

Resurrection Life of Jesus Church

PREPARING FOR ETERNITY

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PART 11: TRUTH 101

REJECT DISHONESTY

God wants you to tell the truth in every situation. **Exodus 20:16**

This commandment is all about lying! **Proverbs 12:17**

God is light and that there is no darkness in Him. **1 John 1:5**

Jesus stated that the Devil is the father of all lies. **John 8:44; 14:6**

No relationship can exist without integrity; a relationship is immediately broken the moment a lie is uttered.

Political corruption is another way of lying. This happens when people take advantage of a position and demand kickbacks.

A Christian must follow what the Bible says in order to have credibility with God and man. A liar will never be respected. **1 John 1:4-10**

LYING IS A SIN

Lying is one of the seven abominations listed in the Bible. **Proverbs 6:16-19**

1. You are expected to tell the truth if you are called to testify before a court. **Matthew 10:16-20**
2. Tell the truth when you are requested to give information about a person. Making an assumption can lead to lying. If you are facing a corrupt system and do not want to turn someone in, flatly state that you have nothing to say. **Matthew 12:35-37**
3. It is your duty to be truthful if you witness an accident or crime. **Luke 10:25-37**
4. Lying occurs when you falsely slander a person. **Jeremiah 7:1-15**
5. Greedy men and women for thousands of years have used falsified measurements, tampered with landmarks and sold old merchandise as new, etc. You are a liar when you are dishonest in business. **Amos 8:1-14**

NO LIARS IN HEAVEN

The entertainment industry slanders God's creation, making a mockery of the family, morality and destroying holy living. The producers are nothing the pimps, the actors and actresses are the whores, and the viewers are the whoremongers. **James 4:1-5**

Jesus told us how strongly He felt about leading children astray. **Matthew 18:6-10**

God does not tolerate liars! **Revelation 21:8, 22:15**

The only remedy to the practice of lying is repentance and humbly seeking God's forgiveness. **James 4:5-11**



Do you need to repent? **1 John 1:5-10**

Do you plan to start and finish your classes?