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SCRIPTURALLY BASED INSTRUCTION FOR THE CHRISTIAN – LESSON 24 DON'T SIN WITH THE TONGUE

- Blessings & Cursings** (a) Joshua (Josh 8:34) "read all the _____ of the _____, the _____ and _____, according to all that is _____ in the book of the law." This relates to the "do's" and "don'ts" contained in God's Will. (b) It is sinful for man to mix good with evil. (Jas 3:10) "Out of the _____ proceedeth _____ and _____. My brethren, these things _____." (Prov 4:4) "Keep my _____, and _____."
- One Can Sin With The Tongue** (Ps 39:1) "I will _____ to my _____, that I _____ with my _____." Such impulse to sin must be restrained. (Jas 1:26) "If _____ man _____ you seem to be _____, and _____ his tongue, but deceiveth _____ own _____, this man's religion is _____." Can one deceive himself? _____ Does such deceit carry a penalty? _____
- Taking God's Name In Vain Is Sin** Re-study Lesson #161. (Deut 5:11) "Thou _____ take the _____ of the LORD thy God _____: for the LORD _____ hold him _____ that taketh his name in vain." What does "not hold him guiltless" imply? _____
- Filthy Talking Comes From A Filthy Mind** (Col 3:8) "But now ye also _____ all these----. _____ out of your mouth." The original GK word means vile conversation. Jesus said: (Mt 12:34) "For out of the _____ of the _____ the mouth speaketh." Dirty jokes, gutter talk, insinuating remarks, and all language "close to the edge" is sinful.
- Obscenity VS The Pure Heart** Our US Supreme Court and society at large may not know how to define obscenity and pornography – but God does! (Col 4:6) "Let your _____ be always with _____, seasoned with salt, that ye _____ how ye ought to _____ every man." Paul gives the recipe for avoiding foul thoughts and words: (Phil 4:8) "Finally _____----whatsoever things are pure---- _____ on these things." The Psalmist stated (24:4-5) that he who has "_____ hands, and a _____ heart----he shall receive the _____ from the LORD."
- A Great Sin: Gossip** If there were no gossipy ears there would be no demand for gossipy tongues! God forbids gossip. (Lev 19:16) "Thou shalt not go _____ and _____ as a _____ among thy people." (Jas 3:8) "But the _____--- is an _____, full of _____ poison."
- Railing** This word means vilification and has to do with insults, reviling and scoffing. Paul commands (1 Tim 6:4-5) that the Christian "_____ thyself" from the person guilty of "strifes _____, whereof cometh ---- railings." What causes people to "rail?" _____
- Clamor** This has to do with brawling – uproar; outcry; the violent expression of discontent. (Eph 4:31) "Let all _____, and wrath, and anger, and _____, and _____ speaking, be _____ from you... be ye _____ one to another, tenderhearted, _____ one another." Jesus said: (Mt 12:33) "Make the _____ good, and his _____ good." If you have a problem, correct it before it becomes so habitual that you become hardened and lose all desire to reform to suit Christ.

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