



Where Eagles Dare

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EXTREME SURVIVAL GUIDE

I went to a leadership conference in Switzerland many years ago, where one of the main speakers said we can get to the point where we don't sin.

I've also heard many (most?) say that we don't have to be concerned about any sin once we accept Jesus, as we're covered by grace and His Blood or the "once saved always saved" man-made doctrine.

Then there's the other extreme dictated by the roman catholic and orthodox religions that insist a person must confess their sins to a male priest, and that certain sin is really bad and deadly and others sins are not that bad, therefore guilt and mercy exists on different levels, requiring various forms of penance or payment to be made to obtain absolution (forgiveness).

Other cults and individuals say that the only sins a person can commit are breaking any of the ten commandments given to Moses, such as the seventh day adventist cult that insist a person can only worship God on a Saturday and the rest are going to hell.

Many "denominations", so-called "churches" and the world reject sin, as the word "sin" offends people so it isn't discussed or pointed out to deliberate sinners or is denied altogether as sin (i.e. fornication, idolatry, adultery, lying, homosexuality, rebellion against God, pride, drunkenness, etc.).

All of these teachings are of course not Biblical or antichrist (anti/against God's Truth).

Let's respond with God's Word to each of these false teachings above, to prove that they come from man and satan, not from God.



"If we say that we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. If we confess our sins, He is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness. If we say that we have not sinned, we make Him a liar, and His word is not in us." 1 John 1: 8-10

"²⁶ For if we sin willfully after we have received the knowledge of the truth, there no longer remains a sacrifice for sins, ²⁷ but a certain fearful expectation of judgment, and fiery indignation which will devour the adversaries. ²⁸ Anyone who has rejected Moses' law dies without mercy on the testimony of two or three witnesses. ²⁹ 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? ³⁰ For we know Him who said, "Vengeance is Mine, I will repay," says the Lord. And again, "The LORD will judge His people." ³¹ It is a fearful thing to fall into the hands of the living God." Hebrews 10: 26-31

“For if you forgive men their trespasses, your heavenly Father will also forgive you. But if you do not forgive men their trespasses, neither will your Father forgive your trespasses.” Matthew 6: 14-15

God’s Word just showed us 8 of the ways to lose salvation... 1. Willfully ignore known truth 2. Renounce Christ as the only sacrifice 3. Despise the Gospel 4. Tread the Son of God under your feet 5. Count Christ’s Blood as unholy 6. Despise or blaspheme the Holy Spirit 7. Become an adversary of Christ 8. Not forgiving others.

“For there is one God and one Mediator between God and men, the Man Christ Jesus,” 1 Timothy 2: 5

Mary/dead saints; religions and their priests/leaders are not our mediator’s to God.

“One person esteems one day above another; another esteems every day alike. Let each be fully convinced in his own mind. He who observes the day, observes it to the Lord; and he who does not observe the day, to the Lord he does not observe it.” Romans 14: 5-6

“You observe days and months and seasons and years. I am afraid for you, lest I have labored for you in vain.” Galatians 4: 10-11

All religious observance of days, months, times, seasons, years, etc., tend to make people feel and act religious, prideful and justified, because they are “practicing” their religion; judging others who don’t. Such is in vain.

“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.” 1 Corinthians 6: 9-10

Let’s briefly examine 2 scriptures that can quickly sum “sin” up for us... “For rebellion is as the sin of witchcraft, And stubbornness is as iniquity and idolatry.” 1 Samuel 15: 23

“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. But outside are dogs and sorcerers and sexually immoral and murderers and idolaters, and whoever loves and practices a lie.” Revelation 22:14-15

God has many hundreds of commandments in His Word for us such as... you shall (a commandment) cast out demons (Mark 16: 17); don’t associate with (a commandment) the selfish; lovers of money; the prideful; the disobedient; slanderers; the disloyal; lovers of “pleasure instead of loving God. They will look like they are religious but deny God’s power. (2 Timothy 3: 1-5); don’t associate with (a commandment) anyone who says they’re a Christian that is “guilty of sexual immorality or greed, or is an idolater, reviler, drunkard, or swindler—not even to eat with such a one”. (1 Corinthians 5: 11) and hundreds more. **People think sin is some wrong a person commits or a wrong act such as murder or theft. Yet they don’t understand that defiance of God is a wrong act! By staying silent when they should speak out against lies and sin or by refusing to stop associating with deliberate sinners or by attacking those who operate in gifts of the Holy Spirit or by becoming a “church-business-merchandiser”, charging for what should be given free or by refusing to leave a false “church” or by refusing to follow truth or by refusing what God directs them to do... all these are also wrong acts and all sin!** Rebellion in any form against God and His Word is sin. How many “denominations” and people reject God’s power... how many false leaderships are more interested in self; money; control; religious agendas/doctrines and flesh-propelled ministries? 90%? More? Should we follow God’s rules or the rules of some religion or some priest or the world? It makes sense, yet, billions choose sin and death!

One of the last warnings Jesus gives us in Revelation 22 in the last verses of this last chapter of the last book of the Bible is “**whoever loves and practises a lie**” do not have the right to enter heaven. From the surveys and statistics that I’ve seen from The Barna Group and others and from what I’ve personally experienced in my life... almost 100% of people love and practice lies, even when they know it’s a lie! This has always amazed me! Still does. People prefer to follow a lie from some religion or some personal doctrine (self-idolatry) rather than admit they’re wrong, repent, turn from their sin and follow God’s Truth! Either they refuse to admit they’re wrong or refuse to leave a false “church” or don’t want to offend and drop friends and family or especially in a leader’s case, they don’t want to lose their paycheck by turning against their denominational doctrines that rebel against God. There are so many leaders and those that call themselves Christian that “**love and practice lies**”! These rebellious liars/sinners are truly enemies of God and all people, as they lead and deceive billions to their lost destinies and to their eternal deaths!

Examine God’s Word. Examine yourself. Stop loving and practicing ANY form of sin and lies, as it’s spiritual suicide! Fix yourself... then show God’s Truth to others! It’s one of God’s commandments! Good Hunting!