IS YOUR LIFE PLEASING GOD?

JESUS IS OUR EXAMPLE

Romans 8:29 (KJV)

For whom he did foreknow, he also did **predestinate to be conformed to the image of his Son**, that he might be the firstborn among many brethren.

JESUS PLEASED THE FATHER

Luke 3:21-23 (KJV)

Now when all the people were baptized, it came to pass, that **Jesus also being baptized**, and praying, the heaven was opened,

And the **Holy Ghost descended** in a bodily shape like a dove upon him, and a voice came from heaven, which said, **Thou art my beloved Son**; in thee I am well pleased. ²³ And **Jesus himself** began to be about thirty years of age, being (as was supposed) the son of Joseph, Jesus pleased the father before the ministry work began.

The need of the Holy Ghost to fulfill God's purpose for your life Luke $4:1-2\ (KJV)$

¹ And Jesus being full of the Holy Ghost returned from Jordan, and was led by the Spirit into the wilderness, ² Being forty days **tempted of the devil**.

Jesus was tempted at all point but he overcome temptation

Hebrews 4:15-16 (KJV)

¹⁵ For we have not an high priest which cannot be touched with the feeling of our infirmities; **but** was in all points tempted like as we are, yet without sin. ¹⁶ Let us therefore come boldly unto the throne of grace, that we may obtain mercy, and find grace to help in time of need.

John the Baptist preached repentence: turn away from sin Matthew $3:1-2\ (KJV)$

¹ In those days came John the Baptist, preaching in the wilderness of Judaea, ² And saying, Repent ye: for the kingdom of heaven is at hand.

Change your mind and attitude toward sin

An example of a situation where God was not well pleased was unbelief $1 \cdot 10:2-6 \cdot (KJV)$

² And were all baptized unto Moses in the cloud and in the sea; ³ And did all eat the same spiritual meat; ⁴ And did all drink the same spiritual drink: for they drank of that spiritual Rock that followed them: and that Rock was Christ. ⁵ But with many of them God was not well pleased: for they were overthrown in the wilderness.

⁶ Now these things were our examples, to the intent we should not lust after evil things, as they also lusted.

SPIRIT OF UNBELIEF HAS LED MANY TO LUST AFTER EVIL THINGS. Evil report was given and the Israelites believed evil rather than God's report

Numbers 14:3-4 (KJV)

³ And wherefore hath the LORD brought us unto this land, to fall by the sword, that our wives and our children should be a prey? were it not better for us to return into Egypt? ⁴ And they said one to another, Let us make a captain, and let us return into Egypt.

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REJECTING THE LEADERSHIP OF THE AUTHORITY (HOLY SPIRIT) AND APPOINTING YOUR OWN LEADER

Colossians 3:18-20 (KJV)

¹⁸ Wives, submit yourselves unto your own husbands, as it is fit in the Lord. ¹⁹ Husbands, love your wives, and be not bitter against them. ²⁰ ... for this is well pleasing unto the Lord.

CHILDREN AND PARENTS

Colossians 3:18-20 (KJV)

²⁰ Children, obey your parents in all things: for this is well pleasing unto the Lord.

YOUTH AND ELDERS — HUMILITY AND PRIDE 1 Peter 5:5-7 (KJV)

⁵ Likewise, ye younger, submit yourselves unto the elder. Yea, all of you be subject one to another, and be clothed with humility: for God resisteth the proud, and giveth grace to the humble. ⁶ **Humble yourselves therefore under the mighty hand of God**, that he may exalt you in due time: ⁷ Casting all your care upon him; **for he careth for you**.