that will automatically disqualify you from the Kingdom! 1Cor6:9-10)

The Mennonites sprang from the early Anna Baptist movement in 1500's Germany. When the New Testament was first printed on the printing press in the German language. As a result the simple ordinary people were exposed to the teaching of Christ for the first time in nearly a century. Naturally they immediately began to break away from the tyranny of the Catholic Churches. Consequently a bitter persecution began lead by such pundits as Martin Luther who was complainant in the murder and torture of thousands. Eventually the movement fled Germany and finally migrated to the United States. From there the different sects among them formed what are today the Amish and Mennonite Churches.

This information is relevant in our discussion to show that even though some denominations appear to be holy and pure they are STILL Preaching the Reformed

Doctrines concerning repentance and faith. The form may seem more compliant with Biblical standards but the Salvation Message is no different than any main-stream church out there today. Even their apparent strictness on re-marriage is compromised by many of their authors; who will admit that 'Yes' you're committing adultery if you divorce and remarry, BUT as I mentioned above only if you stand convicted of the actual sin need you remedy the situation.

Therefore I would suppose they recognize some 'special' dispensation of Grace in these cases, although it is not made clear in their written material or by their Pastors. But as I have pointed out they are really no different than any other denomination out there today and have no choice but to preach the Gospel in this manner because everyone is 'saved in their sins' anyway. So if God took me in as a drunk, thief, molester, etc WHY would He then turn around and send me to Hell for divorcing my wife and marrying another? Like all Reformed teaching this also is foolishness. If the Blood can only Purge 'Certain' Sins and not others, for WHAT did Christ die? (thus the need of a real repentance to begin with!)

*whom God set forth as a propitiation by His blood, through faith, to demonstrate His righteousness, because in His forbearance God had passed over the sins that were previously committed, Rom3:25*

Certainly there is no guarantee of Future forgiveness (as the false teachers promise) But in genuine Repentance and Clearing, (2Cor7:10-11) the Past is reconciled. The great conundrum in this re-marriage debate is they are trying to apply absolutes to people who have NEVER been saved to begin with! The Churches are filled with adultery, fornication, divorce and re-marriage, even people running around with various lovers under the nose of the Pastors! But everyone is Saved in their sins so WHO can tell them to repent? It's just standard operating procedure for the people to wallow in their sin.

It is worthy of mention here that a true washed, purified and sanctified Christian will NEVER need a Divorce. If however they are suddenly thrust into an unequally yoked relationship with a spouse who refuses to follow Christ, the Apostle Paul's instruction in 1Cor7:10-16 will suffice. Marrying an unbeliever however is a very serious infraction for a true Saint. I would venture to say that those who go head long into these kinds of marriages with full knowledge have jeopardized their eternal well-being. There is simply no excuse whatsoever for this kind of disobedience if you love God.

Obviously in matters of personal relationships the System is a colossal mess. Generations of Reformed preaching have degenerated our society to an abominable level. As astonishing as it may sound some churches even endorse homosexuality in the pulpits! And does anyone need to be reminded of the rampant outbreak of molestation among Catholic Priests? So is there any wonder that you can write to these Ministers in the System and ask them if a child molester must stop abusing

children to be saved and they almost ALL say 'NO', Jesus will take him as he is and clean him up later.

Imagine what they are saying! That a outright Criminal can be named a child of God and then associate with YOUR family as a 'Christian'. There have been testified cases of these kinds of vile sinners teaching youth groups and young adult Sunday school classes in the Churches! All this in the Name of 'Christian love'. Is it love to permit a person to wallow in their iniquity and corrupt everything around them so you can spare their feelings of remorse over such things? Even by human standards of modesty these things are enough to gag a maggot!

These sins are not even to be named as is fitting for Saints, Eph5:3. It's disgraceful to associate the present day churches with Christ in their current condition. Clearly they Glory in their Shame and blacken the Holy Name of Jesus! Even their theology has Christ posing as a vile sinner in their place removing all personal responsibility on their behavior. Judgment is far removed from their minds. They flock to these churches as the true source of their spiritual health and comfort in time of need. Yet it's a grand road to deception that no one can see! To them all is well, it's a lovely ride and everyone is so happy and content. It's like a big pleasing bouquet of flowers pleasant to look at. But like the lilies of the field that spin in the sun but tomorrow are cast into the oven.

### **Baptism:**

*He who believes and is baptized will be saved; but he who does not believe will be condemned. Mk16:16*

We proceed into Baptism. Opinions vary throughout the System. Certain denominations insist that if you're not Dunked (submerged in the water) you will be lost eternally. (namely the Churches of Christ) Others will baptize anyone, no matter what and only care about racking up the membership. However the Scriptures clearly command Christians to be Baptized as part of the Gospel Witness. But what is true significance of Baptism and will you go to hell if you don't get Baptized?

*For Christ also suffered once for sins, the just for the unjust, that He might bring us to God, being put to death in the flesh but made alive by the Spirit, by whom also He went and preached to the spirits in prison, who formerly were disobedient, when once the Divine longsuffering waited in the days of Noah, while the ark was being prepared, in which a few, that is, eight souls, were saved through water. There is also an antitype which now saves us—baptism (not the removal of the filth of the flesh, but the answer of a good conscience toward God), through the resurrection of Jesus Christ, who has gone into heaven and is at the right hand of God, angels and authorities and powers having been made subject to Him. 1Pet3:18-22*

Baptism was not uncommon to the people of Israel. It was the ritual used to conclude the conversion of an apostolate into the Jewish faith. When John the Baptist appeared on the scene the people were hopelessly lost in darkness and despair. He Preached a Baptism of Repentance (Mk1:4, Lk3:3, Acts13:24, 19:4) so they could clear themselves of their wrong doings and receive the Lord. *'Lay the Ax to the Root!' he told them, Cut down the unfruitful tree and bear Fruit WORTHY of Repentance! (Lk3:9)* In this sense Baptism is absolutely necessary for Salvation, but Water does not save you. As Peter says above it's the answer to a good conscience toward God through the resurrection of Jesus Christ. You need to have your sins Removed NOT merely washed in water. This is the true Purpose of Baptism:

*How much more shall the blood of Christ, who through the eternal Spirit offered Himself without spot to God, cleanse your conscience from dead works to serve the living God?*  
Heb9:14

*Therefore we were buried with Him through baptism into death, that just as Christ was raised from the dead by the glory of the Father, even so we also should walk in newness of life. For if we have been united together in the likeness of His death, certainly we also shall be in the likeness of His resurrection, knowing this, that our old man was crucified with Him, that the body of sin might be done away with, that we should no longer be slaves of sin.*  
Rom6:4-6

The theme here is DEATH to sin.....the Body of sin Done away with. Sin Purged OUT of the soul (heart) That's why you must come into Christ in this manner so you can begin Standing on a firm foundation of heart purity and obedience. (2Tim2:19) Otherwise you're nothing more than another 'worker of iniquity' destined for the Judgment. (Matt7:21-23) This Process of Repentance brings about real Reconciliation with God. Nothing about it is 'Positional' or some kind of Provision made by Christ in your place. You FOLLOW Him into the death and resurrection through broken godly sorrow, Clearing, vehement desire change, fear and then Purity of heart. (2Cor7:10-11)

You don't 'repeat' words, join the church and then get Baptized next time they have a ceremony. That has NOTHING to do with Salvation and it's the reason most Professed Christians are still addicted to their sins. Baptism was something not taken lightly by the early Saints. They would NEVER allow someone to be Baptized who was still sinning. Repentance meant you STOPPED sinning; Before you were granted Pardon and filled with the Holy Spirit. So as you enter into the water, you were already Born of the Spirit. The Baptism is just a seal of your commitment to God as circumcision was to Abraham. Remember: he too was 'Saved' by faith before he took on the sign of circumcision. (Gal3:6-7)

If you got dunked as a child in Sunday School class or went down to the old Salvation Army core and stood in line with everyone else at the YMCA; or if you come from an orthodox Catholic background with all the trimmings, Your Sins



Remain! There is no Ritual of man on earth or Sacrament that can remove sin or give you absolution. It's the Blood that Purges sin and Purchases you by 'Ransom' from the corrupting influence of sin. (Heb9:14, Eph1:7, Acts20:28) NOT by Provision! There is no Magic in the Water. The Soul is Regenerated (Acts3:19) by the Holy Spirit, Not in the water. If you have not first gone through this Repentance described in the Bible (and if you have you will KNOW it!) and have died to sin, you can pretend all you wish that the Holy Spirit has taken up His abode in you and is now 'working' to clean you up while you sin on; but you're sadly mistaken.

**What applies to you is the following:**

*Or do you despise the riches of His goodness, forbearance, and longsuffering, not knowing that the goodness of God leads you to repentance? Rom2:4*

God is calling for Repentance (not acceptance of His Provision) just as He was from the beginning with John the Baptist. (the greatest preacher of all) His goodness and longsuffering are part of His Divine Nature. So it's easy for someone to slide into the Deceptions of Churches and believe that everything is wonderful because everyone is Saved. It has the appearance of success and much strength in numbers. To WHO do the voices of the World gravitate? Do they flock to hear John the Baptist call them vipers and snakes, hypocrites? No, it's the Billy Graham's of the world that pack them in. The Big time slick showmen like Joel Osteen and Pat Roberson...Who have NEVER preached the Gospel of Repentance in their entire lives! (and never will)

So you can get dunked as a child and then reaffirm it as an adult or when you marry and still remain lost. The Ritual only serves to seal your conscience against the truth. Pastors love to have Baptisms because they genuinely think all the people are coming to Jesus. Some churches will have day long picnics at the lake and then gather for a big dunking party. People cry and emotions are high, much like graduations and other rights of passage. To them it's all real. Their sins are washed away and Jesus is their Savior. Yet not a single one of them has Repented and been cleared of their sins. (Tomorrow its business as usual back to the world of vain amusements and distractions)

We have now established the fact that you should get Baptized in water soon after your Repentance. Although you would certainly enter into the Kingdom without it if some circumstance prevented you from doing it. Many of your churches out here will vehemently disagree with this statement but we will elaborate on it later. However the huge dilemma faced by Real Saints today is WHERE do I get Baptized? Surly NOT in the local churches by some apostate minister preaching a different gospel. That would be like getting baptized by Satan! You must avoid the churches at all cost. It would even be advisable for you to take your marriage vows with a Justice of the Peace, ship's Captain or Judge instead of gathering at a church. But that's your personal decision, I'm just offering you my advice.

Baptism is a deeply moving and emotional experience and should be entered into with grave concern and much prayer. Gathering with the true Saints is part of the beauty. Hearts united in faith and spirits uplifted together. A true man of God performing the act will sense the gravity of the moment and the Witness within will bless everyone present. Therefore it's important to find someone or some small group of Saints who will meet with you and perform the Baptism. Don't hastily choose, it's best to wait until you're sure these are the right people. There's a lot of extreme fringe types out there today who will try to ensnare you in their traps and control your life. You're NOT going to go to hell because baptism is delayed. We are in dark times spiritually and the world is overwhelmed in iniquity. The spirit of error is surly in control of minds of millions. Be Patient and find the right circumstances, it will come.

### **The Baptism of the Holy Spirit**

*Behold, I send the Promise of My Father upon you; but tarry in the city of Jerusalem until you are endued with power from on high." Lk24:49*

In this section I do not intend to argue with the so-called 'Full Gospel' crowd who stress the Baptism of the Holy Spirit with the evidence of speaking in tongues. Suffice to say that no one I ever known who speaks in tongues and claims to have been endued with this power has come out of their sins. In fact ALL their ministers I have encountered preach the exact same theology as the System and are deeply into the spirit of error.

The book of Acts is an oral history of the first years of the Apostles ministry on earth. It describes how the early church was established and set the framework of its Message to mankind. Those who had been with Jesus and hand trained by Him were the first representatives to initiate the Gospel Message of Repentance and Faith. The inauguration of this ministry took place on the Day of Pentecost in Jerusalem. The Holy Spirit (in power, wisdom and love) was poured out upon this group of Apostolic Saints and they went immediately forth preaching the Gospel in EVERY language to the people gathered for the great festival. (Acts2:1-13)

This is a one time event to launch the Gospel Message. The purpose of tongues is obvious. The world had to be introduced to the Gospel of Christ with great signs and wonders. In the Pagan world they were inundated with sooth-Sayers, magicians, all kinds of superstitions; Demon temples of all types decked out the landscape in every direction! People were sacrificing their children to Moloch. Since Jesus came to destroy the works of the Devil (1Jh3:8) the Holy Spirit had to subdue these forces of evil to bring people out of their bondage. What's happening today in the full gospel circles has no similarity whatsoever to this scenario. It's all fake and directed by the spirit of error.

The Apostles were taking this Message to a world not yet acquainted with the Holy Spirit as they knew Him. It was a brand new concept and He had to be introduced to them in a proper manner. Many devout believers in God when they heard the message immediately understood the importance to dig further into it. Cornelius (a Roman centurion) Acts10:1, caught wind of these things at his home in Caesarea. The scripture describes him as 'devout man who feared God with his household' It's clear that he was Right with God (Acts10:35) in his present state. However he had not been with Jesus nor had he walked with the Apostles, so he knew nothing about the Baptism of the Holy Spirit.

You know the story, he sent for Peter, Peter had a vision, he came to Cornelius household, preached the Gospel to them and they received the Holy Spirit and were Baptized in water. Now they had the full gospel! Is it necessary to perform this method today with everyone who comes along serving God? By no means! These are one time events in history inaugurating the commencement of Christianity. The Apostles are equal in weight introducing these things as were the Prophets before them. They were given special powers of the Holy Spirit because God knew they would not abuse them or distort the message. As the message became more and more corrupted with false doctrines the powers diminished and finally their authority vanished altogether, not long after their deaths.

So can a person receive the Baptism of the Holy Spirit today? NOT in the manner of Cornelius or others in the Book of Acts, it's not necessary. You receive the Holy Spirit in the process of Repentance and the Power is Victory over sin, not signs and wonders that make you feel good. But can you Add to your faith, Work out your Salvation in fear and trembling, Dig Deep, be Diligent and steadfast in the faith, draw near to God, resist the devil and overcome the lust of the flesh? If the Holy Spirit has endued you with His Power THESE are the things happening in your heart. You can babble all you want jump up and down and roll in the isles but it's not going to bring you any closer to God or real Salvation. The Baptism you require is the one of Repentance Proven by Deeds!

Another thing that confuses a lot of people concerning Baptism is mixing in the Original sin teaching. Given the premise that man is born in a depraved state, condemned in his sin, Baptism of infants is absolutely necessary to deliver the child from perdition. However because they believe that the Waters of Baptism actually regenerated the sinner (quicken his soul) that meant, in their minds, that the stain of original sin was removed. (washed away so to speak) So in theory an infant born to TWO Baptized parents was free of OS! That essentially would put the church out of business. But it was a very hot issue in ancient times in Rome.

Few actually opposed infant Baptism altogether. There was nothing wrong with dedicating a baby to God. It's when you inject all the erroneous teaching of original sin, dual nature, human depravity into the mix. People then start believing that the Water possesses some kind a magical regeneration power that saves them. That's

why so many denominations will dogmatically insist you MUST be dunked or you will burn! Yet the Scriptures make perfectly clear when this quickening takes place:

*Repent therefore and be converted, that your sins may be blotted out, so that times of refreshing may come from the presence of the Lord, Acts3:19*

The 'Refreshing' is the quickening (a recovery of breath) It happens NOT when you get Baptized in water, but when you stop sinning in repentance and are made Pure by faith working by love. You can certainly call this the 'Baptism of repentance', (Rom6:4-6) but without going through this part the second part (water) is useless. Remember what Peter said:

*In which a few, that is, eight souls, were saved through water. There is also an antitype which now saves us—baptism (not the removal of the filth of the flesh, but the answer of a good conscience toward God), through the resurrection of Jesus Christ, 1Pet3:20-21*

The Removal of filth and wickedness happened in Repentance. You're already Clean when you enter the waters of Baptism. (John15:3) or should be. The Blood has purged you of sin and you're Reconciled to God. Getting Baptised as part of a ceremony or church tradition has no spiritual significance whatsoever in the Kingdom of God. Religious Sacraments won't Save you, only passing through the process of Repentance and faith Proven by deeds.

