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SOLEMN VOICE FROM THE PAST

Written almost 50 years ago by A.W.Tozer: "This new evangelism employs the same language as the old, but its content is not the same and its emphasis not as before. The old cross would have no truck with the world. For Adam's proud flesh, it meant the end of the journey. The new cross is not opposed to the human race: rather, it is a friendly pal and if understood aright, it is the source if oceans of good clean fun...It lets Adam live without interference." Today, (New) Evangelicalism is not even a shadow of the truth!

ONE ATHEIST'S PROBLEM

I don't have the source for this, it is something I copied down years ago. A certain Atheist said, "There is one thing that mars all the pleasure of my life; I am afraid that the Bible may be true. If I could know for a certainty that death is an endless sleep, I should be happy. But here is what pierces my soul: If the Bible is true, I am lost forever." Well, the Bible is true and death is not an endless sleep! Not only atheists, but all who do not repent and receive Jesus Christ as their Saviour, are lost also. And to be lost is to spend eternity in a real Lake of Fire. However, there is one way of escape: "That if thou wilt confess with thy mouth the Lord Jesus and believe in thine heart that God hath raised Him from the dead, thou shalt be saved." ~Romans 10:9

HUMAN OR DIVINE?

It is human to stand with the crowd; it is divine to stand alone. It is man-like to follow the people; to drift with the tide; it is godlike to follow a principle to stem the tide. It is natural to compromise conscience and to follow the social and religious fashion for the sake of gain or pleasure; it is divine to sacrifice both on the altar of truth and duty. "No man stood with me, but all men forsook me," wrote the battle-scarred Apostle describing the incident in which he had to answer for his life for believing and teaching contrary to the Roman world. -Copied

FRUIT OF COVETOUSNESS

Covetousness enticed Lot into Sodom...Caused destruction of Achan and his house...It was the curse of Balaam...It left Gehazi a leper...It sent the Rich Young Ruler away (no doubt to a Christless eternity)...It led Judas to betray the Lord...It brought death to Ananias and Sapphira. What havoc it has wrought, even among saints of God! Jesus said, "Beware of covetousness..." ~Luke 12:15.