"God Will Not Interfere with Your Will"

Matthew 7: 13-14 NKJV

The Narrow Way "Reality"

13 "Enter by the narrow gate; for wide is the gate and broad is the way that leads to destruction, and there are many who go in by it. 14 Because narrow is the gate and difficult is the way which leads to life, and there are few who find it.

- 1. God will not interfere with your will.
- "2 Duel" Realities to the Kingdom of Heaven and (Earth).

Those who miss out on what Christ provided

- a. Miss forgiveness and enter into a devil's hell.
- b. Divine Power The Word & Divine Power –
- c. The Divine Nature
- d. Short-sided unable to see things clearly unless it's close to their eyes.

e. Blind – forgot they are cleansed from sin
 Earth Kingdom – Natural – Flesh decisions daily leads to destruction... Wrong Choices – Not just our kids – YOU!

Matthew 7:5

You hypocrite! First get the beam out of your own eye, then you can see clearly to get the speck from your brother's eye.

One Reality that leads to heaven

- 1. One Narrow Gate that leads to Christ
- 2. One Way is Difficult
- 3. One Road to Life

We are saved through Faith in Jesus Christ.

2. Who or What are we Trusting in?

1 John 1:6 ESV

"If we say that we have fellowship with Him and yet walk in darkness, we lie and do not practice the truth " Though we claim to be walking through that small gate:

- a. We live in the broad way.
- b. We act like the world / talk like the world
- c. Same desires as the world
- d. And our life style will be the very thing that condemns us on the day of Judgement (Buy your words you will be justified).
- e. Difference is some are religious and they go to church.

Do they weep over sin?

One might say, "You don't know what's in my heart. I don't have to know what's in your heart, "It come out your mouth.

The Heart:

The very core of a human being

Who he really is

We say I love Jesus, but does he change the core of your being?' Does He change your life?

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"If we say that we have fellowship with Him and yet walk in darkness, we lie and do not practice the truth "
Salvation: Is a transforming of the heart — the very core of our being.

Ezekiel 36:26 NIV

26 I will give you a new heart and put a new spirit in you; I will remove from you your heart of stone and give you a heart of flesh.

3. You will Know the by their fruit

Matthew 7: 16 NKJV

16 You will know them by their fruits. Do men gather grapes from thorn bushes or figs from thistles?
Jesus Question?

You not going to find grapes on thorn tree are you? You not going to find figs on thorn tree are you Disciples (That's right Jesus! If anybody comes to you and saying they got a fig tree and it's got thorns on it, Don't listen to them, They are either lying or they are insane.)

Jesus a strong Debater, (Then, in the same way anyone who comes to me and says they are a Christian and don't look like one, they are either lying or they are insane).

Story: Stephanie's (Car Accident): Encounter with an Unexpected Experience / That left a lot of difficulties in her life:

It's impossible to have a face to face encounter with a fastmoving vehicle and not be changed for life.

Why is it possible for you to have an encounter with God and remain unchanged?

Matthew 7 NKJV

17 Even so, every good tree bears good fruit, but a bad tree bears bad fruit. 18 A good tree cannot bear bad fruit, nor can a bad tree bear good fruit. 19 Every tree that does not bear good fruit is cut down and thrown into the fire. 20 Therefore by their fruits you will know them.

What fruit do you partake of and why?

4. Three trees sum up the entire history of our world.

First Tree: Knowledge of

- 1. Knowledge of good and evil
- 2. Tree at Calvary
- 3. Tree of life in Eternity

God & Evil (Adam & Eve)

- a. The first tree was not just an act of disobedience; it brought death and removed God from His rightful place in their lives and the rightful place of God in the earth.
- b. The fruit of this same old tree is still being eaten today- more sophisticated, more excitable ways to describe its fruit.
- c. What's worse than eating the bad fruit / we are bold and lack shame before God.

We want freedom / but we remain slaves
We want His way without His guidance
His truth without His boundaries
His blesses without His existence.

His goodness but not His definition of good

MPORTANT: The natural outcome of this decision was that man placed himself in the position of God, which God reversed by putting Himself in the position of a man.

Second Tree: The tree at Calvary

The fruit of this tree

Ephesians 2:4

'But God is so rich in mercy, and He loved us so much...'

3. The Tree of life is waiting for us in Eternity.

(Rev 22:2-3) NKJV

'In the middle of its street, and on either side of the river, was the tree of life, which bore twelve fruits, each tree yielding its fruit every month. The leaves of the tree were for the healing of the nations. And there shall be no more curse...'

- a. This tree was also in the Garden of Eden
- b. because of the tree at Calvary, we will be able to freely eat from the tree of life,
- c. The tree of life yields a new harvest of fruit every month, perfectly providing all of God's goodness and perfection to those who eat from it.
- d. Some of the fruits of the tree of life indicated in the Bible are wisdom, righteousness, happiness, hope, wholeness, healing, abundance of joy, and, of course, eternal life in and with God.
- e. This third tree is of all that God had planned from the beginning: humanity living in perfect relationship with Him, under His perfect provision and in His perfect love forever.

 Not because of anything we have done but because 'God is so rich in mercy and He loved us so much'.