During the time of the Acts of the Apostles Repentance was the focal point of their Message. They didn't run around the landscape spreading confusion and disorder. They understood that the message of Reconciliation to God had been granted to them from above and it was their responsibility to keep it pure of pagan myths and fallacies. This was not done by allowing the spirit of error to mimic spiritual gifts among the people and lead them astray. It's Key to understand if you are to avoid the many pit falls in the System today using false signs and wonders to fleece the flock. Discernment here is NOT difficult:

*But if you have bitter envy and self-seeking in your hearts, do not boast and lie against the truth. This wisdom does not descend from above, but is earthly, sensual, demonic. For where envy and self-seeking exist, confusion and every evil thing are there. But the wisdom that is from above is first pure, then peaceable, gentle, willing to yield, full of mercy and good fruits, without partiality and without hypocrisy. Now the fruit of righteousness is sown in peace by those who make peace. James3:14-18*

Confusion and chaos is NOT from above! The Apostles called people out of their sins, they didn't put on a Magic show playing on the emotions of their crowds. Everything was done decently and in order. (1Cor14:40) The Holy Spirit isn't going to incite the emotions in such a manner as to overwhelm them with massive convulsions or sputtering off in some unknown tongue for no apparent reason. You're not going to see Preachers running around the room like wild men hooping

and shouting or slamming people to the floor in sudden acts of violence. THIS is NOT of God!

And you can 100% guarantee that NO ONE is coming out of their sins. The Preaching of Christ is full of Good Fruit and without hypocrisy. It's a Message directed at the Corrupting influence of sin and Victory over the world, flesh and devil. Throughout their ministry the Apostles never strayed from their base:

*Then Peter said to them, "Repent, and let every one of you be baptized in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins; and you shall receive the gift of the Holy Spirit. Acts2:38*

*Repent therefore and be converted, that your sins may be blotted out, so that times of refreshing may come from the presence of the Lord, Acts3:19*

*When they heard these things they became silent; and they glorified God, saying, "Then God has also granted to the Gentiles repentance to life." Acts11:18*

*Truly, these times of ignorance God overlooked, but now commands all men everywhere to repent, because He has appointed a day on which He will judge the world in righteousness by the Man whom He has ordained. He has given assurance of this to all by raising Him from the dead." Acts17:30-31*

*For I know this, that after my departure savage wolves will come in among you, not sparing the flock. Also from among yourselves men will rise up, speaking perverse things, to draw away the disciples after themselves. Therefore watch, and remember that for three years I did not cease to warn everyone night and day with tears. Acts20:29-31*

*to open their eyes, in order to turn them from darkness to light, and from the power of Satan to God, that they may receive forgiveness of sins and an inheritance among those who are sanctified by faith in Me.'* Therefore, King Agrippa, I was not disobedient to the heavenly vision, but declared first to those in Damascus and in Jerusalem, and throughout all the region of Judea, and then to the Gentiles, that they should repent, turn to God, and do works befitting repentance. For these reasons the Jews seized me in the temple and tried to kill me. Acts26:18-21

**Simple Message:** PROVE your Repentance and Faith by your DEEDS!

So why do your Pastors out there in the System keep avoiding this? They preach everything BUT Repentance and faith proven by deeds. Yet this is the last thing Jesus told us to do before He ascended into the Kingdom. (Lk24:47)

**Receiving the Grace of God in Vain:**

*We then, as workers together with Him also plead with you not to receive the grace of God in vain. 2Cor6:1*

Here again is the full essence of the argument with those in the System who are deceived. They refuse to acknowledge the framework of God's universe and insist on the Opposite of Synergy is that everything is Pre-determined by God and His Divine decree causes the outcome of everything that happens. As you can see these are not only opposite ends of the spectrum, they Re-define the entire Gospel Message!

Grace under the predetermined design absolutely must be some kind of Magic Cover for sin. If man is unable to obey God or even turn from his sin (because it's inbred in his flesh) someone is going to have to do it for him. So an entire Package has to be created to Provide for his inability in some round-about way that 'sounds' as though he is deciding for himself and turning from sin, but in reality has been Chosen in advance and given the 'Grace' that allows him to have Saving faith.

However if man is indeed a 'Free agent' created by God with full ability to choose, the tables are turned. NOW he must turn from his sins in the godly sorrow of Repentance and Receive the Grace of God with Purpose! The Sin stops and the dispositions change then the heart is made Pure by faith.

*Moreover, brethren, I declare to you the gospel which I preached to you, which also you received and in which you stand, by which also you are saved, if you hold fast that word which I preached to you — unless you believed in vain. 1Cor15:1-2*

Receiving something in Vain is receiving it 'Without Purpose , to No effect.' Under the false message it would be impossible to do this. How could man receive the Grace of God in Vain when it was predetermined in advance he would receive it? See the dilemma, remove man's free will and no Synergy exists. He can't *Work together* with the Lord (as the passage says) if every determination is already decided. The Grace of God is received COMPLETELY in Vain....No Purpose whatsoever.

Working through this Synergistic arrangement God can make His Grace Dynamic! 'The Power of God unto Salvation. (Rom1:16) Genuine power over the evil corrupting influence of sin. It is of no value at all to merely cover sin and pretend people are righteous. They remain in their wretched state and still in bondage to the world, flesh and devil. Here is Real Grace:

*For the grace of God that brings salvation has appeared to all men, teaching us that, denying ungodliness and worldly lusts, we should live soberly, righteously, and godly in the present age, looking for the blessed hope and glorious appearing of our great God and Savior Jesus Christ, who gave Himself for us, that He might redeem us from every lawless deed and purify for Himself His own special people, zealous for good works. Titus2:11-14*

But in the System your Pastors are 'Sin everyday' men! 'Substitution and pre-forgiveness of sin' Their Gospel is 'No one is perfect', and 'you can't Judge' Christians are the chief of sinners and Romans wretch, if they deny it they are liars and truth is not in them. We have covered these things exhaustively already, but they are pounded into the minds of people across the board! True Spiritual Discernment DOES NOT exist in the System. People inside are hard as nails to the Spirit of conviction because their vile dispositions have NEVER been broken. They have merely learned to 'mode' them into an appearance of Christianity. Like every religious institution before them:

This is why they hate us with a passion. The Truth of Christ represents everything opposed to their System! *And this is the condemnation, that the light has come into the world, and men loved darkness rather than light, because their deeds were evil .For everyone practicing evil hates the light and does not come to the light, lest his deeds should be exposed. But he who does the truth comes to the light, that his deeds may be clearly seen, that they have been done in God."* John3:19-21

Grace brings the Light, Freedom from sin, Victory over the world! God's Ransom is Pure and Perfect, never in Vain or without purpose. Man can indeed be truly delivered from the corruption and influence of sin through Repentance and faith. Surely many out there are in a wretched miserable state of bondage feeling hopeless. But have they heard about the True Grace of God? (I believe many have not) Most have only been under the influence of false teachers to one extent or another and only 'think' they have the truth. For the most part the World is almost completely in Darkness. The Principalities and Powers of evil are in full control of the pulpits. But everyone denies it and thinks otherwise. Consequently the devil has pulled off his greatest trick in the history of man: 'Convincing the world he does not exist in this form and poses them no threat whatsoever. So why Repent of anything? All is well with their soul.

*The coming of the lawless one is according to the working of Satan, with all power, signs, and lying wonders, and with all unrighteous deception among those who perish, because they did not receive the love of the truth, that they might be saved. And for this reason God will send them strong delusion, that they should believe the lie that they all may be condemned who did not believe the truth but had pleasure in unrighteousness. 2Thess2:9-12*

### **The Holy Trinity:**

First some background information. Tetullian a Latin theologian who wrote in the early 3rd century, is credited with using the words "Trinity", "person" and "substance" to explain that the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit are "one in essence—not one in Person"

About a century later, in 325, the First Council of Nicaea established the doctrine of the Trinity as orthodox and adopted the Nicene Creed, which described Christ as "God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one

substance (*homoousios*) with the Father".

The Word Trinity is derived from a Latin phrase meaning the number of three a triad. The corresponding Greek noun means a set of three. Basically the early Saints understood God as a triune Being, existing as God the Father, God the Son and God the Holy Spirit. Each as co-equal co-eternal yet distinctly God. The Trinity was never three separate beings that would make God subservient to Himself. In Creation each aspect of this Divine Mystery was at work framing the heavens.

*Then God said, "Let Us make man in Our image, according to Our likeness; let them have dominion over the fish of the sea, over the birds of the air, and over the cattle, over all the earth and over every creeping thing that creeps on the earth." Gen1:26*

As any Rabbi will tell you the 'Hebrew' US is a Plural expression. So under the Divine influence of the Spirit Moses also understood the Nature of this Mystery. (at least to the extent we are able to grasp it) In the New Testament we see this concept spoken of, not merely as a Doctrine we are to embrace, but as the working dynamic of Creation, Salvation and full Redemption from sin. God calls all men to Repentance, the Spirit convicts and the Son Delivers. Each part of the Godhead has its function in the reconciliation process. There is no limit to His Power and no bounds of His authority over Creation.

*He is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn over all creation. For by Him all things were created that are in heaven and that are on earth, visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or principalities or powers. All things were created through Him and for Him. And He is before all things, and in Him all things consist. And He is the head of the body, the church, who is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead, that in all things He may have the preeminence. Col:15-18*

In Baptism by water it's customary to announce 'Father, Son and Holy Spirit' as present in the process. But it isn't going to condemn anyone if you don't. Remember: Baptism is a Symbol or type of deliverance from sin. It's not the actual regeneration of the Spirit. As with making the Doctrine of the Trinity some kind of dogmatic code everyone has to agree with, don't make something as simple as Baptism a rigid ritual without meaning. Baptism is important in real Christianity and should be observed with deep reverence and respect.

Methods of Baptism vary throughout the ages. In early times they dunked, sprinkled using cold or warm water from a bucket or river. Whatever was readily available. You can consult an Apostolic document called the Didache to confirm this information if you wish. There was no hard fast rule for Baptism by water among the early Saints. The fact that they were constantly persecuted and perused by their enemies made Baptism expedient and perhaps in some cases impossible. A person could likely get Saved one day and be dead the next. It's not something we can relate to now, but then it was a real danger to follow Christ, part of 'Counting the Cost'



In the Scriptures, Flesh is flesh, 'SOMA' in the Greek. There is no implication of a dual nature contained in the flesh.(that's a Pagan teaching) The flesh itself is the Passions and desires. There is nothing sinful about it. Remember Yetzer tov 'Moral Conscience' and Yetzer Ra 'Desires and inclinations.....

This flesh was present in the Garden, so it could NOT be sinful.

*So when the woman saw that the tree was good for food, that it was pleasant to the eyes, and a tree desirable to make one wise, she took of its fruit and ate. She also gave to her husband with her, and he ate. Gen3:6*

The flesh becomes sinful when you present your members as instruments of unrighteous, Rom6:13. You YIELD to your passions instead of Crucifying them. (Gal5:24) Sin is always a choice you make NEVER an inbred Nature you can't avoid. Surely you can wind up in bondage to it as what we call an addiction. But it's merely through following long practice habits of sinning. The addiction may be more difficult to crucify but not impossible.

Another major discrepancy you will find the KJV New Testament is the translation of desire to a made up word: 'Concupiscence'. The reason the early translators did this and it carried through to the Reformation, is their belief in the doctrine of Original sin. desire or Lust (used either way in context) to them, could not be benign. Desire meant Sin in their minds. Inbred, inherited passed genetically, you name it, they believed it! And unfortunately so does MOST of the world today which has nullified the Gospel.

This mis-translation appears three times in the KJV as follows: Rom7:8, Col3:5, 1Thess4:5. The Greek word in each of these passages is DESIRE or LUST, you can verify it in any Greek-English Lexicon. As I said the word desire can be used also in a negative manner to depict the 'Lust of the flesh' (1John2:16) Emphasis is placed on the word so it may appear different. But it's the same thing. Only given in the passage as sinful desires, cravings and lust. So it depends on the context how we translate.

My argument is that this 'Concupiscence' is present in all of us and NOT sinful of itself. Without it we would not have a desire to love, survive, hunger or sleep. It's only when we indulge these desires that they become sinful. The desires of the flesh are natural. Scripture explains where the sin comes from:

*And He said, "What comes out of a man, that defiles a man. For from within, out of the heart of men, proceed evil thoughts, adulteries, fornications, murders, thefts, covetousness, wickedness, deceit, lewdness, an evil eye, blasphemy, pride, foolishness. All these evil things come from within and defile a man." Mark7:220-23*

From within, the Lord said, from a defiled heart given over to lust. Sin has corrupted your spirit and made you dead to God. The heart is desperately wicked. (Jer17:9-11)

But YOU made it that way, NOT God. That's why you're instructed that the preparation of the heart is man's part, so MAKE yourself a New Heart and New spirit! (Prov16:1, Ezk18:31)

The human Spirit is: 'Pneuma' (distinct from the soul in early man) The spirit represents that which constitutes the breath of life. It is the seat of the feelings, desires and affections. (that's why we refer to it as the heart or soul of the matter) The understanding is overlapping. The soul of man is everlasting and is not dissolved at death. In an awakened soul man can have contact with his creator and attain to true blessedness and peace.

Thus we can see the real purpose of the Gospel Message. To revive this spirit and restore it to life! Acts3:19. The 'Refreshing' is the recovery that takes place in the New Birth. It is a Process designed by God to thoroughly wash, purge and cleanse the spirit of all filthiness and overflow of wickedness. Sin is scrubbed away and cast out of doors and THEN the Holy Spirit calmly takes up His abode within. He will NEVER come into a defiled temple to dwell. True conversion is a total transformation of the Desires, Dispositions and Conduct. Anything short of that is cheap and fake mockery of God's Holy Promises to deliver man from the corruption of sin.

*Now may the God of peace Himself sanctify you completely; and may your whole spirit, soul, and body be preserved blameless at the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ. He who calls you is faithful, who also will do it. 1Thess5:23-24*

The Soul is 'Psyche'. This is the Breath of life given by God in the creation of man, Gen2:7. Thus God created man in His own Image, Male and Female He created them. Gen1:27. The Soul can be defined as the vital force that animates the body giving it life. Like the spirit it is eternal and is not dissolved at death. Every living thing has a soul or that which gives it life. Although the Scriptures make a distinction between the Soul and spirit they are certainly inter-related in their function. Both are severely affected by sin. Ezekiel 18:20 says plainly: '*The soul that sins shall die*'

Paul makes reference to this type of 'spiritual death' but says that it's the spirit that will die if you live according to the flesh. (Rom8:6, 13) From this we can conclude that man in bondage to the addiction of sin is DEAD in his sins and DEAD to God. He lives in a world of Darkness, ignorant of God, cut off from the Promises, without understanding, his heart hardened in sin. (Eph4:17-19) Could a mere Covering called Grace bring him out of his state? In the System you're pronounced Saved as soon as you come to realize that Christ died in advance for your sins. (Rom5:9) They have God Reconciling the World to Himself in Christ and passing over their sins. (As many of them say: 'It's not a sin issue!')

Yet in the Bible Sin is the Central issue! The Wages of sin is death, Rom6:23. God did not design a Process to leave man in his wretched state of misery, that's foolishness. But man MUST DO his part in this process, as I have stressed again and again! The Substitution Redemption Model is a FRAUD! If you trust in it for Salvation there is no doubt whatsoever, no matter what ANYONE says, you will be LOST in outer darkness forever! You Must: 'Flee and be Saved from this Corrupt generation' Acts2:40. Yes, 'the Gift of God is eternal life', BUT you are NOT going to Receive it in VAIN!

### **The Keeping of the Sabbath:**

*"Remember the Sabbath and keep it Holy"*

Even among those who have come out of the System you will find this to be a very divisive issue. Many insist on stern observance to the Day, others say we are no longer in bondage to keeping days, new moons, festivals or Sabbaths, (Col2:16) That it is a matter of conscience, Rom14:23. Since now the Spirit dwells within His Church and we worship Him daily in spirit and truth. (Jh4:23-24) But the question remains, is it necessary to Keep the Sabbath?

