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Rx For The Soul

O, You Who Fear The Lord, Hate What Is Evil.

Psalm 97:10



Proverbs Eight is
About Wisdom.

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“The ultimate
test of a moral
society is the
kind of world
that it leaves to
its children.”

— Dietrich Bonhoeffer



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Turn Up The *Light*....

I have a good friend that, when she enters the room, it's like the Wind. She brings laughter and joy, and people welcome her arrival. You always know when she's around, because you hear the laughter of others.

She reminds me of John the Baptist though, because she also brings Fire. She has a strong insight into what is right and good, and is not afraid to say that! She is not the least pretentious, so she knows her weaknesses.

I call her a person of principle.

The first words of John the Baptist in the gospel of Luke are “You brood of vipers!” Since he said that publicly, have you ever wondered if his onlookers saw him as bitter - or thought he hated those people...?

If they did, they completely missed the point. His comments weren't about him –John the Baptist. The entire point was that, those he was criticizing were headed in the wrong direction, and it would destroy them! Though John certainly didn't sound loving, maybe he knew they needed shock therapy!

My friend has a deep abhorrence of evil and clings to what is right. Not everyone is a “watchman” as she feels called to be, and I am also, warning of oncoming danger.¹ But you can read Romans 12:9 where the Apostle Paul tells all believers to abhor evil and cling to what is right..

I want to address society, particularly in the culture of church goers, not all of whom even know the God they think they

serve, because they don't realize He's **Holy**. ... and “without holiness no one will see the Lord!” Hebrews 12:14

Truth is, evil has been flourishing in our country for decades. It was about 1980 that I heard Dr. Francis Schaeffer say “Our society is deteriorating because Christians have been silent for decades.”

It was about then that Dr. Laura Schlesinger also said, “We have always had “crazies” with us, but they never felt like they could act out before.”

Thanks to the advent of Jerry Springer types, our culture now encourages these folks to act out this foolish behavior, to air their dirty linen to millions of viewers - making this behavior mainstream. No wonder social graces are so lacking in society today, even in Congress!

I have said, *passivity is killing us!* The passivity of people who know what is **right** and **wrong**, yet never raise their voice, or even attempt to protest nor raise a standard against this mounting tide of evil.

Dr. Schaeffer also said Americans would not do anything against the rising evil until it reached their street. I say their porch!

If you were there when Jesus said to religious leaders in John 8 that **their father was the devil**, would you have cringed? Wasn't it loving enough? You might be have a pansy religion...!

There's an entire chapter in Matthew 23, where Jesus called a spade the shovel it is He said to their face, “religious

leaders’ were sons of hell, whitewashed tombs, hypocrites, fools, and a “**brood of vipers**”. John the Baptist was *right!*

THIS is the Jesus of the scriptures that people don't know! He is *loving but holy, merciful but fierce* - not a milque-toast! Hebrews One says He **hated** iniquity! Yes, And is the Express Image of God!

Who would know if you hate evil, if you never SPEAK UP? Do you entertain it in your home...?

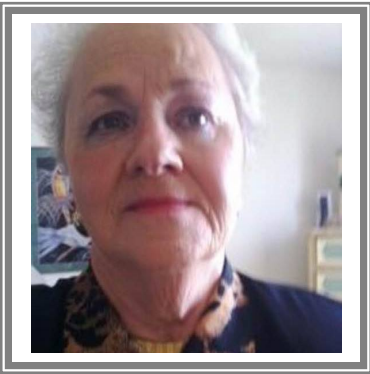
Cheap Grace has been taught so long in pulpits, requiring no repentance, no discipleship, teaching a crossless Christianity, it's made believers *nasty-nice*. You are not supposed “to live your your best life now” cushioned by believers! Come *deny yourself*, & let **Him** live His life *thru* You!²

Growing up means responsibility is accepted! The same is true spiritually.-Who'll hold back **evil** if believers DON'T? I want to be **SOMEONE** who speaks the TRUTH in His LOVE (not man's), so people **will** grow up! ³

Given these real examples, truth may not always **sound** like Love to our ears. But, if my child runs out into traffic and I jerk him back, it's not gonna feel like love either!

People yearn to **see** hope and they long to **see** passion.³ Turn up the Light!

