

PART - 5

Losing Control

Godly sorrow vs. Worldly sorrow

One kind of sorrow leads to _____, the other leads to _____

“Godly sorrow brings repentance that leads to salvation and leaves no regret, but worldly sorrow brings death.”

2 Cor 7:10-11

“Produce fruit in keeping with repentance....The ax is already at the root of the trees, and every tree that does not produce good fruit will be cut down and thrown into the fire.”

Matt 3:8-9-10

1. Cain’s _____ repentance

“Cain said to the Lord, “My punishment is more than I can bear. Today you are driving me from the land, and I will be hidden from your presence; I will be a restless wanderer on the earth, and whoever finds me will kill me.”

Gen 4:13-14

2. David’s _____ repentance

“Have mercy on me, O God, according to your unfailing love; according to your great compassion blot out my transgressions. Wash away all my iniquity and cleanse me from my sin. For I know my transgressions, and my sin is always before me. Against you, you only, have I sinned and done what is evil in your sight, so that you are proved right when you speak and justified when you judge. Surely I was sinful at birth, sinful from the time my mother conceived me. Surely you desire truth in the inner parts; you teach me wisdom in the inmost place. Cleanse me with hyssop, and I will be clean; wash me, and I will be whiter than snow. Let me hear joy and gladness; let the bones you have crushed rejoice. Hide your face from my sins and blot out all my iniquity. Create in me a pure heart, O God, and renew a steadfast spirit within me. Do not cast me from your presence or take your Holy Spirit from me. Restore to me the joy of your salvation and grant me a willing spirit, to sustain me.” Then I will teach transgressors your ways, and sinners will turn back to you. Save me from bloodguilt, O God, the God who saves me and my tongue will sing of your righteousness. O Lord, open my lips, and my mouth will declare your praise. You do not delight in sacrifice, or I would bring it; you do not take pleasure in burnt offerings. The sacrifices of God are a broken spirit; a broken and contrite heart, O God, you will not despise.”

Psalms 51:1-17

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3. Judas and Peter

Road to _____ or to _____ ?

Peter: *“And he went outside and wept bitterly.”*

Luke 22:62

Judas: *“When Judas, who had betrayed him, saw that Jesus was condemned, he was seized with remorse and returned the thirty silver coins to the chief priests and the elders.” “I have sinned,” he said, “for I have betrayed innocent blood.... So Judas threw the money into the temple and left. Then he went away and hanged himself.”*

Matthew 27:3-5

Godly sorrow is repentance that leads to salvation _____

_____ blinds us to the love,
forgiveness and mercy of Christ. It keeps us from being free.

Godly sorrow is focused on God _____.

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