The early Saints were basically Jewish. Their culture was steeped in tradition and revolved around their festivals and ceremonies. They observed the Jewish calendar, not the Roman. Sunday, as we know it, was not the Sabbath. The Jewish observance is Saturday. However in my studied opinion of this matter in ancient times the particular day we keep is not the issue. As the church grew among the Gentiles and spread into various regions of the world, not everyone observed the same day. The real issue was a Day of Guilt free Rest in the Lord where the Saints could gather, break bread and hear the Word.

Perhaps many of these became the agape feasts and Eucharist gatherings mentioned in early writings. As the centuries passed tradition became more prevalent and the 'corrupted' churches adopted advice enforced by councils and Synods. Observance was imposed rigidly and eventually with violent persecutions. Many Pagan festivals were blended into church practice and are now the main-stay of the West's so-called Christian' holidays' The keeping of a Sabbath is hardly relevant when you consider the entire fallacy of false doctrine preached. Is a Day going to Sanctify defiled hearts and make their worship acceptable? The Denominations who insist on observance of a day are blowing in the wind. It makes no difference whatsoever which day of the week man approaches God until he repents and Stops sinning.

The Jews, including modern Jews, Keep the Sabbath. It's kept on a traditional Jewish timetable beginning Saturday evening at sundown and ending on the first day of the week, Sunday. As I said, the very early Saints, (being Jewish) KEPT the Sabbath and the customary festivals. Animal sacrifice however ceased before the close of the first century and has never again commenced.

Strict observance of the 39 Sabbath laws of Moses and 613 ordinances of the Torah vary among Sects. Surely no one is being stoned to death in America's Synagogues for not keeping the rules. So it's really a moot point to debate which laws to keep, when it was 'all or nothing' to begin with. Jewish people live a lifestyle that satisfies their conscience. They attend their ceremonies and weekly gatherings and for the most part live quiet and peaceable lives in their communities. I mention them only to point out the futility of debating this issue among the Saints.

Ours is liberty to Worship God daily with our hearts, mind and obedience, in uninterrupted fellowship with His Spirit. Making that burdensome by adherence to things would be a sin. We hardly need to be reminded of religious tyranny through the ages. The Churches became a ruling theocracy on earth, blind to the love and mercy of God. The result was darkness and despair, never Redemption and Joy in the Lord. So is it really worth dividing with the Saints over disagreements about the Sabbath, Baptism, or some tradition? I think what you are sacrificing is far more than you think you can gain.

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### **A Word to the Pastors:**

The responsibility of our present day morass rests solely with the Pastors. They delineate the doctrines and set all the standards. When the entire System disincarnates into fairy tales about Magic Covers and pre-forgiveness of sin it's time to step back claim your losses and stop making excuses. I know a great deal is at stake for all of you and it's difficult now to see that you're standing on sinking sand. But many of you have no excuse whatsoever; you've been warned sufficiently already. In our email campaigns alone and blogging, we have exposed this Message to thousands of churches and ministries. We have run long threads with Pastors and other church leaders. I know it's just a drop in the bucket compared to the immensity of the System but nevertheless they have been warned and choose to ignore it in favor of their lies. So woe unto you.

Addressing those of you in the System is not easy. There is such a wide cross section of individuals involved in the ministry. Many are Scholars and know the things we're talking about are true. Others are clueless of church history to any great degree. Their understanding is based on what they have been taught by their mentors and most of them are not even aware that the Saints of old believed things ENTIRELY different than what they are preaching to their flocks present day.

We've covered the major Doctrinal fallacies in great detail already. (its all we write about!) Our approach has been to show the glaring contradiction in Reformed teaching compared to the Bible. Most of what is believed in the System is the exact OPPOSITE of Scripture. For example: the church has the entire world convinced that no one can Judge, 'Judge not' everyone says automatically when someone points out

a sin. YET the Bible says to Judge all things with Righteous Judgment and that the Spiritual man Judges all things. (Jh7:24, 1Cor2:15) The exact opposite!

Does anyone care? Not a chance, that would mean they may have to answer for their sins. So the fallacy remains intact. Professed Christians and non-Christians alike use this common excuse to convince themselves that God knows their hearts and has forgiven their transgressions. That's how this works. Everyone has a Bible. Anyone can find the passages I sited and read them. The Pastors know. But the Judge not defense is too good to let go. The same thing holds with all the fallacies, they are just too good and while everyone agrees they are true why challenge the System?

Pre-forgiveness of sin is another stronghold that fits into this mold. It is based on the fallacy of Substitution and Provides the Magic Cover everyone loves so much. But again, there is NOT a Single Passage in the New Testament that promised pre-forgiveness of sin. In fact it's the Opposite again. Rom3:25 specifically says '*Sin Previously Committed*' Wouldn't it stand to reason that IF indeed sin is forgiven Past, Present and Future, it would be stated clearly in Romans? But the Cloak is too appealing. So you continue to ignore the obvious!

Then take into consideration the effect this Doctrine has had on the People. They sin with impunity! I've heard stories of men who have come out of the System and were truly Saved, who said they were hopelessly addicted to Pornography and lust. When they sought help, time and again, the Pastor and other church leaders would tell them not to worry about it, God will clean him up in time and remove the desire, so focus on your service. In this case the service was 'Children's ministry' ! WOW. They allow someone with a dangerous addiction to teach the kids. Outrageous, yet common.

People with these addictions need to Repent, they are NOT Christians. The Promise Keepers have no real impact on them because they preach the magic cloak. They need John the Baptist! Your churches have been infiltrated by them and as a 'little' Leaven, leavens the whole lump, they have brought society to the depths of Satan. Still you Pastors refuse to wake up and claim that everything is fine. This is Christianity, You claim. The people are hypocrites and the Chief of sinners. They can't help what they are and that's why we need the Cover. Without it everyone will be lost.

So at its base your Gospel is flawed. You rest Salvation on a 'repeat after me' formula, or a Trusting in the Provision of Christ. In the Bible Salvation is established on Repentance and Faith PROVEN by Deeds. But today Most of Christendom will not even mention Repentance. The small segment that still does preach it has it like everything else, 'In Reverse' of the Bible. They have the person getting Saved first and then Repenting....AFTER God has off-set his inbred depravity or nature so he could respond to the Gospel. The reason for this is in their own theology. Here's the Premise:

Man is born in sin. (whether its inherited from Adam, natural depravity or inbred) His natural ability has been affected to the extent that he is incapable of stopping sinning or turning to God. He may be willing but he's not able. Not without help from above. So the Biblical concept of Sin Stopping in Repentance before a person is saved is an absolute impossibility in the minds of the Pastors. No matter what happened in Nineveh or how many times you show them the arrangement of the passages that say so clearly 'It's Repentance unto Salvation' NOT salvation unto repentance, they refuse to relent. In their minds man CANNOT stop sinning and if he could he wouldn't need Jesus....or you really mean the Magic Cloak.

As I've said this is the fundamental flaw in your Doctrine and it's the reason no one is getting saved out of their sin. In your attempt to uphold the Sovereignty of God you completely eliminate the Synergy of man being 'workers together' with Him. Man is not already Reconciled to God. There's a process to Reconciliation and it begins with Repentance, Faith and deeds. He doesn't need anything off-set in his spirit to turn to God. His ability is intact. The Prodigal son sitting in the pig pen came to his senses rose up forsook his sins and returned to the Father. All the Prophets directed their message in this manner, as a given that any man could turn and do what God has said.

*"Let the wicked forsake his ways and the unrighteous man his thoughts. Let him return to the Lord and He will have mercy on him." Isa55:7*

Why do you pastors continue to preach the Gospel in reverse? Why can't you imitate the Prophets? The Bible even says: 'Imitate me as I imitate Christ' 1Cor11:1 But not only won't you imitate these Saints you INVENT an entirely Different Gospel than they preached! It's not a different gospel, really? Let's see:

Your first premise is human depravity, man is desperately wicked and can do nothing but sin. Where is this concept in the Bible? Did God say that man was Depraved or affected in any way by sin? When dealing with Cain (first born after the fall) God told him that sin lies at the door and its desire is for you but YOU SHOULD rule over it. (Gen4:6) If Cain had inherited some kind of natural depravity from Adam why didn't God take this into account? Rather He dealt with him as a capable and free will being.

Human Depravity is based on passages such as Jer17:9-10, Isa64:6, which speak of the desperate wickedness of the heart....AS COMPARED to doing what is right! NOT stating that all of mankind is depraved! Thus you preach a concept that's NOT in the Bible. I know you think it is, but nonetheless there's not a passage anywhere that says man is born depraved.

Next you base the Reconciliation on Substitution. Meaning that Christ took our place on the Cross, became sin for us, and suffered the Wrath of God. Under Reformed teaching it's called: Penal Substitution and it was codified into Doctrine by Martin Luther and John Calvin. Before Penal the central model was Satisfaction, minus the

retributive Justice. And before that from the Apostles to the about the year 1000AD it was Ransom, or Christ Victorious over the world, flesh and devil.

What you teach was NEVER even thought of in early times, not even by the heretic Augustine. It wasn't until a Catholic Bishop named Anselm around 1050AD came up with his Satisfaction theory. Supposing that God, as the Righteous Judge of His universe, had to be appeased for justice sake. He could not merely forgive man his transgressions or risk off setting the balance of His kingdom. The death of Christ then was that Satisfaction (not payment) to motivate man out of gratitude to serve Him. Penal Substitution involving the Wrath and Punishment of God was created by lawyers. They understood God as the Supreme Judge who demanded payment for the crime of sin. Someone had to pay the penalty....the wages of sin....and suffer the Wrath of God. Of course it was Christ's mission to endure this punishment for all of mankind, to actually become sin for him, suffer all the pains and agony of death and then rise from the dead as Savior, providing a Provision for man to Trust in.

Baring the obvious legal aspects of this Model it sounds more like a fairy tale than something that's taught in the Bible. First of all Christ NEVER became sin. Scripture more than confirms that there was no sin in Him. (1Jh3:5) It says He was spotless and blameless lamb of God. (Heb9:14) Rather He was a 'Sin offering' (Isa53:19) That is how the Messiah is depicted over a hundred times in the Old Testament, as an offering for sin, NOT becoming sin. He died not in our place but on our behalf. His death was not a Provision to cover our sins, but an example for us to FOLLOW. So you don't just Trust you OBEY.

I know you think 2Cor5:21 says that Christ became sin. However this passage in the Greek uses the same word used in the Greek OT for sin offering over a hundred times. Why would the NT writer suddenly change the meaning of it in this single passage? More so why would John say that there is NO SIN in Him if it wasn't true? As the Isaiah passages that are used to build the Penal Model and prove retribution the real meaning is lost to you because you have swallowed the Penal lie.

The Penal Model is clearly a piece of Doctrinal trash and invented by Reformed heretics who were lawyers. Certainly it has most of you hopelessly trapped in your formula style Religion; which has brought about a great deal of success in the church world. It's easy in this aspect to believe that God is blessing the church. Service and numbers alone would fool anyone. But the Provision has everyone wallowing in their sin. Sin is not even the issue in most circles. The Penal Model has so influenced their minds that the Gospel is seen as requiring no obedience, deeds of faith or righteous behavior. All this is secondary to Salvation. Justification is purely forensic, a Divine transaction that takes place in the mind of God. It provides everything required to get you into the Kingdom; Security, love and rewards.

The behavioral passages of the Bible are then taught in such manner as something you should do, but your eternal salvation does not rest on any accomplishments or

deeds. It's so far gone that any effort a person might put forth to fight the good fight is immediately suspect as 'trying to earn your salvation'.

So Doing the Right thing by faith working by love is considered Works.

And that's the same reason none of you can preach real Repentance. Under the delusion of Penal you can't see past this important concept. You think if a person can stop sinning before they are saved, means they can save themselves and don't need Jesus. (we've said this a hundred times already) So because you cannot separate the Works of the law from the Deeds of faith, your entire Model of Redemption is ineffective to save anyone.

Your converts enter into an anesthetized State. They believe they have the Cover and that their sins have been forgiven. To them the Holy Spirit is in their heart and God loves them. In reality they are Dead to God, still in their sins, carnal through and through. Their evil desires remain, their dispositions are still vile and caustic. There may be a slight improvement in their behavior temporarily but having no real Clearing of wrong doings it's inevitable they will fall back into grievous sin.

But because they entered the faith under Penal the present guilt for ongoing sin is negated by the Cover. Most Pastors today promise the people FUTURE forgiveness of sin. They make no bones about it....saying that the sins your going to commit Monday are already forgiven. How's that to nullify the warnings of the Bible! It doesn't take long for the conscience of these converts to go numb and no longer accuse them of wrong doing. As the Bible says Suppress the truth long enough and God gives you up. (Rom1:18-23) Exchange the Truth of God for a lie and you go Reprobate!

Could it be that these friendly Pastors full of good works and love for others are 'Reprobate'? What does Jesus say of the false teachers? Matt7:15, He calls them Wolves in Sheep's Clothing, savage wolves in fact. He likens them to a very dangerous and cunning creature. Nothing to mess around with.

I suppose it depends on what you mean by Reprobate. If you mean a person wallowing in the gutter addicted to sin, then this can't apply to them. BUT if you consider the ramifications of a Reprobation of Mind you open an entirely different aspect to this passage.

Reprobation then is associated with Strong Delusion and a lack of love for the truth. It's exchanging the truth of God for a lie (Example: Preaching Penal) and refusing to consider an alternative. All this has a deteriorating effect on the Mind. The Penal Model didn't start out as a license to sin. Although they did bitterly debate legalism vs antinomianism (lawlessness) all agreed that man could not live continually in sin and still inherit the Kingdom. This is the appeal many of these Reformed Preachers have on Pastors today. They were Holiness Preachers, everyone says, who didn't tolerate sin and preached against it.



There is some truth to that statement but they also held to the major tenets of Westminster, which upholds Election, Reprobation, Depravity and perseverance. All under the Penal Model of Redemption. Within that framework they had to preach the Gospel in such manner as to sound like sin had to stop. But the flaws remained and overtime the Penal Model evolved into what we have today...An absolute abandonment of the Truth! Understand the Reformers laid the framework for our present day mess. They put down the foundations, under their influence the entire world turned to this fallacy. You cannot study their material to unravel this thing it will just lead to more confusion. It's not necessary to understand what John Wesley or John Calvin taught to get yourself out of this mess. If you already know, as I do, fine. Use it to expose the truth and teach others. But please DON'T recommend their works to anyone. Stand aloof of the System and if there is any chance for you to come out from among them pray you may escape.

If there is any hope of present reform in our churches they will have to abandon Penal substitution. It has made the Gospel of no effect to bring people out of sin and negated the effects of Repentance. The Pastors are completely in the dark concerning any actual Clearing of Wrong Doing. I've sited 2Cor7:10-11 to thousands of church leaders and NONE of them can grasp this. You may get some of them to admit sorrow for sin and willingness to give it up but no one can stop. That's God's job after you're saved, to change your desires to sin less and less. So what's this mean? The thief comes in as a thief, the adulterer comes in still committing adultery, the drunk is still addicted, the Pornography addict is still full of lust. Vile dispositions remain and desires unchanged. (you see this attitude a great deal in the argumentative nature of puffed up pretenders who can't control themselves)

HOW FAR is this from early Repentance?! *This is the "purging of men's minds, that whatever defilement habitual error had imparted, whatever contamination in the heart of man ignorance had engendered, that repentance should sweep and scrape away, and cast out of doors, and thus prepare the home of the heart, by making it clean, for the Holy Spirit, who was about to indwell, that He might with pleasure introduce Himself there-into" – A.D. 160*

None of this sounds as though the person can't stop sinning or comes into the Kingdom in sin. WHY can't you preach it? What holds you back, who do you fear? This isn't a game! This is not a debate. It's the Spirit of truth vs the spirit of error. We both can't be right. Either the truth is the truth or we have no foundation to stand on. I appeal so strongly to you Pastors because you're the ones out there teaching this stuff to the flock. They trust and respect you. Many Pastors are beloved by their congregations. It's in your hands if we are to make any sufficient impact against the lie. Do your First Works and make it so! Shut yourselves in with God and plead for His Mercy. God is faithful and Just to extend His Pardon and take away your Reprobate Mind and give you a Sound Mind. Only then will you be able to understand the depth of this fallacy and see its far reaching effects on mankind.

