

Mt 7:14 Because strait is the gate, and narrow is the way, which leadeth unto life, and few there be that find it.

"LOOK FOR HIS COMING"

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HAVE YOU COME ONE ON ONE WITH THE LORD?

EUDAIMONIA

The old Grecian Philosophy
(state of well -being)
(the good life)

1 John 2:15 Love not the world, neither the things that are in the world. If any man love the world, the love of the Father is not in him.

A person may be looked at from the **world's stand-point** as successful and achieving the Good Life if he or she has the following:

Eudaimonia (GOOD LIFE)

1. Be financially independent
2. Have high self esteem
3. High moral and ethical values
4. Well educated
5. Use reason and intellectual contemplation as the highest appeal
6. Do in moderation
7. Financially support human causes
8. Be Successful
9. Be Tolerant

The spiritual good life is as follows:

- (SPIRITUAL)
1. Faith in God

2. Salvation
3. Worship only The True and Living God through His Son
4. Let others see Christ in us
5. Love your neighbor as yourself
6. Give tithes and offerings unto The Lord
7. Study The Bible to show thyself approved a workman unto God
8. Love God with all your heart , soul and mind
9. Fear God

We live in a day and age when we look for success, take charge of our lives, seek materialism, pursue happiness (worldly) , draw attention to ourselves, desire to be beautiful, recreation, etc. etc. With tarnished spiritual lives we go to the grocery store to pick out fruit and vegetables with a perfect size without blemish, spot or wrinkle.

We feel we should always be positive. As a matter of fact, some ministers preach only the love of God, often leaving out the judgment of God. I guess they feel it would be negative. Flattery is used to build the self esteem of others and ourselves.

We are told in the last days it would be as Sodom and Gomorrah. Can you picture a person standing in Sodom just before the destruction looking only for the good in Sodom and thinking if they spoke out against the evil, they would be negative and that would be wrong, or to pat their friends on the back and flatter them, telling them about the great job they were doing?

The Bible states that man is capable of nothing without God. As a matter of fact, man would not even be here if it was not for God. Isaiah tells us man's breath is in his nostrils. If God does not give us the next breath, then we are gone.

The good life is now often being sought even in the churches. To seek success, position, authority and even recreation in the church is being taught. Self esteem and self perfection are sought through the activities and human interest of many churches.

The greatest self- esteem possible on this earth is to realize you are a child of the King. Although you are capable of nothing, through God all things are possible. You are His and where He is we will be also. We will reign and rule with Him and be in the Holy City, New Jerusalem, in a state of bliss with Him forever.

When did you ever see a dedicated Christian following God that needed counseling about his or her self-esteem?

GOOD LIFE

(Eudaimonia) : (State of well being)

II Tim. 4:3, " For the time will come when they will not endure sound doctrine; but after their own lusts shall they heap to themselves teachers, having itching ears;"

Our modern society looks to the hand of man to save us. Yes, we look for self perfection. Success is more important than anything else. We seek for human happiness. It is felt that intellectual contemplation is the highest activity man can achieve.

Reason is the center of the universe. We can reason out by logic our very ethics, values or standards we should go by. When it is said we should raise our standards or have high standards, we are talking about man's standards and not God's.

The old Greeks thought there was a divine element in man and it should be cultivated to make men immortal. The gods were themselves subject to fate. There was no fear of the gods as man could become immortal.

Modern man has been to the moon and is looking to Mars. What great intellectual contemplation

can be achieved by the hand of man?

II Tim.:3: 7, “Ever learning, and never able to come to the knowledge of the truth.”

The Bible makes it very clear we are a created beings, made by God and capable of nothing except through Him.

What direction is our nation headed? Where are our leaders taking us? Are we headed into a one world government eventually to be headed by one person? Is this the prophesy?

We seek for the “Eudaimonia” (state of well being). Our leaders are judged by how well they are keeping us in the direction of the good life and not if they are following God and His Commandments.

Our elected officials give the definite impression they have some insight from somewhere to know what is good for us. They make laws that we have never heard of and shackle us with appointed officials that continually make regulations that are added to our innumerable laws. Seldom do we have new laws that are not in harmony with the Humanist Manifesto I and II unless it is to undo some previous law that was in harmony with them and didn’t work.

I know of no government sanctioned by the Lord and His Word (The Bible) other than a Theocracy (God ruling). Man cried for a King and God allowed it. We have cried for a democracy where the majority rule. If the majority are not supportive of God and His Commandants, you know clearly where that puts us with God.

When man’s way is sought, mental illness is on the increase, alcohol consumption is up, and drug use is increasing and crimes are on the increase. A century or so ago when a revival swept through England and thousands were led to the Lord, many policeman were let go because they had little need for the number they had.

The True Eudaimonia (well being) comes only through Salvation in Christ with eternity secure. He is the Rock and only through Him will the good life be achieved in eternity.

I Tim. 2:3-4 “For this is good and acceptable in the sight of God our Saviour; Who will have all men to be saved and to come unto the knowledge of the truth.”

Good Life transferred to the local church: (World brought into the Church) (Focus on Church not Christ)

Feasting

Fish Fries

BBQ

Pizza Pig out

Spaghetti Supper

Ice Cream Supper

Breakfast

Showers

Social events

Political meetings

Social Club Meetings and luncheons

Charity Meetings

Entertainment

Enticement

Sports

Trips

Most cannot participate in any of the above unless you are a member.

Some denominations even have beer and/or dancing.

MANY THINK IF YOU CAN HAVE A SHORT PRAYER AND/OR A BIBLE READING ALONG WITH ANY OF THE ABOVE YOU HAVE MADE IT SPIRITUAL. THE MORE RELIGIOUS MAY EVEN HAVE A SHORT DEVOTIONAL.

WHERE IS THE RESPECT FOR GOD OR HIS HOUSE?

Mat 21:13 And said unto them, It is written, My house shall be called the house of prayer; but ye have made it a den of thieves.

2 Tim 3:5 Having a form of godliness, but denying the power thereof: from such turn away.

1 John 2:15 Love not the world, neither the things that are in the world. If any man love the world, the love of the Father is not in him.

PURPOSE OF THIS PUBLICATION: To make an awareness that we are living in the last days of the last days. The coming of Jesus Christ, the son of the living God is at the doors.

Seeketh Findeth Mt 7:8

Drawn by the father Jn 6:44, Jn 4:23

Believe upon the Son Jn 3:16

Repent and Confess Lk 13:5, 1Jn 4:15

Mat 15:13 But he answered and said, Every plant, which my heavenly Father hath not planted, shall be rooted up

Ps 34:18 The LORD is nigh unto them that are of a broken heart; and saveth such as be of a contrite spirit.

John 3:3 Jesus answered and said unto him, Verily, verily, I say unto thee, Except a man be born again, he cannot see the kingdom of God.

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