"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; And They Shall Turn Away Their Ears From The Truth, and shall be turned unto fables." 2 Timothy 4:3-4no3 KJV

THAT TIME HAS COME! The whole world has rejected its Creator in favor of their own desire



and reason, and it is most evident in the Church! Oh, there are still a few good pastors, but even they battle against shallow self-serving attitudes in their members. The tares are strangling the wheat! I dare you to eavesdrop on the conversations of the members of your congregation after the preaching is done, and find out how many are true fellowship of the Word and how many are just worldly fluff! We can't blame the world for forsaking the Truth when the Church can't even live by it! The "Church" spends more money on entertainment than enlightenment. Satan has crept in and now you can't distinguish "worship music" from worldly music! Church platforms have become performing stages to entertain with feel-good instead of preaching pulpits that enlighten with faithfulness. Enough of my rant, but I believe I made my point. There's a big difference between an itching ear and a hungry ear. The hungry eat their vegetables! They understand and desire the nourishment of meat. Dessert is welcome, but not necessity. The itchy ear only seeks to FEEL good about living in sin while claiming to be God's child. I feel sorry for those trapped in religions that either deny or discount the Deity of Christ. Satan is the world's greatest religionist! He can create whatever you want and make you FEEL like you are doing God a service! "For Christ is not entered into the Holy places made with hands, which are the figures of the True; but into Heaven itself, now to appear in the Presence of God for us: And as it is appointed unto men once to die, but after this the Judgment: So Christ was once offered to bear the sins of many; and UNTO THEM THAT LOOK FOR HIM shall He appear the second time without sin unto salvation. Not by works of righteousness which we have done, but according to His Mercy He saved us." I read somewhere; if you worship Jesus just to obtain a better life, then you practice idolatry? There is food for thought there. What would it take to make you stop worshipping God just because He is worthy?

> The itching ear cares not for Truth, But wants instead the food of fools, The true believer seeks to find, The Blessed Savior of mankind. –CGP

Do we seek to worship God in the Assembly or our own fulfillment? Do I go to Church because it pleases me or pleases God? Do my conversations praise Him or forget Him?

"And when thou prayest, thou shalt not be as the hypocrites are: for they love to pray standing in the synagogues and in the corners of the streets, that they may be seen of men. Verily I say unto you, They have their reward. But thou, when thou prayest, enter into thy closet, and when thou hast shut thy door, pray to thy Father which is in secret; and thy Father which seeth in secret shall reward thee openly." Matthew 6:5-6 KJV