Certainly it will cost you a great deal. You will be blackballed from the System and alienated from all your present friends. But isn't this the Real Gospel? 'Count the Cost', 'You'll be hated by men', and divided from your family. Under Penal substitution Jesus did all things for you, but Penal is a lie and they are yet to be Done. You came into the Kingdom under a false pretense and embraced myth, probably never saved to begin with. You learned to take on the appearance of a Christian and convince yourself the Doctrine is correct. You're no better or worse than anyone else and you're full of good intentions for the people. Over the years it feels right and the blessings of God have seemingly flowed abundantly.

But I hate to beat the same drum, what about all the sin? WHY doesn't it ever Stop? If God is suppose to Clean you up and change your desires WHY doesn't it happen? Is God's Power limited? What's the explanation? And don't tell me man is resisting God! Most of you believe in irresistible Grace because man has no real free will to do anything apart from God doing it for him. So this is the MAJOR Flaw in your theology, the Supposed Clean up that never happens. A good example of this is Pornography addiction in the church. It's rampant, even among Pastors.

You're saying that all these people are genuinely saved and filled with the Spirit but remain addicted to this vile sin. Why didn't God Clean some of them up? Why does this addiction seem to span years of abuse? No matter how many rallies they attend or books they read. Could it be because God is waiting for YOU to get clean by Crucifying your flesh with its passions and desires. That's what the Bible says. But you insist its God's part, yet the Preparation of the heart belongs to Man! (Prov16:1)

Unraveling layers of deception is not easy. It can take years to even begin to see through the haze. Most difficult to grasp is the scope of it all, actually seeing the depths of evil at work in all this. Many are able to see all the hypocrisy but are unable to put a finger on the cause. They usually remain in the System or work within the framework of it thinking there is some redeeming value in the 'good' that remains. This is why the Scriptures call us OUT from among them. Peter said in Acts2:40, "*Be Saved from this Corrupt generation!*" The fact remains the entire System is Corrupt to the core. Its darkness and lies under the spirit of error. Until you realize this you will remain in your delusion. It cannot be salvaged or changed. Only by coming out can we combat it and attempt to pull others out of the fire as well.

Your world will turn on its head the day you realize the depth of this. It did for me and many others I know. Now we are obsessed with contending for the faith against it and warning others. We are truly hated and despised by those in the System, just as Scripture said would happen. We are accused of all kinds of sin and even demon possession. People on the Web tell lies about us and try to smear our names. Our Message is anathema in the churches.

But it's the Cost we have accepted to bear for defending the Truth. We have nothing to gain in this world so we set our focus on the Kingdom. Which is gaining the Prize and being found in Service to our Master. We fellowship with the brethren, the true

Saints serving Him. We are few in number but powerful in Spirit. Our Weapons are not Carnal but spiritual for pulling down Strongholds. We take the fiery darts with the Shield of faith. Our strength is in the Lord.

As we have seen, to most Pastors today sin is not even the issue. Although the Bible tells man thousands of times to turn from his evil ways and amend his wrong doings, they insist it is paid for in advance. The Gospel they preach is a moral lesson based on the supposition God has already Reconciled the world to Himself in Christ and if they believe in Him they are saved. No one has to lay aside all filthiness and overflow of wickedness and receive with meekness the implanted Word that can save their soul. Being a doer of the Word means coming to Church and joining in the service. (James1:21-22)

The sad part of all this is that most people who attend these churches are completely unaware their Pastors are preaching such a reprobated message. Of course deception knows no bounds and the people are usually as deceived as those who teach them. When you point these things out and show them the actual quotes they deny it and defend the man. Many times I've sat with these people in the same congregation and listened to a message being preached. Suddenly the speaker will make a blatant contradiction with the Scriptures and they remain clueless. I jot it down and ask them afterward if they heard it. Usually they look at me suspiciously and ask didn't I like the message.

This is the sinister nature of Deception. (Called Strong Delusion in the Bible) It's like a portion of the human brain is nullified and rendered in non-functional. That's why it takes so long to bring some one out of the System. It's like an addiction. They suffer tremendous withdrawal and separation anxiety. Many who begin the journey fall by the way because the cost is too great. Some may even shy away from the System and form small study groups with friends and loved ones. But they still fall prey to the deception because they lack real discernment they fail to see the significance of fully unraveling the Reformed Doctrines and how it relates to everything taught in the Systems. The same deception permeates the mass. When the Pastors defend getting saved in your sins it arises from the same source across the board.

He is convinced man is born a sinner hindered in ability to obey God and must be somehow coerced into repentance after he is saved. In his mind it is absolutely impossible for anyone to stop sinning prior to salvation (and even afterward) and if anyone thinks they can stop, they are saving themselves and don't need Jesus. From this point you need know nothing more about the deception. Every Pastor is under the SAME delusion. It may vary in explanation but the underpinnings remain the same. So ANYONE who preaches from the standpoint of Penal Substitution will fall prey to the same errors.

You build discernment first by knowing this and then tuning your ear to hear the manner of presentation. Up front you should be able to assume that it's more than

rare to hear anything but some form of this message. So you approach it with a natural distrust assured your attitude is not prejudiced. Everything said is suspect. Much of it may be founded in truth and sound like the person really believes you have to turn from your sin, but here's where you ask yourself why would he say such a thing, since he really doesn't believe it. The reason is he has it worked out in his mind that a person must turn from sin but can never stop sinning; somehow that makes since to him. So the Saved will endure to the end and those who fall were never saved to begin with.

Here's an example: I heard a pastor say that if you're in sin you will not enter the Kingdom. True enough statement. However I knew this guy was a Calvinist therefore it didn't add up. So what did he really mean? His redemption model is Penal based on the tenants of Calvinism therefore only the ELECT will endure to the end. The non-elect will be manifest by falling into sin. So he can say those in sin won't inherit the Kingdom because in his mind only the elect will be saved anyway.

But many are still hoodwinked by all this. They think if the Pastors use the right Bible verses and says a few things about obeying God they are on track with the truth. They just can't see the big picture. That it's all just a moral lesson and nothing more. No real working Power of the Spirit to bring people out of their sins. Why else would the people sit by and take it all in happily? Suffice to say that if John the Baptist was preaching to them they wouldn't be all smiles and joy. He would tell it like it is, no holds bared. The hypocrites would have no place to hide. But your Pastor will greet them at the door with a friendly handshake and more smiles. All is well they will say as they go home, in their minds the pastor is speaking truth and he is the shepherd of their souls.

It's not our mission to make enemies of everyone, but at the same time this is not a popularity contest. Woe unto you when all men speak well of you, the Scripture says. For so did they speak of the false prophets of old! The Truth will always be met with opposition in this world of darkness. The churches are no exception. They stand accused and guilty before God. How is the Truth accepted in their midst? Preach it to them and you will find out what real loathing is all about.

*Blessed are you when men hate you, And when they exclude you, And revile you, and cast out your name as evil, For the Son of Man's sake. Rejoice in that day and leap for joy! For indeed your reward is great in heaven, Luke6:22-23*

If this is not the result of your preaching or the preaching you are hearing you follow a different Gospel and false image of the Lord. Why does the church hate our Message so vehemently and accuse us of everything including having a devil? To them we are monsters come to destroy their peace and rob them of their magic cover. We follow our Master. They called Him a devil because He spoke truth, are we better than He? Indeed, Rejoice for His will is being done.

Emotional attachments run deep in the System and even human love can cover a huge amount of sin. It's not likely the Pastors are going to have a mass awakening any time soon. They are sold out to the lie. The doors of the churches are closed to the true Message of Repentance and the minds of the people seared as we have shown again and again. Many of them are already beyond redemption. Even at this point it would require such a deep and broken repentance on the largest of scales, dwarfing even Nineveh, that the whole nation would have to shut down and cry mightily to God for Mercy. The Cup of iniquity overflows with vile corruptions. The inevitability of Judgment is pending over the horizon. It will sweep away the chaff from the threshing floor and burn it with unquenchable fire.

### **A State of Emergency!**

We drafted a series of articles and message years back documenting the awful state of corruption we found the churches to be in. After an extensive email campaigns reaching thousands of Pastors and church leaders all over the world we were prompted to publish our findings. Was there anyone out there who could see how far gone the Gospel had become? Were we alone in our understanding. We had the proof, in writing! Would anyone care to listen?

The following is a brief example of the beginnings of this unraveling. Much of it was shocking to say the least. But the Pastors showed us their true colors with no misgivings. The true nature of what was in their hearts. And we gagged as we read their answers to our simple questions.

Basically we approached this in a very simplistic manner. Our two main questions were as follows:

"Does a person have to stop sinning to receive Jesus?"

'If a child molester recently received Jesus does he have to stop molesting children to remain saved?'

The responses poured in from everywhere. We quickly collected literally thousands of emails mostly from Church Pastors. They would fill a book. However due to our limited space and the fact we did publish our findings in several articles already, I will here give a brief overview of the answers received. They all followed the same theme; 'No one can stop sinning', 'Your Saved by trusting' and 'God will clean you up later' Bottom line 'You're Saved in your sins', as we have shown all along. Here they are:

Answers to Does a Person have to Stop sinning to receive Jesus:

Thankfully, I can answer confidently that God stands ready and willing to receive us JUST AS WE ARE if we will humble ourselves and come to Him with all of our 'stuff' asking Him to change us. When we come to Him in faith, willing to surrender to Jesus as our Leader, He promises to enter our lives and begin changing us from the inside-out while also giving us the wonderful gifts of forgiveness and eternal life. Pretty good deal, huh!

Let me see if I can make this a little easier to understand:

FIRST-- we don't stop sinning to GET saved, we desire to refrain from sin because we ARE saved! When we love Jesus, our desire is to please Him period! This is the reason we absolutely hate it when we sin because we know it does NOT please Him!

Of course not. We cannot, on our own, stop sinning. Your definition of repentance needs a little tweaking.

We can be saved at any point in our lives and any point in our sinful existence.

So the answer is that we are all sinners, we all continue to sin, but as obedient believers we are covered by the grace that ultimately saves us We will never stop sinning altogether in this world.

The short answer is No, a person does not have to stop sinning to receive Christ. In fact, it would be impossible for a person to stop sinning before receiving Christ. Apart from Christ

One of the greatest blessings about coming to trust in Jesus for your salvation is the fact that you come as you are. The moment that I put my trust in Jesus completely, then every sin in my life is forgiven. When this happens, we are given His Holy Spirit to strengthen us for a life in Him. We are not perfect, but the desire of my heart should be to please Him and bring my life into obedience with His word. It is not something that I can do on my own. It is something that His Spirit does as I seek to walk in His ways.

No, Christ takes care of your sin all Himself! He will give you the power to choose to stop sinning AFTER you have received Him. He changes your desires as you allow Him to do it. There are NO requirements to receive Christ. Not before or after. Only sincerity.

When Jesus says "Come as you are" what He is saying is that all people are worthy of the kingdom of God. No matter what sins they have committed or not committed, no matter what they have done or been in their past, no matter what race or economic status. Jesus desires that all should come to Him "just as they are."

The short answer is NO. There is nothing we can or cannot do to earn or to lose our salvation.

Those of you reading this who are still in the System are probably screaming your heads off about now asking WHAT'S wrong with these answers! To you this is Salvation, but from our premise this negates the Gospel. Again, I want to remind the reader these ten email responses represent thousands of the exact same, or worse, replies. All based on the same Premise:

You're born a depraved sinner

You can Never Stop sinning

Jesus Saves you as you are

The Holy Spirit cleans you eventually and changes your desires

No Godly Sorrow, No Clearing of Wrong Doing, No Vehement Desire change, No Fear of God and Certainly NO Purity of heart. NOTHING in accordance with the Scriptures. The person remains in his wretched state waiting for some mysterious clean up that never happens. The Pastor thinks they are genuinely saved and goes about teaching them to cope with their continuing addictions.

Let's move on the next question, which should truly blow your minds! At first I didn't think anyone would touch this question, but I was sure wrong. They freely offered their answers by the hundreds and it was shocking to say the least.

'Does the Molester have to stop molesting to receive Jesus?'

If a person accepts Jesus as their Savior and Lord of their life, God will give that person a desire to obey His laws and the grace to repent and fight their sin. So, in effect, a person receives Jesus and He will help him stop desiring to molest children. God doesn't ask us to come to Him when we've gotten rid of all our sin – that would be impossible, we would never come to Him in that case, because we are always sinful. We just ask for forgiveness and for His help, and He gives it.

Dear Whoever you are, No, but if a person really does accept Jesus and starts following Jesus, he/she will not continue indefinitely to molest children, rob banks, take crack cocaine, look at pornography, drink alcohol to excess, commit adultery, lie, etc. I John 4.9 says that whosoever is born of God does not CONTINUE in sin. However, that said, we must also remember that we are to repent of sin as we receive the gift of salvation through Christ (Mk. 1.15) I think a sinner, just as I am and you are, must start to make a break with our sinful past and trust God to help us stop all those egregious things we did before we started to be Jesus' faithful followers.

So I would suggest that a person receiving Jesus does not have to stop molesting children first, and that once they receive Jesus they will and must stop. I believe that Jesus will empower the repentant molester to begin changing in a way that previously was not possible, and that the person will have to deliberately pursue the change that Jesus makes possible.

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Thanks for your question. Jesus does not expect us to change before coming to Him. However that mere fact that you are considering coming to him is a step in the right direction. Jesus would be displeased with this type of activity so if you are serious about wanting to stop then Jesus can help you. If you are not interested in stopping you are not serious about accepting Jesus. Call me if I can be of help to you for the sake of the child.

You asked: "If a person is a child molester does he have to stop molesting children in order to receive Jesus?"

My answer: Absolutely not. A person does not need to stop anything, start anything, or do anything at all to have God or Jesus in their life. It is just the opposite. Rather

than stopping molesting in order to receive Jesus, it is receiving Jesus in order to stop molesting. I would go even further: God is already in that person's life, no matter who they are or what they have done.. The Spirit is already there. Jesus is already at work. What is needed is spiritual growth to the point where our harmful practices can be overcome and healed. Letting Jesus into our lives begins to change us from the inside out. As we surrender ourselves to God, the Spirit gives all of us, including the molester strength and healing. This is helped by spiritual practices, therapy, Christian community, good teaching, and some healthy relationship with adults who know the problem. Our salvation is not dependent on behaving a certain way. We are saved not because of what we do but because God loves us and would not do anything else but save us.

The short answer to your question is "no." We are saved by faith alone, not by works. See Eph 2:8-9.

So the answer is yes, a child molester can be forgiven without doing anything, but that same one, who enters into God's redemption will in turn live under the new paradigm of God's kingdom. Does that mean that he will not struggle with those things of which we talk? No, he will. But in Christ we are new creations and in humility we seek to walk in righteousness.

No, a person does not have to stop any sin in order to receive Jesus. If we had to be perfect, He would receive no one. The Bible says, "Whoever calls on the name of the Lord will be saved." Call on Him, and you will be saved.

No, his salvation is dependent on Christ. However, if he is truly saved, he will not want to sin anymore. He will turn from that sin—as a result of salvation, not in order to be saved.

I have great news for you. Jesus accepts us just as we are, no matter what that may be or what we may have done in our past. What matters to God is that we are willing to accept and believe with faith that His Son, Jesus Christ died on the cross for all of our past, present, and future sins. Then He arose on the 3<sup>rd</sup> day, and now stands in Heaven with our Heavenly Father. If we believe this and we are willing to confess with our mouth that we are sinners and that Jesus is our Lord and believe in our hearts that God raised him from the dead we will be saved. Because it is by believing in our hearts that we are made right with God, and by confessing with our mouths that we are saved. When one says a prayer to God to forgive us of our sins no matter how big or small they may be, he is more than willing to forgive us of all of our sins when we pray for that to happen. As soon as we accept his Son as our Lord and Savior, He promises us the free gift of Salvation which means when we die we will spend eternity in Heaven with God and his son Jesus. At the point of you praying this prayer in your own words and with all sincerity in your heart, you will be accepted by God and become a Christian. Once that happens, it is a life time process of doing things outlined in the Bible called Spiritual disciplines. Then if we follow them and earnestly try to do them each day we will grow in our faith and walk with Jesus. During our remaining time in this earth, with God's grace and on-going forgiveness for our future sins, our goal should be to become more and more like Jesus.