My friend hasn't reached sainthood yet. Nor have I. But, I always wanna stay on God's good side! Here's why! The prophet Jehu said to Jehosaphat -a godly king! “Should you help the wicked & love those who hate the LORD? Because of this, the wrath of the LORD is on **you**.” ⁴



***Silence in the face
of Evil, is Evil
Not to Speak is to
Speak..Not to Act
is to Act.***

Dietrich Bonhoeffer

Before 9am each day,
Planned Parenthood kills
more babies than school
shootings ever did. What
are YOU doing about it...?

Rise Up. Speak Out.



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Is. 5:13 13.) Heb. 11:6
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How to Be Real In A Plastic World

Where does the Bible say we're to be reverent, quiet, and silent? Never! God is looking for **real** people... In fact, His eyes are upon them! "For the eyes of the LORD move to and fro throughout the earth that He may strongly support those whose heart is completely His."⁵

According to the Apostle Paul, we are indeed supposed to leave something with people we have been with. To some, it will be "a fragrance life to life, but to the perishing, an odor of death and doom."⁶

Hmmm. An interesting analogy here. Jesus already told us, if people hated Him, they will hate us also!⁷ We're not in a popularity contest at all, though many weak leaders teach others "don't offend" anyone. Did you know that one of Jesus' Names, is the Rock of Offense...?⁷

The gospel message is Good News to some, but to others, they stumble and then fall over the Rock of Offense. It's a terrible fall that is ultimately fatal!

So, if we're gonna be hated anyway, why don't people just decide to be themselves? (not in Flesh ⁸) It's a great relief to do so! We won't win everyone - not even Jesus did that - so just **relax** and **Be Who You Were Meant To Be....!** What does it matter what *people* think? It only matters what God thinks, so you are performing for an Audience of One. Amen

Keep the Main Thing the Main Thing!

I heard Billy Graham interviewed on a late night show one time. The interviewer played the devil's advocate and so he

asked, sort of mockingly, "Are those conversions for **real**...?"

Billy hesitated a moment, gathering himself. He responded, "*That's none of my business!* I'm a sower of the seed of God's word, and I leave the results to Him." That's what you are, Friend, a sower of His word. . Your one task is to obey and please Him. Just share your story, what God did to change *you!*

If you have no story to tell, and you haven't experienced a life-changing decision in surrendering your life to Him, you can do so now—Nothing is stopping you except your will. Behold, all things become new!⁹ You can get a fresh start! A new Beginning...Old things have passed away, because you've realized that 'all have sinned' and Jesus paid for all your bad choices, and all your sins. **ALL.** Just agree with His word where He says "If you confess your sins, God is faithful to forgive and cleanse you of all unrighteousness." I John 1:9

That's exactly what 'confess' means in the Greek – Homo/logo. "*say the same words.*" The gift of LIFE is free to you, but cost Jesus everything on that cross. It is totally a win-win situation for you, Dear One! If you want to talk with someone, call this number and someone will get back with you! Congratulations!

Affectionately, Sharon Jax
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Ask Agatha – How to Know If It's True

Dear Agatha: Hi, Agatha. I am so confused these days. I genuinely desire the right thing, but in making decisions, I wonder if it is! It seems everyone has different answers. My family is Jehovah Witness, and though I walked away from that as a teen, I still am bothered with memories of their rules. What can I do and how can I know what IS true and what is not? Thank you for your help. **Mid**

Dear Mid: I've been where you are, wanting answers, so I know your confusion. Basically, I want to say that we are a created being, which translates design & purpose due to the fact we each one are unique from one another - via fingerprints and now DNA.

So, in order to find my destiny, one day I made the decision to no longer read *what man has said about what God has said.* I decided to go straight to the *Source.* I had to believe in something!

God has an answer to all your questions and confusion He knew you before He formed you in the womb.⁹ No church has the answer for you, but you can use them to study His Word methodically. While you do, He writes it on your own heart, in principle and often in letter, too. Find a church that teaches scripture and get involved in it. Other people help us to grow too.

Jesus said, "If you continue in my word, you will know the truth, and the truth will set you free."¹⁰ So **knowing** something is liberating. Knowing His way His mind, His gentle & tender nature, and "While we were yet sinners, Christ died..."¹¹ **Not knowing** is destructive!¹² And without faith it is impossible to please Him. ¹³ Read the Book of Acts. In chapter 2 you will find that the believers "did not stop" gathering together to break bread, sharing the apostles teaching and fellowship. As a result, they experienced rapid growth by the thousands! Business says imitate what works! We need to imitate what works too. I've seen it work in the spiritual world as well. .Read Paul's Letters to learn how to walk in faith and please Him.

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