

*"That at the name of Jesus EVERY knee should bow, of things in heaven, and things in earth, and things under the earth; And that EVERY tongue should confess that JESUS CHRIST IS LORD, to the glory of God the Father." **Philippians 2:10-11 KJV***



It's a pity that most publicly demonstrated obeisance is to demons and false gods. Sadly, many knees that genuflect and bow now, will not enter the gates of heaven. Yes, all will bow and confess that Jesus is Lord, but not all will enter the Pearly Gates. Sincerity is not the key to heaven. Satan sincerely rebels against God, but his end is the Bottomless Pit. Many are piously sincere in their practice of religion, but it will avail them little on Judgment Day. Faith in God's Word, Jesus, is the key to heaven. *"Faith cometh...by the Word of God. In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. And the Word was made flesh, and dwelt among us, but without faith it is impossible to please Him: for he that cometh to God must believe that He is, and that he is a rewarder of them that DILIGENTLY SEEK Him."* It's not enough to just believe in God, even Satan believes! *"Thou believest that there is one God; thou doest well: the devils also believe, and tremble. But wilt thou know, O vain man, that faith without works is dead?"* True faith DILIGENTLY SEEKS Jesus Christ through knowing AND obeying God's Word. If you BELIEVE there's a big diamond buried in your back yard, you'll buy a shovel and SEEK it! You can know a man's faith by his deeds. *"As he thinketh in his heart, so is he."* There is only One Way, One Truth, and One Life that will grant passage to the Holy City, Jesus, the Son of God! Allah had no son and never physically manifested himself to men! Satan blinds men to Truth by substituting ritual and dogma for faith! Men want to "feel" they merit God's favor. Deep down, their pride demands it. *"Pride goeth before destruction, and an haughty spirit before a fall."* The only soul that will receive mercy from a Holy God is the truly humble one that relinquishes pride, kneels, and proclaims, "Nothing in my hand I bring. Simply to Thy cross I cling!" Faith plus NOTHING pleases God! There is nothing a man can "do" to merit God's favor. Jesus did the "work" Himself. If you attempt to do it, you blaspheme the perfect sacrificial work of Jesus, which God has already provided for you. If you want to pay for your sin, you can begin by spending eternity in Hell, but you won't even scratch the surface of your debt! There are NOT many "roads" that lead to Heaven, only One Way, Jesus. It's not cruel, just Truth, *"because strait is the gate, and narrow is the way, which leadeth unto Life, and few there be that find it."* Jesus said, *"I am the Way."* I don't want anyone to go to Hell, otherwise, I would let you believe a lie!

By faith we plead, on bended knee,
"Jesus," we beg, "no one but Thee,
For Mercy sure, Thy Love Divine,
Eternal Life, and Peace Sublime!" ~CGP

God only wants what Adam refused to give in the Garden, trust HIS WORD. Not signs, wonders, manifestations supernatural phenomena voices, apparitions, feelings, just simple faith, because He said so. We cannot trust Him, if we do not love Him, and we cannot love Him, if we do not trust Him. Love and trust are mutually *inclusive* in faith. Truth will prevail in the end and disobedience will be eternally recompensed!

*"And be found in Him, not having mine own righteousness, which is of the law, but that which is through the faith of Christ, the righteousness which is of God by faith: That I may know Him, and the power of His Resurrection, and the fellowship of His sufferings, being made conformable unto His death; If by any means I might attain unto the Resurrection of the Dead." **Philippians 3:9-11 KJV***