We have hundreds more just like these and MORE coming in today through the efforts of others in the struggle for truth. As you can see NO ONE even raised the legality issue involved here or suggested this person immediately turn themselves



into authorities for imprisonment. They merely 'receive Jesus' and become a member of the Church. The clean up will come later. This is why we have so many predators in positions of authority over children in the churches. There are no safe guards! Unlike the secular world where Natatoriums and children's play areas have stringent rules protecting the innocent. The Churches seem to think God is going to take care of unbridled lust. How many more stories do we need to hear of men horribly addicted to Pornography who grabs some kid out of Sunday school class and abuses him? This is appalling and shows you how far gone things are. If this sin does not have to Stop who's to say ANYTHING is Wrong?

Of course all the Pastors will use the future clean up excuse (as you see in the emails) They all seem to think that God is going to take care of these things. When it never happens and the person only gets worse, they recommend support groups and professional seminars. In these they learn about being born depraved with a 'Nature' of sin inherited from Adam and they are hopelessly enslaved by it. But in Christ they have assurance of forgiveness now and in the future. As the Chief of sinners and Roman's Wretch they begin to understand their dilemma and the proper use of 1John1:8.

All the time thinking that the sin keeps them humble. But Sin does NOT humble anyone, it Hardens them. Heb12:15. *'The root of bitterness springing up defiling many!'* So they end up worse than before because they have a knowledge of the truth, even THINKING the Darkness in them is really Light. (Matt6:23) While they continue to play the humble sinner the conscience is slowly seared and goes numb to any further conviction. With 1John1:8 firmly in place and in their minds it's impossible for them to say they have no sin.

So NO ONE can Stop Sinning is the Grand Conclusion universally. If they Could they wouldn't need Jesus and could Save themselves. Beyond that there is no point of origin with the Churches. The Genuine Gospel of Repentance and Faith Proven by Deeds is excluded, in favor of a Powerless Witness dead to the Spirit. If you still have doubts about this I suggest launching your own email campaign and begin interacting with these Ministers. However if indeed people get 'Saved' in their sins, then join them! They will be glad to welcome you.

### **A Final Word in this Section:**

I wish I could convey to you the urgency of the situation involved here. There are tens of thousands of Pastors out there telling people they can Never Stop sinning! If anyone needs further proof that the System is fallen and what a person believes about redemption deeply effects how they present the Gospel, THIS is it! These Pastors believe that God has somehow reconciled Himself to man's 'sinful' condition. So He sent his Son Jesus into the world as man's Substitute to suffer the Wrath of God in his place. By accepting this Provision man is forgiven past, present and future and his eternal well being sealed forever in Christ. Since man remains in

his sins, trusting Jesus, and waiting for the magic cleanup, the person is told that God now sees Jesus' Perfect Obedience and Righteousness instead of his sinfulness. So he is then Declared Righteous by proxy although he will sin all the time.

This is what's happening out there without exception. The Strongholds are in place and few are trying to pull them down. The Pastors think they are doing the world a favor telling them they can't stop sinning, but Jesus is the answer. The Result is evident, a Society in ruin. But are you willing to admit it and DO something? That's the central issue at stake, rather to join in the battle or sit on the sidelines and be swept up in the Judgment.

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### **Examining the Myths:**

Let's now compare what the Pastors are saying in their emails to the Bible. Does the Bible really say that God will clean you up eventually AFTER you are saved? Where did Jesus say: 'Come as you are'? Can you really be Saved by doing nothing? Does the Bible teach that man can never stop sinning?

These and many other questions are critical to understand thoroughly before you can fully escape the snare of false teaching. They represent the Model of Redemption preached by these pastors and shapes their perception of the Gospel. For example (the main issue) the Reason a person can never stop sinning in their minds, is because he is born with an inbred malady called sin. So he is naturally unable to do anything pleasing to God in this state, especially stop sinning. It's really that simple. This false teaching was blended into main-stream Church Doctrine in ancient Rome around the 4<sup>th</sup> Century. It is derived from Gnosticism who taught that all things material is sinful while the spiritual is pure. So Man's material body is corrupted by sin while his spirit is chase and pure.

You can look this up anywhere on line and verify it. It's not debatable it is merely a fact of history. Christian and Jewish teaching (as I have shown) NEVER suggested a Dual Nature in man. He was born with a Moral Conscience and Natural Desires. His natural desires, present since Creation, were benign. Abused they could lead the soul into sin as clearly explained the Bible.

*Let no one say when he is tempted, "I am tempted by God"; for God cannot be tempted by evil, nor does He Himself tempt anyone. But each one is tempted when he is drawn away by his own desires and enticed. Then, when desire has conceived, it gives birth to sin; and sin, when it is full-grown, brings forth death. James1:13-15*

By WHAT is the sin initiated according to this passage? Some 'evil desire' within? Or the Natural human desire to indulge passion. The act then becomes Sin when the Desire is united to the Will. So Sin is a CHOICE.....NOT something you're born with! You MUST grasp this important concept or you'll never understand the Bible.

Every Pastor in the System says that God Saves you in your sins and then Cleans you up later. Massive numbers of false converts are presently going about their business in the church world Waiting for this magic clean up to take place. They talk about Him 'Changing' their desires, so they can break there addiction to pornography or taking away the desire for drugs, and alcohol. They diligently attend their support groups and never miss an opportunity to attend another seminar. On occasion their may be some improvement but it has no real depth or lasting effect. Because it's not based on Crucifying the flesh. Until that happens nothing is going to permanently change.

Let's examine what the Scripture says about this important issue. When is this 'Clean up' supposed to take place? The Bible is VERY clear!

*Therefore lay aside all filthiness and overflow of wickedness, and receive with meekness the implanted word, which is able to save your souls. James1:21*

*Therefore, having these promises, beloved, let us cleanse ourselves from all filthiness of the flesh and spirit, perfecting holiness in the fear of God. 2Cor7:1*

*"The Lord knows those who are His," and, "Let everyone who names the name of Christ depart from iniquity." 2Tim2:19*

*Therefore if anyone cleanses himself from the latter, he will be a vessel for honor, sanctified and useful for the Master, prepared for every good work. 2Tim2:21*

*Prove your Repentance by your Deeds! Acts26:18-21, Matt3:8, Lk3:8*

*Let the wicked forsake his way, And the unrighteous man his thoughts; Let him return to the LORD, And He will have mercy on him; And to our God, For He will abundantly pardon. Isa55:7*

*"Wash yourselves, make yourselves clean; Put away the evil of your doings from before My eyes. Cease to do evil, Learn to do good; Seek justice, Isa1:16-17*

*He who covers his sins will not prosper, But whoever confesses and forsakes them will have mercy. Prov28:13*

*Now therefore, amend your ways and your doings, and obey the voice of the LORD your God; then the LORD will relent concerning the doom that He has pronounced against you. Jer26:13*

Enough. If you can't see it by now you'll never see it. The Message is uniform from New to Old Testament, no variations. You must forsake yours sins BEFORE the Lord will Pardon, not after. Your Pastors have succumbed to Strong Delusion. They tell outright lies without blinking an eye! They are 100% sincere that it's God's job to clean you up after Salvation. They are BLIND to the Truth!

It's NOT God's job to Clean you up, it's YOURS! As a free agent with the full ability to Obey and perform Deeds YOU forsake (stop) all Known sins. All known sin comes to a screeching halt in Repentance. Certainly there is more work to be done in fighting the good fight of faith. But these Sins are GONE, Buried with Christ, Crucified and put to death. NOT to be repeated. This is the Clearing of Wrong Doing shown in 2Cor7:10-11. It coincides with the Vehement Desire Change, that also takes place in Repentance.

So when you really Repent and come to God, the fornication, drunkenness, immorality, vile dispositions, and all overflow of evil has ceased. Under the Convicting power of God, a season of godly sorrow has taken place, the fallow ground of the heart has been prepared Working together with God, as is the Universal Dynamic of His Creation, a Clearing takes place. Man does His Part, God NEVER ceases to do His. But it cannot be done without the full cooperation of man's efforts.

Until this is Understood in the System by the Pastors NO ONE will be truly Saved. But their own theology has disabled man and made it impossible for him to comply with Scripture.

The Pastors are truly a sorry lot. They live in a world of Pretense and preach myths. They have the ear of the people and in many cases great reward and success. Their enemy has chosen an effective disguise against them. He is "hiding in plain sight"! No longer does he have to lurk in the dark shadows seeking whom he may devour, his triumph is already in place. The People are Saved in Sin, Continue in Sin and can Never stop sinning! That's their Gospel, Satan's own and everyone loves it.

Next we ask, Where Does the Bible teach 'Come as you are'? Jesus Never said it to anyone. He did say go and sin no more on several occasions. But Nothing recorded has Him inviting sinners to come as they are. Why do the Pastors say otherwise?

Christ constantly told people to deny self and take up their cross and follow Him. He told them the Way was Narrow and difficult and only a Few would be able to endure. So they must Dig Deep and Holdfast always striving toward the goal of eternal life. The closest thing He said about coming to Him is the following:

*Come to Me, all you who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. Take My yoke upon you and learn from Me, for I am gentle and lowly in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. For My yoke is easy and My burden is light." Matt11:28-30*

This certainly doesn't sound as though he is inviting sinners into his fold apart from a serious commitment to assume His Yoke and share in His burden. But still the Pastors go about selling Salvation in a cheap easy Package of repeat after me and universal acceptance. How far off the mark are they? I'd say enough to make what they are Preaching an entirely Different Gospel that Christ Preached!

Of course this all stems from their understanding of Redemption and the Nature of man. They have the Gospel capsulated into a formula that fits into their traditions and lets them have the pretense of success. Come as you are sounds reasonable and it coincides with depravity and moral transfer. So although the Bible says NO such thing or implies it in any way, they employ it as their means of outreach.

Now we examine why the Pastors think you DO nothing to be Saved. It originates from the false doctrine of Faith alone. (sola fide) We have spoken a great deal on Faith and Deeds up to this point and do not wish to be redundant. But as review of the fundamentals is always important we briefly go over this again. Know from the outset, You are NOT Saved by Doing Nothing! The Pastors are dead wrong.

‘Faith without works is dead’ .....we all know these verses in James 2. The common explanation from the Pastors is Yes, works will follow faith if the faith is genuine. Reasonable statement, But highly suspect in light of what these Pastors believe. Do they mean Faith is a Work or that the work is a product of the faith, which came first? You see, in this manner the Work or Deeds become OPTIONAL. Since faith came first and as a result Justification, the person had to DO Nothing in the process.

Is it clear to you yet? ‘Sola Fide’ Saved the person. He is instantaneously Justified and pronounced not guilty, sin paid for, Wrath averted. Now or somewhere down the road these mysterious ‘Works’ will follow. BUT they were not necessary in the process of initial Salvation. That’s what the Pastors mean when agreeing with James that Faith without works is dead. Otherwise it would violate the main theology. Don’t they all say that Doing anything good or bad will not effect the outcome of your Salvation? This is why. To them Grace means you DO nothing in the process of Working together with God.

But as we have shown time and again, Faith is a WORK! Not the works of the law, but the DEEDS of an Obedient heart. You may indeed come to God initially with a rudimentary form of faith, believing that He is and seeking further enlightenment. BUT you’re FAR from Justified in such a state! It’s the DEEDS that prove your faith is genuine: Abraham Obeyed God, Walked in the steps of faith, did the Deeds of faith and patiently endured to the end. The Holy Spirit is given to those who OBEY Him.

It requires an Obedient heart of faith to be Saved. Faith alone denies the Synergy (2Cor6:1) involved in God’s Redemption process. It created people who will never be Doers of the Word because there is always the excuse that deeds are optional and unnecessary. I suppose you could attribute this false teaching to the unashamed denial people have for Scripture today. If nothing but ‘Faith’ matters how can anything they do make a difference. Thus they can pass off the warnings of 1Cor6:9-10, Gal5:19-21 without blinking an eye. (as long as they have faith, there’re safe!)

If you separate Deeds from Faith you negate Salvation. For without the Deeds there can be no Clearing, no vehement desire change and certainly no Purity of heart. KEEP Justification where it belongs!

*For godly sorrow produces repentance leading to salvation, not to be regretted; but the sorrow of the world produces death. For observe this very thing, that you sorrowed in a godly manner: What diligence it produced in you, what clearing of yourselves, what indignation, what fear, what vehement desire, what zeal, what vindication! In all things you proved yourselves to be clear (pure) in this matter. 2Cor7:10-11*

Vindication is the Conclusion of the Process, NOT the beginning. We make observation of the deeds that lead up to this point. You should be able by now to understand that 'Faith alone' is the devil's faith. And it's another product of Penal Substitution ensnaring millions.

'No one can ever Stop sinning!' This is the fortress Stronghold of all false doctrine. Yet it stands on the shakiest of foundations. The imaginary inbred Sin Nature! An ancient Pagan doctrine. But it remains the darling of the church and their excuse for every sin under the sun.

What's the Bible have to say about it? Certainly from the beginning God directed men to sin no more. Cain when he was about to kill his brother Able was told, 'Sin lays at the door, its desire is for you, you should rule over it' How could a depraved sinner rule over anything? You see the fallacy exposed.

Jesus told the people to go and sin no more. He didn't mention anything about God cleaning them later or doing it for them. The focus of Scripture is always directed toward free will and ability. God wants man to do his own part and forsake his vile sins. Why people get so hung up on this issue is beyond me. Even in human situations the offended person expects the pendent to stop his heinous acts and make amends. It's only natural. Think of the case an adulterer seeking reconciliation with his wronged spouse. Wouldn't it stand to reason that the adultery would have to cease and broken off entirely BEFORE any mercy could be extended. By all standards of decency no one could expect to be forgiven while still in the act of sin.

It's the same in Repentance with the Clearing. Vile known sins must cease. People stop committing adultery; break their addiction to alcohol and drugs. They make reconciliation for their lies and theft. Why suddenly with God do you lose all ability to act? It doesn't make sense and it's just too convenient that you're automatically absolved of any responsibility when coming to God. That's the worse thing about this blasphemous doctrine. Putting forth any effort is prohibited. Since you're supposedly declared Righteous by faith you're also exempt of any real Righteous acts. So Doing what is Right is nothing more than filthy rags in the mind's of the people. It's no wonder they can't stop sinning. What possible motivations have they to stop when the Provision covers them entirely?

Stopping the big known Sins is essential to genuine Salvation that's why it's been under such intense Satanic attack since the Garden. (when the serpent told Eve *'Thou shall surely not die!'*) Satan knew from the beginning that if he could Reverse this important concept in the mind's of men, he would have them in his snare forever. Consequently putting a Doctrinal system in place designed to stifle obedience is the supreme triumph. The people are absolutely convinced they Can't Stop Sinning and call anyone a liar who says it's possible. So the Snare is ironclad, because if you can sin and not die, it's no holds barred.

Another common argument that is constantly heard from the people in the System is the dispersion: 'Do you sin?' This (in their mind) immediately takes the focus off them and places it on you, asking the questions about Repentance. But you have to understand that such an accusation is three fold in nature. First it is derived from the notion that 'no one can stop sinning', that's a given with anyone in the System. Next they believe that 'all sin is the same', so there is no difference in their minds between committing adultery and driving over the speed limit. Last they include 'Temptation' as sin. Thus every momentary desire that crosses the mind is a sin.

Therefore you dare not engage them in a debate about sin at this point. Since they are far off the mark in their understanding of what sin is and they are bound to accuse you of sin according to 1John1:8. Remember they come from a Premise that God Requires Perfect Righteousness as His Standard of perfection to enter the Kingdom. Since no one can attain to this standard, except Christ Himself, it's only through His 'Imputed' (or transferred) Righteousness to your account that you have any possibility of meeting God's Perfect Standard. Accordingly you, in their thinking, are a dead duck from the start because you're trusting in your own Righteousness (of doing the right thing) and supposing you can 'sin not' without His help.

