

You are what you eat; You become what you believe

Romans 16:17-18 KJV

Now I beseech you, brethren, **mark them** which cause divisions and offences contrary to the doctrine which ye have learned; and **avoid them**. For they that are such serve not our Lord Jesus Christ, but their own belly; and **by good words and fair speeches deceive the hearts of the simple.**

Be careful of people who go against what you have learned in the word of God. Take note of those that cause division in the body of Christ and who offend others because of their disbelief. They usually have their own interpretation of what the bible is saying, but their interpretation usually makes them comfortable in their sins. Therefore, what they speak is usually satisfying to the flesh and not to the spirit.

Ephesians 5:6-14 KJV

Let no man deceive you with vain words: for **because of these things cometh the wrath of God upon the children of disobedience.** Be not ye therefore partakers with them. For ye were sometimes darkness, but now are ye light in the Lord: walk as children of light: (for the fruit of the Spirit is in all goodness and righteousness and truth;) proving what is acceptable unto the Lord. **And have no fellowship with the unfruitful works of darkness, but rather reprove them.** For it is a shame even to speak of those things which are done of them in secret. But all things that are reprov'd are made manifest by the light: for whatsoever doth make manifest is light. Wherefore he saith, Awake thou that sleepest, and arise from the dead, and Christ shall give thee light.

Vain Words: Producing no result; useless

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Titus 1:10-16 KJV

For there are many unruly and vain talkers and deceivers, specially they of the circumcision: **whose mouths must be stopped**, who **subvert** whole houses, **teaching things which they ought not, for filthy lucre's sake.** One of themselves, even a prophet of their own, said, The **Cretians** are alway liars, evil beasts, slow bellies. This witness is true. **Wherefore rebuke them sharply, that they may be sound in the faith;** not giving heed to Jewish fables, and commandments of men, that turn from the truth. **Unto the pure all things are pure: but unto them that are defiled and unbelieving is nothing pure; but even their mind and conscience is defiled.** They profess that they know God; but in works they deny him, being abominable, and disobedient, and unto every good work reprobate.

Subvert: Undermine the power and authority of an established system or institution.

Cretians: Natives or inhabitants of Crete

Crete: Largest and most populous of the Greek islands in the Mediterranean Sea

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You must bring correction to those that are not speaking the truth of God. You cannot just be okay with everything someone says or does. You have to bring correction to the lies and deceit. God will hold you responsible for not speaking up and you will ultimately find yourself in the midst of God's wrath and chastisement. Don't fall victim to the speeches and sermons that just make you feel all good inside and tickle your ears. Beware of those who always say things to make you like and agree with them. They are only pulling you into their party of lies and you will find yourself in a web that can't easily be broken.

Deuteronomy 8:11 KJV

Beware that thou forget not the LORD thy God, in not keeping his commandments, and his judgments, and his statutes, which I command thee this day:

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Deuteronomy 11:16-17 KJV

Take heed to yourselves, that your heart be not deceived, and ye turn aside, and serve other gods, and worship them; and then the LORD's wrath be kindled against you, and he shut up the heaven, that there be no rain, and that the land yield not her fruit; and lest ye perish quickly from off the good land which the LORD giveth you.

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When you allow people to deceive you, your heart is turned away from God. Whatever or whoever turned your heart away has now become a god to you. That person or thing has now taken precedence over God the Father because you chose to serve them instead of the God of truth. What should God do to you for your disobedience? He is not going to just deal with it. He will make sure that you know of your wrong deeds and there will be consequences for our behavior.

Matthew 7:15-29 KJV

Beware of false prophets, which come to you in sheep's clothing, but inwardly they are ravening wolves. Ye shall know them by their fruits. Do men gather grapes of thorns, or figs of thistles? Even so every good tree bringeth forth good fruit; but a corrupt tree bringeth forth evil fruit. A good tree cannot bring forth evil fruit, neither can a corrupt tree bring forth good fruit. Every tree that bringeth not forth good fruit is hewn down, and cast into the fire. **Wherefore by their fruits ye shall know them. Not every one that saith unto me, Lord, Lord, shall enter into the kingdom of heaven; but he that doeth the will of my Father which is in heaven.** Many will say to me in that day, Lord, Lord, have we not prophesied in thy name? and in thy name have cast out devils? and in thy name done many wonderful works? And then will I profess unto them, I never knew you: depart from me, ye that work iniquity.

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In closing

There are many people in this evil world that have evil intentions and will say and do whatever it takes to get you to partake and agree to their foolishness. You have to be a watchman over your own heart, mind, spirit, and soul. You are totally responsible for what goes in your ear gates and eye gates. What you listen to the most will ultimately define who you become. Do your own research before you agree to what's being preached across the pulpits. Many false Teachers and Prophets are only concerned about giving you what you need to hear in order to feel good about digging deep into your pocket book or your wallet. They are not out to assure your soul is saved from destruction. God will hold you accountable for what you chose to believe. We cannot go to God in the end and say we didn't know the truth. There are also many True Teachers and Prophets that will hold you accountable to the word of God and in the end lead you to righteousness and salvation. So, don't trust everyone that wants to feed you. You will find yourself eating from a plate full of poison that will ultimately kill and destroy you. Now that you know the truth, it is totally up to you.

John 14:6

“Jesus saith unto him, **I am the way, the truth, and the life: no man cometh unto the Father, but by me.**”