

## Uncommon Sense Seven Things

**Proverbs 6:16-19** “There are six things that the Lord hates, seven that are an abomination to him: 17 haughty eyes, a lying tongue, and hands that shed innocent blood, 18 a heart that devises wicked plans, feet that make haste to run to evil, 19 a false witness who breathes out lies, and one who sows discord among brothers.”

**“There are six things that the Lord hates, seven that are an abomination to him:” (v.16)**

- **“Six things... seven”:** (numerical proverb) - used both to represent the totality (emphasis), and as a means of arresting attention.

**In Job:**

**Job 5:17** “He will deliver you from six troubles; in seven no evil shall touch you.”

**In Amos:** (referring to their sin and God’s judgment)

**Amos 1:3** “Thus says the Lord: “For three transgressions of Damascus, and for four, I will not revoke the punishment, because they have threshed Gilead with threshing sledges of iron.”

**Definitely Gets My Attention: “...things that the Lord hates...”**

**God is Love:**

**1 John 4:8** “Anyone who does not love does not know God, because God is love.”

- **“I love you, but I hate when you do this...”**

**Seven Things:**

**1. Haughty \_\_\_\_\_**

**Proverbs 8:13** “The fear of the Lord is hatred of evil. Pride and arrogance and the way of evil and perverted speech I hate.”

**2. Lying \_\_\_\_\_**

**Proverbs 12:22** “Lying lips are an abomination to the Lord, but those who act faithfully are his delight.”

**3. Violent \_\_\_\_\_**

**Isaiah 59:3** “For your hands are defiled with blood and your fingers with iniquity; your lips have spoken lies; your tongue mutters wickedness.”

**4. Wicked \_\_\_\_\_**

**Genesis 6:5** The Lord saw that the wickedness of man was great in the earth, and that every intention of the thoughts of his heart was only evil continually.”

**5. Wayward \_\_\_\_\_**

**Proverbs 1:16** “...for their feet run to evil, and they make haste to shed blood.”

**6. Lying \_\_\_\_\_**

**Proverbs 14:25** “A truthful witness saves lives, but one who breathes out lies is deceitful.”

**Proverbs 19:9** “A false witness will not go unpunished, and he who breathes out lies will perish.”

**7. Divisive \_\_\_\_\_** “...and one who sows discord among brothers.” (v.19)

**Proverbs 6:12-14** “A worthless person, a wicked man, goes about with crooked speech, 13 winks with his eyes, signals with his feet, points with his finger, 14 with perverted heart devises evil, continually sowing discord;”