You see the tangled web of deception you're getting yourself into by engaging such a debate. Such a complex fallacy would have to be unraveled one layer at a time, from the top down. The person would have to be shown that he is NOT born in sin and does indeed have the ability to stop his wrong doings in repentance and then once that huge hurdle is overcome you would have to convince him from the Scriptures that not all sin is the same and finally that many Saints in the Bible experienced Temptation and did not sin. The person is never going to see their need to stop sinning and Crucify the flesh in Repentance as long as they continue to hold the false premise of human depravity.

Hence their common defense will always be: 'Do you sin', because to them you can't say No or you will be an instant liar according to 1Jh1:8. And you can't say Yes or you will be accused of Self Righteousness. Thus they have you! It's every bit as good as 'no one is perfect', and 'you can't judge'. (to them at least) You can pile on the Scripture and expose every aspect of what they believe with every logical argument under the sun, and they will remain entrenched in the lie. All you can do in these

cases is fire your salvo and hope something sticks to dislodge one of their pet fallacies. It's no use arguing with someone about whether or not you sin or don't sin because it will accomplish nothing. Give them the truth and move on to someone down the road who may be more willing to hear you so that you are not casting your pearls before swine.

### **Ever Learning.....**

*Always learning and never able to come to the knowledge of the truth. 2Tim3:7*

Many people in and out of the System of churches attend Bible Studies, but they remain illiterate of Sound Doctrinal understanding. In fact I've personally seen people involved in study groups for years on end, using scholarly information as their source of learning and never get past an infantile state of spiritual growth. Obviously their reasoning for doing this must be the prestige of attendance and the form of godliness it affords them as professing Christians.

Therefore many do indeed participate in these studies but appear to get nothing out of it as it applies to their daily life and conduct. We could attribute this mainly to their twisted understanding of the Gospel in general. To them the Bible confirms the doctrinal tenets of their belief system, whether it be Wesleyan or Calvinism or something in-between. Consider for example the stricter denominations that require dress codes, head coverings or the observance of days and ceremonies. What will they glean from the Scriptures? Surly not Repentance and faith proven by deeds! No, they will focus on the passages that allude to their system of belief and continue to enforce their codes. Also the Pentecostal type churches where signs and wonders are a constant occurrence, they will not study the passages in the Book of Acts that stress Continuance in the faith, Steadfast obedience to the truth or deliverance from the corruption of sin. Rather they will narrow in on the speaking in tongues, miraculous healings and other Apostolic miracles recorded therein.

Consequently the people seem devote to their 'Codes' or excited over the signs, but they make no progress whatsoever toward a real Clearing of Wrong doing, Vehement desire change or Purity of heart. Again, the 2Tim passage explained, 'having that form of godliness without the Power of a godly life and ever learning but never able to arrive at a real knowledge of the Truth!' This same scenario is played out in thousands of Churches worldwide. People will indeed study the Bible, some even become so-called Bible Scholars with advanced degrees. But they never get past their doctrinal bias. In the Scriptures they will find support for human depravity, Substitution, the Moral transfer, sins forgiven in advance and eternal security, although NONE exists!

Where this phenomenon is most disturbing is among those who have come out the System, break away into small study groups, but never seem to make any progress in spirituality or discernment of the truth. Doctrinal bias could still be a factor in this



because many people will separate over diverse beliefs on various topics. However even among those who claim to reject the major doctrines of Reformed theology will study but they remain shallow and easily deceived. They will often be the ones who came out of the System, but continue to cast dispersions on those who Contend earnestly for the faith. They are just not settled firmly in their minds that the Church System is apostate to the core and still see some kind of redeeming value in it. The result is usually friendship with the world, manifest in a real fear of severing ties with old associates and people still in the System.

Pastors in the System will call these dissenters the 'splinter' groups that separate from their Churches, censuring them as diverse and taken captive by strange teachings. Nevertheless what I am trying to convey in this section of 'ever learning' is that even the groups within the groups that break away from the System can end up in the same or worse situations they intended to leave behind. Because they have failed to make a full Clean Break from the teaching and doctrines of the System they are just not certain exactly WHAT they believe. Consequently 'confusion' sets in and the Devil gains his foothold. (James3:15-16) So although these people will continue to Study their Bibles they have not settled it resolutely in their minds that the Universal message of the System is based on the 'Saved in Sin' Gospel.

Such is the substance that connects all the Dots. You have to arrive at a decisive conclusion or you'll never rise above your naivety concerning the System. No matter HOW much you study! Just like the people who study in the Churches and arrive at the same mundane conclusions, nothing ever changes. The Deceptions become the Strong Delusions of those who love not the truth. (2Thess2:10-11) If you really love the Truth you must be willing to pay the ultimate cost of Contending for it! And that will mean hatred and accusation from those you thought were your friends.

There is certainly a sense of security and confidence in gathering in Study groups and people will use such things to convince themselves they are on the right track with God. But there's a distinctive point of departure between merely increasing Knowledge and gaining True Spiritual insight. The Wisdom from above is always Pure, Peaceable, gentle and WILLING to Yield. (Js3:17-18) In this Spirit you will willingly take up your own Cross and give yourself wholly to the Truth.

### **Hiding in Plain View!**

Tyrants have always known that if you want to conceal your true agenda from the people you don't tuck it away in some super secret location that invites suspicion. On the contrary you hide it in Plain View! During the War both sides used this ruse to trick the other side. They would park top secret aircraft on runways alongside with the in-service planes. Or place prototype tanks in the same ranks with all the others. And NO ONE noticed.

We deal in the Spiritual realm and our battle is staged against Principalities and Powers in high places. Our foes are the powers of darkness, a spiritual host of wickedness holding the whole world' in their sway. Their primary mission is to steal, kill and destroy any virtue and decency in the hearts of man. They work in the shadows and dark places of our world lurking about seeking to devour the souls of the most vulnerable. They can appear as Ministers of Righteousness and even Apostles of Christ under a form of godliness that has the appearance of Lambs.

Scripture is filled with dire warnings about their wiles and powerful influence over the affairs of men. The early Saints were keenly aware of what they were up against in the spiritual realm. They did not underestimate their enemy or adopt a system of doctrine that stripped him of his influence over the people. To them he remained the Prince of Darkness a formable foe who still presented a threat to the people of God. They had to diligently resist him or perish!

*Be sober, be vigilant; because your adversary the devil walks about like a roaring lion, seeking whom he may devour. Resist him, steadfast in the faith, knowing that the same sufferings are experienced by your brotherhood in the world. 1Pet5:8-9*

The Saints are engaged in a pitched battle with the powers of darkness and understanding the nature and strategy of your foe is of the utmost importance. That's why you won't stand a chance without your spiritual armor securely in place at all times.

*For we do not wrestle against flesh and blood, but against principalities, against powers, against the rulers of the darkness of this age, against spiritual hosts of wickedness in the heavenly places. Therefore take up the whole armor of God, that you may be able to withstand in the evil day, and having done all, to stand. Eph6:12-13*

However all this has fallen by the wayside inside the Present day System. They have Satan already defeated and representing no further threat to the church. To them he is nothing more than a toothless Dragon stripped of his power by the Provision. They barely mention him anymore only perhaps to blame him for someone falling into sin as 'the devil made me do it!'

This is where he is hiding in Plain Site! Directly behind the Pulpits. In front of the Sunday school classes. In the adult Bible study groups. In every aspect of church life. His handiworks are neatly concealed in their books and other printed material blended into all their doctrines. In a way Satan has succeeded in convincing them he does not really exist. At least NOT for what he is or the real influence he exerts over the affairs of men. Rather he is seen as a cartoon character in a red suit with a pitch fork dancing around the stage.

Satan and his minions have the present day church in their clutches. They preach his doctrines and celebrate pagan holidays as their traditions. Just as they will allow the

children to dress up as Witches and goblins for Halloween their lax attitude toward the powers of darkness keeps them in bondage to their false doctrines and sin Gospel. None of them realizes from where these false doctrines originate.

*Now the Spirit expressly says that in latter times some will depart from the faith, giving heed to deceiving spirits and doctrines of demons, speaking lies in hypocrisy, having their own conscience seared with a hot iron, forbidding to marry, and commanding to abstain from foods which God created to be received with thanksgiving by those who believe and know the truth. 1Tim4:1-3*

‘Lies in hypocrisy’ .....Spoken as Smooth and flattering words designed to deceive the hearts of the simple. Great Swelling words of emptiness that Promise liberty while you remain a Slave to your own corruptions. Maintaining a form of godliness but denying the power thereof. These teachers dabble in destructive heresies that sear the conscience of men never understanding the dark spirits behind them. They make merchandise of the souls of men in order to gain more popularity and favor among them. ALL OF THIS is laid out in the Scriptures with CLEAR warnings to Turn away from these things! Satan’s Wiles are nothing new.

(Check: 2Pet2:1-3, 1Tim4:1-3, Rom16:17-18, 2Cor4:3-5, Matt7:13-14, John10:10, Jude3-4, 2Tim3:13, 4:3-4, Eph4:14, Acts8:21-22, 1John4)

But NEVER expect the teachers under the influence of these demonic entities to recognize their peril. As we’ve said before the light they think is in them is really darkness and they operate solely in the flesh. Therefore the Carnal mind (having no agreement with God) cannot comprehend Spiritual matters. Thus you have a Gospel in Reverse! Whatever the Scripture says, the exact opposite is taken.

That’s why it’s so difficult to bring someone out of this mess. Everything has been twisted and convoluted for so long the mind is no longer Sound. (meaning able to make an honest judgment from the heart) We see this concept brought alive in the Gospels beginning with the impossibility of serving two Masters. The Prodigal Son being the perfect example. In the midst of his despair, after having spent all his inheritance and was now wallowing with the Pigs, he CAME TO HIMSELF, rose up and made his way back to the Father. (Lk15:17-18)

He made an Honest heart-felt decision to admit his rebellion and get back on the right track with God. Soundness of mind had returned. Man does not forfeit his ability to choose even though he is addicted to sin and under mass deception. The Prodigal was far gone in his sin and had descended to the mire of pig slop. Yet he STILL mustered enough sensibility to make an effort toward reconciliation with the Father.

In Luke 8 we see another instance of this when Jesus had cast a legion of demons out of a man in bondage and as his village came out to see what happened they were afraid because the man was in his RIGHT Mind. His Soundness had returned, and it posed such a contrast to the ‘norm’ the others did not know how to handle it. Such is

the way of the System. They don't know how to react to genuine spiritual people. They have operated in the flesh for so long they 'fear' being presented with matters they can't comprehend.

We must recognize that Sound Doctrine is outside the realm of their comprehension. As forecast by the Apostle, '*They will no longer endure SOUND Doctrine*' 2Tim4:3. It requires a Sound Mind to understand Sound Doctrine. What is this soundness, but nothing more than the beginning of true Wisdom. The Sound Mind has an Honest heart willing to yield. It will never turn away from the truth to fables. Thus the Lord has not given us a spirit of fear, but of Power, Love and Sound Mind! 2Tim1:7. Without it you remain in the dark.

But the flesh breeds abstinence, a hardness of heart that rejects the admonitions of Scripture. That's why it's so essential to genuine Salvation that the fallow ground of the heart be broken up to receive the implanted Word. (James1:21-22) When this never happens the ground becomes harder and harder. Couple that with the fact that in the System they are ever learning but never able to come to a knowledge of truth (a complete knowledge that is) and you have the perfect formula for what is described in Heb6:1-8. They cover the basic fundamentals over and over again, never really putting any of it into practice, sinning all the time against the truth with no real repentance and sinking further and further into darkness. So it comes to pass a cursed ground of thorns and briars given up to reprobation.

*but if it bears thorns and briars, it is rejected and near to being cursed, whose end is to be burned. Heb6:8*

The KJV of the Bible describes the Single Eye as a body full of Light. This is the Sound Mind fixed on Christ and Crucified to the world. Failure to cut off or pluck out the offending member of the body will always result in disaster. If a person thinks that the Darkness in them is really Light they will not be able to endure Sound Doctrine or make a Righteous Judgment. It is of critical importance that you understand this concept of the Single Eye and Sound Mind. No one can Serve two Masters! Many in the System are trying, but it can only lead to Perdition in the end. The flesh has great enjoyment pretending to be religious and informed but it's like opium to the soul. Sadly not many will flee Satan's snare because of the Cost involved.

Lucifer as the fallen Angel among the beloved of God has been at work to suppress the truth from the very beginning of creation. He was present in the Garden using his wiles to deceive Eve and convince her she would surely 'not' die by disobeying the Lord. He did this by suggesting that her eyes would be open and she would then know the difference between good and evil. In her MIND it didn't seem like rebellion, but a further enlightenment that would satisfy the flesh. So sin entered the world and by it Death (spiritual death, separation from God) Man was forbidden the joys of the Garden cut off from the Tree of Life.

Such is the Nature of the evil one. His mission has been to Steal, Kill and destroy any semblance of truth from the heart of man. NOT by force but with subtle suggestions of a better way more pleasing to the flesh. We could trace his footprints throughout the history of mankind. Right up to the birth of Christ. However suffering a critical set-back in his attempt to defeat the Messiah he turned his attention on the Saints who followed Him and preached His Message to the world by launching a series of severe Persecutions under the Roman Empire spanning more than three hundred years until the advent of Constantine I who finally legalized Christianity and brought them into the Pagan temples of Rome.

However the Persecution did not cease entirely only the focus of the cruelty. Now the Church had a Dogma to defend, backed up by powerful Councils appointed by the Emperor. They held frequent Synods (trials) to expose the heretics who refused to fall in line with the official church doctrines. They were handed over to the inquisitors for purification or ultimate death if they refused to recant.

Behind the scenes Satan and his minions were now deeply entrenched in the organized religion of Rome. They directed the affairs of the Pope and his entire underlings throughout the Empire. The primary mission was to stamp out any remembrance of Sound Doctrine that would lead men to a genuine Repentance and Faith. Religion was fine, as long as it fell in line with the 'Church'.

Although it appeared that Satan had prevailed over the truth such was not the case. The more severely he pressed the Persecution the more zealous the Saints became. Their Message flourished far and wide. The thousands that would die for their faith in the arenas and torture chambers of Rome, thousands more would replace them even more deeply devoted to the Risen Lord. Men under this satanic influence will never understand that you can't fight God! You can quench your thirst for blood in every hideous manner imaginable and NEVER vanquish the Saints of God. It took Satan more than a Century to realize this, that his efforts were only adding more fuel to the fires of commitment in the hearts of men.

By the time of the great Renaissance (increase of knowledge) he rolled back the most ruthless persecutions and began to work subtly behind the scenes again to influence the New Reformed Doctrines being codified by certain pundits who were disillusioned with Catholic authority.

Namely two main players came into focus here; Both operating solely in the fleshy mind. The first was Martin Luther of Germany and the second John Calvin of Geneva. They were tyrants in their own right and had participated in the brutal torture of heretics who broke away from the authority of the church. These persecutions included burnings, the rack, removal of the skin, slow drowning, dismemberment and beheading. All this of course in the name of keeping the 'Doctrine' Pure and motivating men to serve the one true God.

Gaining the upper hand these monsters codified the Augustinian teachings Satan had introduced in 3-4 Century Rome. They developed the Dual Nature concept of the Gnostic Pagans Augustine had introduced and defined it as 'Total Depravity'. In other words man was born dead in his sin with a desperately wicked heart. Next the fatalism of Pagan philosophy came into view defined as 'Unconditional' election. Here man has nothing to do with his Salvation. He is chosen arbitrarily by God as a vessel of Wrath or one of Mercy. His own personal choice in the matter is of no consequence it is pre-determined in advance. (another teaching directly taken from the Pagan philosophers.)

Finally in order to secure some semblance of Salvation a system had to be introduced that would bring the elect to a Saving knowledge of the truth. This of course was the 'Irresistible Grace' derived from the 'Limited Atonement' (Christ only died for the elect, no one else) to effectively bring in God's elect. So ALL would then Persevere to the end having been Saved and Granted the Grace necessary to bring them in.

It was a System signed, sealed and delivered from the very Gates of hell itself and guaranteed to destroy more souls into Perdition than all the bitter Persecutions put together. Satan had a choke hold on organized religion again and now an ARMY of false teachers at his disposal to promote the lie around the world. Collectively they would challenge the very foundations of Truth and make the Gospel almost null and void on earth. With the Proclamation that Man could be Saved 'in his sin' and still enjoy the benefits of the Kingdom the stage was set. They would be lined up in droves to worship the Beast giving him full authority over the church.

