

“DO WHAT YOU’RE TOLD”

*Luke 6:27 & 28 - But I say unto you which hear, love your enemies,
Do good to them which hate you,
Bless them that curse you,
And pray for them which despitefully use you.*



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When my son and daughter reached an age where they thought they could do whatever they wanted to, I had to remind them that no matter how old they got, wherever they went and whatever they did in this life, that there would always be rules and regulations that must be followed. I reminded them that there are secular laws that must be enforced in order to live peaceably on earth. And that there are spiritual laws, given by God, that must be obeyed if you want to please God!

God speaks to us through his holy word! (Romans 10:14-15) “How then shall they call on him in whom they have not believed? And how shall they believe in him of whom they have not heard? And how shall they hear without a preacher?” Everything we need to know and do is found right here in the word of God. All you have to do is listen, pray for understanding, and apply it to your daily life.

Question, “Are you listening to what God is telling you to do?” “Are you even in position to hear God speak?” That means are you reading his word, are you praying on a regular basis? Are you in consistent and constant communication with the supreme law giver?

There are specific things that God is telling you to do in order to experience kingdom living

- 1. Love your enemies - (Mark 12:31) - “You shall love thy neighbor as yourself.”*
- 2. Do good to them which hate you - (Proverbs 25:22) – “For you shall heap coals of fire upon his head, and the Lord shall reward thee.”*
- 3. Bless them that curse you - (Matthew 5:11-12) – “Blessed are you when they revile and persecute you, and say all kinds of evil against you falsely for his sake. Rejoice and be glad, for great is your reward in heaven.*
- 4. Pray for them which despitefully use you – (James 5:16) – “Confess your faults one to another”*

Did you happen to notice that everything God is telling you to do is about someone else: Love your enemies. Do good to them which hate you. Bless them that curse you. Pray for them which despitefully use you.

Newsflash!!! It’s not about you! God is trying to tell you something. Do what you are told to do!

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