

Transcending Bible Talk

Seven Deadly Sins

All Scriptures are taken from KJV except where indicated otherwise.

- 1) **PRIDE**.....deep pleasure or satisfaction of one's own accomplishments

Proverbs 16:5

“Everyone that is proud in heart is an abomination to the LORD: though hands join in hand, he shall not be unpunished.”

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) **GREED**.....intense and selfish desire for something, wealth, power or food

Proverbs 11:28

“He that trusteth in his riches shall fall: but the righteous shall flourish as a branch.”

Luke 12:15

“And he said unto the, Take heed and beware of covetousness: for a man's life consisteth not in the abundance of the things which he possesseth.”

- 3) **LUST**.....very strong desire for sexual gratification or intense desire for something such as power

James 1:14,15

“¹⁴But every man is tempted, when he is drawn away of his own lust, and enticed. ¹⁵Then when lust has conceived, it bringeth forth sin: and sin, when it is finished, bringeth forth death.”

- 4) **ENVY**.....a feeling of discontented or resentful or resentful longing aroused by someone else's possessions

James 3:14-16

“¹⁴But if ye have bitter and envying strife in your hearts, glory not, and lie not against the truth. ¹⁵This wisdom descendeth not from above, but is earthly, sensual, devilish. ¹⁶For where envying and strife is, there is confusion and every evil work.”

- 5) **GLUTTONY**.....habitual greed in excess in eating

Philippians 3:19

“Whose end is destruction, whose God is their belly, and whose glory is in their shame, who mind earthly things.”

6) WRATH.....extreme anger or rage

1 Timothy 2:8

“I will therefore that men pray everywhere, lifting up holy hands, without wrath and doubting.”

7) SLOTH.....reluctance to work make an effort laziness slow moving

“Procrastination”

Proverbs 12:24

“The hand of the diligent shall bear rule: but the slothful shall be under tribute. Work hard and become a leader; be lazy and become a slave.”

(NLT)

The *seven deadly* sins are most assuredly not the only sins that we as humans commit, but the Lord our God decided to project and place emphasis on these specific sins simply because they are most often displayed by mankind. Unfortunately, many people do not even realize that these are sins against the Lord our God.

The Love of God and the sacrifice on the cross that Jesus suffered for the world’s sake is enough to always be aware of what Jehovah requires of each of us that say we belong to HIM! When we know better we will do better as a people! If there is anything that we cannot do in our own strength then we pray for the Father to help us and through the power of the HOLY SPIRIT it will be done! Now there are quite a few prerequisites that are needed - **FAITH** and **OBEDIENCE** are at the top of the list!

NOTHING NEW WILL EVER BEGIN UNTIL SOMETHING OLD COMES TO AN END.

All things new shall transpire once everything old has expired.

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