The Reformation was nothing more than a reorganization of Catholicism. It may have indeed put an end to much of the tyrannical authority of the Popes and Bishops, but there was no real restoration of the Doctrinal heresies that had begun in third Century Rome. Rather they were clarified and brought more into focus as the orthodox Evangelical Doctrinal tenets of the Westminster Confession. So even more than Luther's 95 Thesis, Westminster represented the battle cry of the Reformers. So much so that over the next three hundred odd years they went forth on earth Proclaiming the Message of Faith alone and Salvation in Sin. (never realizing the damage they were doing to the mind's of men or the legacy they would establish for future generations)

Thus Satan had brought an end to much of the Persecution on earth allowing the church to flourish in comfort, especially in lands where freedom and liberty were guaranteed by the rule of law. However rather than explode into a Revival of Purity and Righteousness the ruse worked a deep complacency in the hearts of men. Evidence of this trend can be seen in the Journals of the traveling Preachers during the Circuit riding days of the 17 Century. They constantly lamented the fact that although the people in a region would show a definite interest in the things of God when the Preacher arrived, but six to twelve months later upon return the preacher would find them again in a fallen and reprobated state.

Such was the nature of the Doctrine they were disseminating far and wide. They were unknowingly undermining their own efforts by telling the people they were born depraved lacking any ability to obey unless God's granted it to them. This is exactly what was written into their Doctrines and without a doubt conveyed to the people in a thousand various ways from the pulpits. Article Six of Westminster summarizes the dilemma. It states that man is born wholly depraved without ability to respond to God, his body soul and spirit defiled and dead. The Guilt of Adam's 'original sin' is imputed to him and all descending generations. He is utterly indisposed, disabled and opposite of all good, inclined only to evil. And worst of all this corruption REMAINS in him even after he is regenerated and pardoned by God and basically can NEVER stop sinning! (look it up on line and read section VI)

Understand that THIS was the Premise of their Gospel. Regardless which camp you were in: Calvinism or Wesleyan. Man was born a sinner and had no ability to obey until God somehow granted it. This meant of course that he also had no ability to Repent.....NOT in the manner directed in Scripture. How could a depraved sinner, dead in sin, incapable of good, get himself CLEAR of his wrong doings before God intervened to help him? Impossible! Consequently the people who first welcomed the Gospel Message upon the arrival of the Preacher were left with the impression that God would clean them up in His time. So as they waited for Him to act the uncrucified flesh would bring them into further captivity and bondage to their sin.

It was a vicious circle and ultimately led to the total corruption and downfall of Gospel preaching on earth. When the twentieth Century rolled around and the days of hell fire and brimstone preaching faded into the sunset, the people could be Saved by merely Repeating some words, raising their hand or being counted at an altar call. Essentially NOTHING was required in the way of Deeds Proving Faith or Repentance. In fact the Deeds of Repentance became a WORKS Salvation and deemed heresy by the Church. Any suggestion of effort in repentance was trying to Save yourself or a prideful assertion that you didn't need Jesus.

The System holds these past preachers in great esteem. Their works remain as the mainstay of scholarly learning in their religious institutions and church libraries. Many pundits today will quote Augustine, Luther, Calvin and others as their final authority in matters of faith and salvation. They ignore the obvious atrocities and intolerance of these men and give them a special place in the Kingdom as though they had a special insight into God's Truth. The people, like dumb sheep remain clueless to it all and dutifully follow the same lies down the road to Perdition their ancestors followed in the days of old.

Granted morality has been on a down hill slope for a long time. As 2Tim3:13 so rightly says: *"Evil men and imposters will grown worse and worse, deceived and being deceived!"* What may have started out with the best of intentions by the deeply devoted and dedicated Circuit riding preachers culminated into what we have today. In essence they Preached the SAME Gospel back then. It may have focused

more on sin and doing the right thing than we hear today, but the outcome remained the same. Man was a poor depraved sinner with no ability toward good and had to wait on God to change him.

People in the past may have abstained from immorality merely because of the stigma attached to such behavior by society. Such things as drunkenness, fornication, adultery and sexual perversion were considered shameful to ordinary people. Not necessarily because they were Born Again and filled with the Holy Spirit of Truth, but because they had full capability to recognize the difference between good and evil! They were NOT impaired by some 'inbred' nature inherited from Adam. The preachers told them they were, but their own human abilities testified to the opposite.

However over time and with the incessant entrenching of an ever deteriorating Gospel message we arrived at what we have today. The Seeds were planted by the Reformers, they took root in the false spirit of revival and finally sprouted into our present day church System completely awash in sin. The final product of the Satanic triumph, a Church increased with goods, in need of nothing, full of dead works, but in reality wretched, miserable, poor, blind and naked!

But as I said at the outset of this section that Satan's greatest trick was convincing the world he did not exist, so he has achieved an even greater victory over the church. Having Convinced them they are the Light of God's Truth on Earth when they convey only Darkness and despair over mankind with their message.

Under the most severe persecutions of history the true Saints had remained Pure and kept the Message alive. They flourished in gathering the souls of men into the Kingdom and the light of God burned bright among them. Death and destruction could not extinguish the lamp no matter how intense. However when religious tolerance settled in and the people were free to express their faith openly the Gospel went soft. No longer did Christians have to fear naming Christ as their Savior and Lord or gathering in His Name. But as we have shown, instead of bringing a true great awakening to mankind all this resulted in nothing more than the adoption of Another Gospel that made Christ a Minister of sin.

Such was Satan's hand apparent since the days of Augustine, actively working to disseminate the Gospel by introducing subtle heresies. Man of course was his willing accomplice all the way and operating solely in the flesh he was easily deceived by the lies. They made Perfect Sense to a Carnal mind! Certainly man was wholly wicked and could never stop sinning.....God had to Provide him with a Cover and THAT'S what had to be Proclaimed to the World!

So they have gone forth with the ultimate lie and it's been a Scorched earth policy; with nothing but death and destruction in their wake. The True Saints are FEW and the Contenders of the Faith even FEWER. Their Message of Repentance and faith



proven by Deeds is considered absolute heresy to the Church System and is not welcome among them. For now they close their ears to the Truth.

But I see a day fast approaching when we will be hunted down again and suffer the pain of death for our Lord. As the World sinks deeper and deeper into the dark realms of tyranny history is about to repeat itself. The Light of Liberty is barely visible and the people have become servile slaves to their sin almost completely unaware of the times in which they live. Mystery Babylon the mother of harlots and of the abominations of the earth---the Present day Church System--- will fall as says the Lord. Its destruction will be great and all will perish with her who have partaken of her fornications and wickedness.

You MUST Come Out from among her and prostrate yourself before the Lord! Do not share in her plagues and Judgment. Right now Pardon is still available at the Mercy Seat. BE Reconciled to God while the Call is still going forth.

*Or do you despise the riches of His goodness, forbearance, and longsuffering, not knowing that the goodness of God leads you to repentance? Rom2:4*

### **Summary:**

If you want to understand where the Reformers went wrong you need to look past any Doctrinal bias you may presently have. Collectively they embraced the age old errors of Augustinian teaching and brought them into the main-stream. This alone tainted their understanding of the Gospel and forced them to build on the wrong foundation. Had they rejected the Pagan influence of a Dual Nature in man, there may have been some hope for real reform. But instead they magnified it and attached an entire System of Doctrine to its coat tails.

As a result we have a Church hopelessly divided into hundreds of various Denominations all clinging to the same error! None of them are better than any other, they all teach some form of the saved in sin gospel, derived from the Original sin fallacy. The Catholic system still boasts themselves as the foundation of Christianity, but they are equally (if not more) corrupted as all the others. Therefore the first thing you must fully grasp and understand to escape these many snares is that you CANNOT subject yourself to the spirit of error and still be lead by the Spirit of Truth! The early Saints fully comprehended this important concept:

*Beloved, do not believe every spirit, but test the spirits, whether they are of God; because many false prophets have gone out into the world. 1John4:1*

*They are of the world. Therefore they speak as of the world, and the world hears them. We are of God. He who knows God hears us; he who is not of God does not hear us. By this we know the spirit of truth and the spirit of error. 1Jh4:5-6*

*Whoever transgresses and does not abide in the doctrine of Christ does not have God. He who abides in the doctrine of Christ has both the Father and the Son. If anyone comes to you and does not bring this doctrine, do not receive him into your house nor greet him; for he who greets him shares in his evil deeds. 2John 9-11*

Lacking in real spiritual discernment can cause you to share in another's evil deeds. That's why it's so critical you remain aloof of this menagerie of error. It's of no worth to you whatsoever to go from church to church in an attempt to find the truth. You're NOT going to find it! Appearance means nothing. They may indeed speak words of truth, but underneath it's always laced with error. As Saint John has warned you Cannot submit yourself to this spirit in any way whatsoever.

For all these reasons I wish to show in my summary a critical comparison between the two major camps of present day Evangelical Christianity. Namely: Calvinism vs Wesleyan. I realize there are hundreds of flavors in-between of all various shapes and types, but my focus here will be on the main tenets of the Doctrinal fallacies in how they differ and how they are similar. First let's look at the Similarities.

As we have shown both sides embrace the Augustinian Original sin teaching. This is the Tip of the inverted Pyramid in all aspects of unraveling their errors. Consider it the Key to understanding the entire system of fallacy. Definitions may vary between them but it's all based on the same misinterpretation. Examine any Doctrinal statement of faith and you'll find one of the following:

Man is Born Dead in sin with a wholly depraved heart, desperately wicked (the extreme view)

Man is born with a corrupted nature that makes it impossible for him to stop sinning  
Man's free will has been hindered by this inbred malady and requires Divine intervention to respond. He possesses the free will but lacks the ability to exercise it toward good.

The Stain of Sin remains in Man for life and necessitates daily sin in thought, word and deed.

All of this necessitates a Provisional Care by God to facilitate the inbred nature of sin. They all believe that man can NEVER stop sinning without some sort of Divine assistance. Even then it's only sinning less and less as God slowly changes the desires. However to initiate this process requires a Special Grace to be bestowed on the sinner making possible for him to receive Jesus as his Savior. Both sides believe in this Special Provision granted by God to the chosen. Accordingly their Gospel is a Divine Provision designed to absolve inbred sin.

### **To Summarize:**

Both sides believe in some form of Augustine's original sin doctrine

Both sides limit man's ability to act

Both sides believe a stain of sin remains in man for life

Both sides believe in a Provision that Declares man righteous by imputation

If you have ever wondered why all these various Pastors from different Denominations can work together so well study their Doctrines. They only Slightly differ. The end result is man still gets Saved in his sin because he was born disabled by an inbred nature of corruption. You can argue the finer points of either system but when it's all said and done, the Deeds of Repentance and Faith are still not essential to Salvation. That makes both systems benign and non-threatening, adaptable to almost any form (winds) of doctrine that may come along.

The Slight Difference between them is focused on how God intercedes in the Salvation process. To the Wesleyan side it's 'Prevenient' Grace. To the Calvinist it's 'Universal' Grace. Neither is mentioned anywhere in the Bible but in order to facilitate the original sin teaching the concept had to be invented. Otherwise it wouldn't make sense to place man in such a precarious situation unable to act on his own and then require him to do so anyway. Accordingly this 'Special' Grace comes into play to insure his call and election.

According to the Wesleyan system of doctrine Prevenient Grace is said to be granted to all humanity in order to off set their inability to obey. Man was created with free will and the ability to choose between right and wrong. However because sin entered the world passing to each succeeding generation man became depraved and now lacks the ability to respond to God. Subsequently Prevenient Grace enters the picture and now man can make that critical choice to turn. However when he does turn to God he is instantly fully responsible for his actions from that point on. This way the Wesleyan side can say man does have free will to choose between right and wrong----even though it was God who initiated the process in the first place.

Thus the Wesleyan System preserves the Sovereignty of God and still allows for man's personal choice. In his depraved state he was unable to respond, so in order to repent (change his mind to the Wesleyans) he needs Divine intervention. Conveniently that comes to all mankind as a kind of enabling influence they can employ to turn from sin to God. (this they call Free Will, even though it was God who provided the means for them to choose!)

Universal Grace is more diverse. It is bestowed by God on all mankind as the means of keeping them just slightly above animalistic. It is this form of Grace that allows man to be inventive and creative benefiting civilization. The Calvinist will attribute any virtuous act of man to Universal Grace. Without it he would be a savage with no restraints. But as you can see it has nothing to do with the Salvation of the Elect. That requires even another special Grace to call them into the fold. The Effectual Call and Irresistible Grace:

In the TULIP, the I stands for 'Irresistible' Grace. This is the special grace reserved for the Elect which makes it impossible that any of them be lost. It goes out to them

as the 'Effective' Call but only to the 'Elect'. The non-elect cannot respond even though they may desire to do so. ONLY the Chosen of God can come in and none of them will ever be lost. All the Elect are also granted the Grace of Perseverance that ensures their endurance to the end. Therefore if anyone comes into the fold, over the fence so to speak, and does not endure, falling back into sin he is deemed non-elect to begin with. Because the real Elect are guaranteed to Endure.

Throughout their history both Systems of Doctrines have stressed infant Baptism; This being a means to buttress their hopes of Election for the infant. It is done as a Dedication for the parents sake, but according to the Doctrines it sanctifies the baby if it is chosen as elect.

The question whether or not non-elect infants go to hell if they die in infancy, is a hot issue. Some Calvinist Pastors dogmatically insist non-elect infants will be cast into hell and we cannot question God's Sovereign decree. The Wesleyans are a bit softer in their opinions. John Wesley insured a Special Grace to be bestowed on infants who die prematurely. He could not conceive of a God of Love doing such a horrible thing. He and his associates still Baptized Babies and encouraged parents to do so. Today you may find some churches that still follow these methods. Including the Catholic Church, but it's more a means of dedication than securing election.

As you can see the Calvinist System is much more fatalistic than the Wesleyan. Under Calvinism man has no choice whatsoever and everything is pre-determined in advance. Sadly a person could live a good and pious life honoring God and still be Reprobated by Election. How could he know? He couldn't....no one elect or non-elect can know his own outcome until the end.

In the Calvinists system good works or the Deeds of faith are of no consequence whatsoever, only election. There is no emphasis on obedience or being a Doer of the Word. The Preachers will say that the Elect will obey and do good works, but everyone knows that it's not compulsory to the outcome of their salvation. The System itself stifles an obedient faith and neutralizes the power of the Gospel to save man from the corrupting influence of sin.

In Both Systems the convert is 'Saved in his sin'. The Doctrine itself demands it. Man is encumbered by his inbred nature of sin. Therefore it's IMPOSSIBLE for him to STOP sinning! He lacks any ability to do the right thing in his depraved state. This is why the people from the System flip out when we tell them a person has to STOP sinning in the process of repentance. It's called a 'Clearing of Wrong Doing' in the Bible! Every Repentance text written presupposes man's Natural Ability to choose between right and wrong. 'You can Rule over it!' God told Cain and so can all men if they will turn and obey.

As you can see in this summary the Message of Repentance and Faith Proven by Deeds is heresy to the System. It pulls down their Strongholds and casts their

doctrine to the wind. Man is created with full ability to choose and to stop sinning. His ability to stop DOES NOT save him or save himself! Until he turns in godly sorrow for his sin, with a vehement desire and zeal to amend his ways, he cannot be saved. Only God can absolve your sin. By Stopping the sin you are proclaiming your desire to change. This is the Synergy (working together with God 2Cor6:1) involved in Salvation. In this process the Clearing can take place and the Cleansing of past sin. By touching the Blood of Christ sin is Purged and Pardon granted. ALL you did was turn,, (which involves the deeds of repentance) the GRACE of God did the rest. *No one saves themselves!*

In the Bible's System of Salvation God does not have to Tweak your ability to obey. The Scriptures exhort Obedience through out. It's presupposed that man was given a natural ability to choose between right and wrong. He is hindered by his personal choice to become a slave to sin, but he retains the ability to stop and turn to God. Certainly the deeper a person descends into iniquity the more difficult it will be for them to ever repent. But it's still possible for them to make the effort. Scripture presumes man can turn:

*"Let the Wicked forsake his ways and the unrighteous man his thoughts. Let him return to the Lord and HE (God) will have Mercy on him." Isa55:7*

In the Wesleyan and Calvinist Systems man cannot turn unless God turns him. Even then he can never stop sinning. The Stain of sin remains in him for life and he can only rely on the Provisional care of God to cover his continuing wrong doings. This is confirmed in the Westminster confession. Imagine a System of doctrine that limits God's Power to Purge and Cleanse sin from the conscience and Purify the heart from corruption. It's OUTRAGEOUS!! These Doctrines are from the Pit of Hell itself. They should be cast to the winds and never seen again.

