

Seven Things That Are Detestable (Intense Dislike) to God

*All Scripture is KJV unless otherwise indicated (NLT)

There will never be outside victory without inside surrender of the will, emotions, and intellect as we allow the Holy Spirit to order our steps and be the guiding force in every situation we encounter!

PROVERBS: 6: 16-19 (NLT) 16. "There are **six** things the Lord hates- no, **seven** things he **detests**: **17.** haughty eyes, a lying tongue, hands that kill the innocent, **18.** a heart that plots evil, feet that race to do wrong, **19.** a false witness who pours out lies, a person who sows discord in family."

1.) **Haughtiness** (pride, arrogance, deceit)...To look down on another person or to look at them with contempt

- *Proverbs 8-13* "The fear of the LORD is to hate evil: pride, and arrogancy, and the evil way, and the froward mouth, do I hate."
- *2 Timothy 3-4* "Traitors, heady, highminded, lovers of pleasure more than lovers of God,"

2.) **Lying** (dishonest, untruthful, false)...When you purposefully deceive someone usually to protect yourself in some way (**GOD puts the truth at the forefront of all things**)

- *Proverbs 12-22* "Lying lips are abomination to the LORD: but they that deal truly are his delight."
- *Psalms 15 2,3 (NLT) 2* "Those who lead blameless lives and do what is right, speaking the truth from sincere hearts. **3** Those who refuse to gossip or harm their neighbors or speak evil of their friends."

3.) **Killing the innocent** (deadly, lethal, fatal)...Someone who cannot defend themselves, it is the epitome of cruelty

- *Psalms 10-8 (NLT)* "They lurk in ambush in the villages, waiting to murder innocent people. They are always searching for helpless victims."
- *Deuteronomy 27-25 (NLT)* "Cursed is anyone who accepts payment to kill an innocent person. And all the people will reply, 'Amen.'"

4.) **Plotting Evil** (plan, scheme, arrange)...This is worse than doing something wrong in the spur of the moment because you took time to plan evil.

- *Micah 2-1 (NLT)* "What sorrow awaits you who lie awake at night, thinking up evil plans. You rise at dawn and hurry to carry them out, simply because you have the power to do so."

- *Psalms 21-11 (NLT)* "Although they plot against you, their evil schemes will never succeed."

5.) **Racing to do wrong** (persecute, discriminate, oppress)... Becoming so determined on getting revenge that you feel like what you are doing is right.

- *Proverbs 6 18,19 (NLT)* **18** "A heart that plots evil, feet that race to do wrong, **19** a false witness who pours out lies, a person who sows discord in a family." **(It can be in a church family as well as a natural family)**
- *Isaiah 59-7* "Their feet run to do evil, and they make haste to shed innocent blood: their thoughts are thoughts of iniquity, wasting and destruction are in their paths."

6.) **A false witness** (deceiver, phony, dissimulator)... When we speak lies about someone else, it can ruin **their reputation**.

- *Exodus 23-1* "Thou shalt not raise a false report: put not thine hand with the wicked to be an unrighteous witness."
- *Matthew 23-27 (NLT)* "What sorrow awaits you teachers of religious law and you Pharisees. Hypocrites! For you are like whitewashed tombs-beautiful on the outside but filled on the inside with dead people's bones and all sorts of impurity."

7.) **Actually sowing discord** (scatter division, make mischief, divisive)... When you keep the flames of fire in a negative way to continue to burn, instead of trying to defuse the situation because GOD is a GOD of peace; you create dissension!

- *Proverbs 6 12-14 12* "A naughty person a wicked man, walketh with a froward mouth. **13** He winketh with his eyes, he speaketh with his feet, he teacheth with his fingers. **14** Frowardness is in his heart, he deviseth mischief continually; he soweth discord."
- *Romans 16-17* "Now I beseech you, brethren, mark them which cause divisions and offences contrary to the doctrine which you have learned, and avoid them."

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15. "See then that ye walk circumspectly, not as fools, but as wise, 16. Redeeming the time, because the days are evil. 17. Wherefore be ye not unwise, but understanding what the will of the Lord is. 18. And be not drunk with wine, wherein is excess; but be filled with the Spirit; 19. Speaking to yourselves in psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, singing and making melody in your heart to the Lord; 20. Giving thanks always for all things unto God and the Father in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ;"

"Journey through this life will always leave you with some regret, but it will never define you if you allow Jesus to reign."

~Prophetess Victoria E. Hodge