

Resurrection Life of Jesus Church

GOD'S DEFINITION OF SIN

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PART 2: RUNNING FROM SIN

We need a complete understanding of sin before we can run from it.

DISOBEYING GOD IS SIN

The first sin committed by man was not murder, violence, theft or rape but was the simple act of disobeying God by eating a fruit that He said should not be eaten. **Genesis 2:16-17**

When Adam and Eve committed what most people think was a petty sin, the human race was condemned to a physical death and then eternity in the Lake of Fire. **Romans 5:12-19; Revelation 20:10-15**

Man can be redeemed through Jesus Christ if he is willing to repent, turn from his sins and receive Jesus as Lord and Saviour. **Romans 10:8-13**

There is always a consequence when a Christian decides to break any of God's commandments. This doesn't mean that the person has lost his salvation but that fellowship with God has been broken and there will be a judgment and a price to pay. Instead of walking in blessings, the believer faces judgment from God. **Hebrews 10:26-31**

Cancer is rampant among humanity and Christians are not exempt. One of the biggest cancer causing agents is pork. Has God spoken about eating pork? Yes. **Leviticus 11:1-8; 43-47**

Jesus never declared the swine to be a clean animal; its DNA didn't change when Jesus died on the cross, and the New Testament doesn't declare it to be food, but Christians twist scripture to justify this sinful habit. **1 Timothy 4:1-5**

The apostle Paul stated that everything that God has created and declared to be eaten is good *but* the swine was never created to be eaten by man.

Eating pork dishes is the same as eating of the forbidden fruit that God told Adam and Eve not to eat. Are you guilty of this sin? It won't send you to hell but it will send you to heaven earlier with less rewards.

WHAT DID JESUS SAY ABOUT SIN?

Jesus expanded the Ten Commandments and took them to a deeper level. **Matthew 5:17-48**

The apostle Paul built upon this foundation and enlarged our understanding of sin. **Romans 1:15-32; Ephesians 4:20-32; 5:1-16**



RUN FROM SIN

Paul had a fantastic understanding of what sin is and what a Christian should do about it. **Ephesians 4:20-32; 5:1-20**

Do you love Jesus? John 14:15

Remember, it's not so important how you begin your life after salvation, but how you finish it!

DO YOU HAVE AN EAR TO HEAR WITH?