### **Here's what the Holy Bible Promises for those in Christ:**

*as His divine power has given to us all things that pertain to life and godliness, through the knowledge of Him who called us by glory and virtue, by which have been given to us exceedingly great and precious promises, that through these you may be partakers of the divine nature, having escaped the corruption that is in the world through lust. 2Pet1:3-*

*But also for this very reason, giving all diligence, add to your faith virtue, to virtue knowledge, to knowledge self-control, to self-control perseverance, to perseverance godliness, to godliness brotherly kindness, and to brotherly kindness love. For if these things are yours and abound, you will be neither barren nor unfruitful in the knowledge of our Lord Jesus Christ. For he who lacks these things is shortsighted, even to blindness, and has forgotten that he was cleansed from his old sins. 2Pet1:5-9*

*And everyone who has this hope in Him purifies himself, just as He is pure.1Jh3:3*

*how much more shall the blood of Christ, who through the eternal Spirit offered Himself without spot to God, cleanse your conscience from dead works to serve the living God?*  
Heb9:14

Under the Wesleyan and Calvinist Systems these Promises don't apply. The Doctrine itself won't allow it! How could you be Pure as HE is Pure and still have a stain of sin remaining in you? It contradicts the Promise! Christ is 100% Pure, without spot or blemish. He Promises that SAME Purity to you if you abide in Him. No Stain or blemish remains.

Take Note also how the exceeding great and precious promises work. They are freely available along with all things that pertain to life and godliness. However YOU MUST add to your faith! As a worker together with God it's essential you give all diligence to these things. Purity of heart and mind is a Reality IF you continue steadfast in the Faith. Cast these Wesleyan and Calvinist Doctrines to the winds. They limit God's Power and stifle the potential of His Promises.

Don't let anyone cheat you out of His blessings. The Gospel is the POWER of God unto a FULL Salvation from the bondage of sin! It is Christ Crucified and the flesh subdued. The Old Man is done away with and Newness of life has come! (Rom6:4-6)

*For the message of the cross is foolishness to those who are perishing, but to us who are being saved it is the power of God. 1Cor1:18*

*For I am not ashamed of the gospel of Christ, for it is the power of God to salvation for everyone who believes, for the Jew first and also for the Greek. For in it the righteousness of God is revealed from faith to faith; as it is written, "The just shall live by faith." Rom1:16-17*

None of His Promises are Positional or something to Provide a Covering for your sin. You have no Sinful Nature inbred into your flesh! Sin can be Done away with once and for all and we can Walk in the Light as He is in the Light.

Another aspect of understanding Doctrinal heresies is the difficulty of those who MIX these theologies together with various systems of belief. Some will adopt Calvinism for example and eliminate elements of the TULIP to tone down the threat of being non-elect. But this causes a great deal of complexity when you try to analyze the Doctrine. The entire System becomes a contradiction of thought. Eliminate unconditional election for example and you must be able to answer the question of how a totally depraved person can turn to God of his own accord.

You still have to be saved in your sins, as we have shown repeatedly, because the person certainly lacks the ability to stop sinning under any System. No matter how they mix the doctrinal patterns the end result remains the same. Take another example of those who espouse the Doctrine of Moral Government. This was a System of thought brought in by a Catholic Bishop in the late tenth century; who did

not adhere to the age old teaching of Ransom. He felt that God has to be appeased in some way for the sins of mankind. He (God) could not just freely forgive sin without some sort of appeasement.

So the Moral Government theology provided the appeasement by making Christ's sacrifice on the Cross a Satisfaction to the Father for the sins of mankind. This was a real and meaningful Substitute for the punishment due to sinful man. However it DID NOT consist of Christ receiving the exact punishment due to sinful man. Instead God publicly demonstrated His displeasure with sin through the suffering of His only sinless and obedient Son. Through Christ's suffering and death as a substitute for the death man deserved, God is able to extend forgiveness while maintaining Divine order. Thus Christ's suffering and death demonstrated the seriousness of sin allowing God's Wrath to pass over and forgive the sins of those who trust in Christ.

This System of Doctrine takes care of election and depravity both at once. God's Wrath is taken out of the picture and all can be forgiven who trust in Christ. The Salvation system under this teaching is aimed at convincing the people they have violated God's law (The Ten Commandments) and need His forgiveness. So they can come to God in sincere repentance and receive full forgiveness for their sins. The Substitute covers everything then the convert enters the fold as a sinful wretch and puts himself in God's hands for a clean up. Thus they can claim that the sin Stops in repentance because the convert responded to the message and made a sincere commitment to the Lord. But this lacks the element of a clearing of wrong doing. Which requires a Season of godly sorrow for sin. If the person has committed sins that harm others he needs to make amends as best he can. The thief needs to seek clearing by making restitution within his ability to do so. Similarly if you are guilty of sexual immorality you need to clear yourself by a full confession and departure of these things. That's REAL Repentance according to the Bible.

Each System of Doctrine takes the same path regardless how they view the Sacrifice of Christ on the Cross. The Penal Substitution model is probably the worse of the lot. Unlike the Moral Government model Penal subjects Christ to the full Wrath of God as He bears the sins of mankind by actually becoming sin. This way the Magic exchange can take place on all who trust in what Jesus did for them on the Cross.

In both Systems Christ's sacrifice is some kind of appeasement to God for sin. Moral Government removes the Wrath aspect, while Penal pours it out on Christ. The focus is always on the appeasement not the stopping of sin. Unlike Ransom, that was taught by the Apostles and handed down to their disciples, in which the convert is Saved from the corrupting influence of sin and Christ has destroyed the works of the devil; Penal and Moral Government alike lack any means to clear the sinner of wrong doing and then remove the corrupting influence of sin. Christ is the Substitute in both Systems therefore sin is covered and forgotten.

This is a brief overview of the many forms of Doctrine men will hold. It can become very complex to sort out exactly what they believe. I've encountered Preachers who convolute a series of teachings and try to reconcile it in agreement with Ransom. They will embrace the teaching of Charles Finney for example and insist they teach the tenets of Ransom. Or they will deny eternal security while endorsing Finney, Whitefield, Edwards and others all who taught Reformed theology and rejected Ransom.

Understand that this is a quagmire of debate and vain jangling. (1Tim1:6) It will take you nowhere dwelling into these Doctrines, People have spent years trying to unravel these theories and to reconcile it with the written Word. They've produced reams of explanation that add even more complexity to the mix. Sadly if they would just humble themselves and embrace the Bible version of Ransom all would fall into place. The Bible would make sense and people would be freed from their bondage to sin.

To summarize the Ransom Model you need to understand that Christ is NOT a Substitute for your sin. He came to Destroy the works of the Devil.....and what are those? 'To Kill, Steal and Destroy' (John10:10) His sacrifice in the form of a Ransom deprives the ability of Satan to Rob you of the opportunity of LIFE in Christ! You have the Choice whether to Die with Christ once and for all to the bondage of sin or be a Slave to sin under some form of false doctrine. Christ overcame the Powers of darkness by offering freedom to the captives. You can also be free if you will crucify the flesh and follow Him.

For your information the passages that mention Ransom are: 1Tim2:6, Matt20:28, Mk10:45, Isa52:3, Hosea13:14. All speak of a Ransom, Redemption without money; Freely given to buy back those who have sold themselves to the bondage of sin .When a person truly comes to Christ in godly sorrow for sin seeking a full redemption from his bondage with the will to die to the old man and put on Christ, he is sprinkled with the Blood, Purged and Cleansed of all iniquity.(Heb9:14)

This is a distinctive experience life changing and unmistakable in nature. Anyone who has gone through such an encounter with the Spirit of God will NOT have to be assured by anyone that they are Saved and filled with the Spirit of Truth! They will be permeated with an earnest zeal to Dig Deep into the Word and equip themselves for the good fight of faith that lies ahead. Their heart will burn with a deep desire to reach those around them with the Truth. Religion to them will no longer be a profession of faith and a Sunday ceremony. The Reality of Christ Crucified and the flesh subdued will be the Power that drives them on the Narrow Road to life.

You need a precise understanding of how these false Doctrines effects the people who sit under them. They seem to have a definite mesmerizing power over the minds of many. Even when someone comes out of the System it takes a great deal of time to sit them straight on what the Bible actually teaches. It's kind of like peeling



an onion, layer by layer very slowly. Finally you get down to the basics. From there you can begin rebuilding on the solid foundation of truth.

The Solid Foundation or 'first works', is a genuine Repentance in which the flesh is Crucified with Christ in reality, nothing Positional can be imagined, That's the danger inside the System retaining the philosophy of their doctrines. You MUST go through a season of godly sorrow for sin plus a crisis of conviction. Within this crisis will be a Clearing of Wrong Doing and Massive Change of Desires. (this would include dispositions, any guile, harsh anger and pessimism) This CANNOT happen while waiting on God to work some Magic formula to transform your vile habits from evil to good. This MUST happen in the Repentance process! The outcome of this entire process is PURITY of heart .If that didn't happen you have reneged on God somewhere along the line. You have to come out of this Crucified with Christ, your flesh subdued, 'the body of sin done away with' as the Scripture says.

The Crucified life is more about Obedience than perfection. It is a pattern of living a dynamic life of faith loving the truth, doing what is right by choice and also a healthy fear of our Holy God, who is very patient and longsuffering with our mistakes, miss-judgments, faults or misplaced zeal. On these He will gently reprove us to set us straight. Blatant sins of the flesh are OUT of the question for the genuine Christian. There should be no outright rebellious acts of disobedience. Sexual immorality cannot even be named among the Saints! The Crucified life is one of Purity and Truth, the guarding of the heart and putting Christ above all things in life.

As we have been through this before and constantly place our entire emphases on it, we rehash it again. These are the First Works spoken of in Rev2:5, without which there is no genuine profession of Faith. Faith is NEVER alone; apart from the Synergy (working together with God) it is DEAD, of no more value than the Devils faith. (as James says: 2:19) This is exactly why the Word is also Dead to these people. They can never discern spiritual truths while they operate in the flesh.

Herein is the Key to understanding the entire lie within the System. If people coming out of the System could grasp this one single utmost important concept they would be light years ahead of everyone else. Because if you start out with a Sound Mind then the Bible will make perfect sense and discernment will grow in proportion to your depth of spirit.

People under the influence of these false doctrines cannot see the dynamic of real repentance. They have the entire process in reverse. The Scripture says continually it's "**Repentance unto Salvation**" but they have it backward: 'Salvation unto repentance'. You get Saved first and then repent, which means you're 'Saved' in your sins! (as we have said over a hundred times) Thus according to the System's understanding anything a person does to Clear themselves of wrong doing is an act of Self Righteousness and trying to win approval with God. In other words its self

Justification and not submitting to the righteousness of Christ. . (you're saving yourself!)

So the whole process violates Scripture from the beginning; Under it real Righteousness can never be achieved because if the person does anything of his own accord it's immediately labeled 'Works and trying to establish your own righteousness. Yet again the Scripture contradicts their thinking by saying: 'he who DOES what is Right is Righteous' . So real righteousness is achieved by us DOING the Right thing by faith. But they say it happens by trusting in the Righteousness of Christ. But WHERE does it say that in Scripture? (1John3:7-8)

Scripture declares that the Righteousness of God is Revealed from Faith to Faith. (Rom1:17) Therefore it falls into place when we discuss real Repentance and faith. If Faith Works by love, (Gal5:6) and DOING what is Right equals 'Righteousness' then it's FAITH that establishes the righteousness spoken of in Rom10:1-4. So Submitting to the Righteousness of God is a faith that is WORKING by Love and Doing the right thing. NOT, as the System thinks, merely 'Trusting' in Christ and doing nothing fearing it would be working to please God and trying to establish your own Righteousness.

Understand the Jews spoken of in this passage, Rom10, were indeed ignorant of God's plan for true Righteousness. They thought by doing all kinds of rituals and traditions they were pleasing God. Whereas God wanted them to have an active Faith that would do the right thing and establish true righteousness through that faith WORKING by love. (Rom3:31)

The System thinks that us Doing the Right thing is trying to establish our own righteousness. So they absolutely forbid anyone to go beyond just trusting in Christ. However it's an eternal Truth of the Bible, '*To Obey is better than sacrifice*' 1Sam15:22,, Isa1:1-11. The People laden with iniquity offered vain sacrifices to God thinking it appeased Him and that He would wink at their sins. But all their burnt offerings and ceremony were an abomination to the Lord; who required OBEDIENCE to His Word! The same thing is happening inside the System, they think trusting in the Lord is acceptable and Doing is repugnant. So they ignore the constant exhortations to OBEY.

Fragrantly the worst evil of all, they consider our preaching dangerous heresy and warn their followers that we are the worst of false teachers on earth. But as someone once said: "Will the real Heretics please stand up" These Reformed Doctrines have been in the minds of men for so long they have become as truth! Now 'we' are the heretics. As it was in ancient Rome when they persecuted Pelagius for teaching that man had the ability to stop sinning and obey God.

The System finally gained the upper hand as they have today as Pelagius disappeared from the scene and his followers soon afterward. So it is with us, we are

the renegades the outcasts, forbidden inside the System. Satan's Doctrine has taken control and we must operate by stealth. The Minds of thousands have been twisted by the lie and cannot be awakened by the truth. But some may still come out when they hear the genuine Gospel of redemption. They are the ones that need to be de-programmed and placed on a Solid Foundation of faith. That's where we come in. It's our task within His Kingdom to pull down the Strongholds and rescue a few out of the fire and set them on the Narrow Way to life.

The Church System Walks in Darkness and calls us Beelzebub. They serve the Prince of Demons and Preach his Doctrines as truth! The Lord Himself was accused of demonic activity (Matt12:24-27, Lk11:15, 18-19) by the religious establishment of His day. He admonished us as a reminder that 'If they called the Master of the house Beelzebub *how much more* will they call those of his household!' (Matt10:25) This accusation is unfounded of course and it is borderline Blasphemy. The people of the Church System know not what they speak! They are in such Great Darkness they cannot tell the difference between good and evil. Like a child who doesn't know better, they Preach and teach the same lies over and over again without discernment.

Our inquires to their Pastors and leaders are met with the same universal responses. Nothing different or original comes out of their mouths. It's all the same: 'You're Born in Sin therefore you can NEVER Stop sinning! 'If you could Stop sinning you can Save yourself and wouldn't need Jesus.' 'No one can ever Stop sinning even after they are Saved, although it's God's job to Clean them up!' 'what you are doing is trying to justify yourself and win the approval of God by trying to stop sinning by yourself! '

**To Summarize they accuse us of Preaching:**

Self Justification

Failure to Trust in His Works and rely on our own

We can Save ourselves by stopping sinning

We don't need Jesus to get cleaned up, we can do it ourselves

We try to win approval with God by our own works.

Accordingly those of us, who follow Sound Doctrine and are of a Sound Mind, are up against multiple Strongholds ensnaring the minds of those who are devoted to the System. Many of them have already been given over to the Strong Delusion spoken of in 2Thess2:11. The characteristic attitude of these people is their hatred for the Truth; Which explains their vicious attacks on anyone who exposes the lies and exhorts them to Obedience to the Truth.

But our Mission remains the same. We follow in the footsteps of a Great Cloud of Witnesses who gave all they had in defense of the Truth. They obtained the good testimony through their faith and diligence and provided us an example of endurance in the face of all odds. Our difficulty is a mere frustration compared to theirs. (our lives are not at stake!) We face none of the perils of Hebrews 11. Surely

they were those of whom the world was not worthy! And we stand in their Shadow doing our part in our generation. May we be worthy to stand with them in the Great Kingdom; The Beloved whose lives were cut short too soon, robbed, lost and branded unworthy of this World.

Until the Lord Returns:  
The Battle Continues!