

The Plumbline

Scriptures to use for Searching your Soul

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Amo 7:7 Thus he shewed me: and, behold, the Lord stood upon a wall [made] by a plumbline, with a plumbline in his hand.

How is it with your soul?

Pow, you believe the Word of God, let us go one step further, “And the lord said unto the servant, Go out into the highways and hedges, and compel [them] to come in, that my house may be filled” (Lk 14.23; read Luke 14.21-26).

When we confess Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior, we are to lead others to Jesus Christ that they might also confess Him as Lord and Savior with their lives as well as with their mouths.

Read Eze 3.1-21. We are commanded to speak the Word of the Lord as it is given to us. There is joy in sharing Jesus Christ that our family and friends shall also confess Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior.

Plumbline: Ezekiel 3.11

And go, get thee to them of the captivity, unto the children of thy people, and speak unto them, and tell them, Thus saith the Lord GOD; whether they will hear, or whether they will forbear.

Perhaps there needs to be some soul searching as King David prayed:

Psa 139:23 Search me, O God, and know my heart: try me, and know my thoughts:

Psa 139:24 And see if [there be any] wicked way in me, and lead me in the way everlasting.

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Rom 10:17 So then faith [cometh] by hearing, and hearing by the word of God.

Confessing Jesus Christ with the mouth from the heart is knowing that the Word of the Lord God Almighty, the Living Word, Jesus Christ, is Truth. Jesus said in John’s Gospel,

... I am the way, the truth, and the life: no man cometh unto the Father, but by me (Jn 14.6).

When we declare Jesus to be God incarnate, that God came to dwell among us, we declare this with faith in Christ Jesus, believing Him to be the only Begotten Son of the God of Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob. It is then we acknowledge we are sinners standing in need of His forgiveness and His righteousness, His holiness to which He calls His people (I P 1.15, 16).

Some say they repented of their sins, and asked Jesus Christ to come into their hearts to be their Lord and Savior. They acknowledge they are not living for the Lord Jesus Christ. They say, “He is forgiving and He understands.” They believe that when they die, all will be well for them, that they will go to Heaven – though they continued living in sin with set purpose, with intentionality. Scripture is clear. Read Hebrews Ten.

For if we sin wilfully after that we have received the knowledge of the truth, there remaineth no more sacrifice for sins (Heb 10.26).

We are to walk in the light of the Lord Jesus Christ, walk in obedience. This is not an option. This is a daily walk with the Lord, moment by moment.

But if we walk in the light, as he is in the light, we have fellowship one with another, and the blood of Jesus Christ his Son cleanseth us from all sin (I Jn 1.7).

My little children, these things write I unto you, that ye sin not. And if any man sin, we have an advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous: And he is the propitiation for our sins: and not for ours only, but also for [the sins of] the whole world.

And hereby we do know that we know him, **if** we keep his commandments (I Jn 2.1-3).

Psa 119:11 Thy word have I hid in mine heart, that I might not sin against thee.