

HATING DOING yet LOVING RECEIVING =

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"They that HATE the RIGHTEOUS shall be DESOLATE." Ps. 34:21. "Ye that LOVE the Lord = HATE evil." Ps. 97:10.

"How long, ye SIMPLE ones, will ye HATE Knowledge?" Prov. 1:22. "FEAR of the Lord is to HATE Evil." Prov. 8:13.

While I was sitting alone, the word: "DO" came into my thoughts as well as the word: "RECEIVE." = came to me as strong as the word: "DO."

I thought if I love RECEIVE more than DO = I better go to the BIBLE CONCORDANCE to find out what DO is in there. Opening my Bible Concordance the first word I found under: "DO" = was in Gen. 18:25. "Shall not the Judge of all DO right?" Another statement Deut. 27:26. "CURSED be he that confirmeth not ALL the Words of this LAW to DO them." Eccl. 9:10. = "Whatsoever thy hand findeth to DO, DO IT with thy might." Isa. 45:7. = "I the Lord DO all these things."

Then I thought perhaps this word DO may not be in the New Testament because the "NEW COVENANT" believers who declare they "BELIEVE ONLY" in the New Testament say everything in these has already BEEN DONE by Jesus Christ. "DONE, son = DONE!"

While I was considering the theme, there in the Concordance I came across the 1st Book in the NT = Matt. 7:12. (The Golden Rule.) "Therefore all things whatsoever ye would that

men should DO to you, DO ye even so to them: for this is the LAW + the PROPHETS." Luke 6:31. Lev. 19:18. Rom. 13:8. Gal. 5:14.

So here I found that the LAW and the PROPHETS are found in the word DO because these words were spoken by Christ Himself in that Book of Matt. 7:12.

And those words of Christ have further been supported by the other cited References as well.

"In that hour Jesus rejoiced in spirit, and said, I thank thee, O Father, Lord of heaven + earth, that thou hast hid these things from the wise + prudent, and hast revealed them unto babes: even so, Father; for so it seemed good in thy sight. All things are delivered to me of my Father; and no man knoweth who the Son is, but the Father; and who the Father is, but the Son, and he to whom the Son will reveal him,

"And he turned him unto his disciples, and said privately, Blessed are the eyes which see the things which ye see: For I tell you, that many prophets + kings have desired to see those things which ye see, and have not seen them; and to hear those things which ye hear, and have not heard them,

"And, behold, a certain lawyer stood up, and tempted him, saying, Master, what shall I DO to inherit eternal life?"

BRETHREN = here I pause a little to ask you to listen very carefully how our Saviour is going to reply to this question because all of us are asking this question + I can see even you where you are = you are asking yourself, WHAT shall I DO to inherit eternal life? Now straight away = "He said unto him, What is written in the LAW? how readest thou?"

Does this question apply to you, Reader? Are you want to say that it applied only

to the Lawyer? See the Lawyers answer:

"And he answering said, Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy strength, and with all thy mind, and thy neighbor as thyself."

"And Jesus said unto him, Thou hast answered right: this DO, and thou shalt LIVE." Luke 10:21-28.

As we go on with this word of DOING = we find that even when Jesus had finished ministering to his disciples, He commanded them to DO as we further read in 1 Cor. 11:23-5. "For I have received of the Lord that which also I delivered unto you, That the Lord Jesus the same night in which he was betrayed took bread: And when he had given thanks, he brake it, and said, Take, eat: this is my body, which is broken for you: this DO in remembrance of me.

"After the same manner also he took the cup, when he had supped, saying, This cup is the NEW TESTAMENT in my blood: DO ye, as oft as ye drink it, in remembrance of me."

NOW I MUST ASK THOSE = who talk about NO WORK NEEDED etc... Is the cup a NEW TESTAMENT of DO=NOTHING? or of DOING=AS-OFT as ye drink it? The Christian life is a life of labour (SC 62,80-1. DA 826.) because from the above words of our Saviour, He did not rest even at the time of his facing death, but he went on DOING and telling his disciples that after his death they should keep on DOING as oft in remembrance of Him. Is it not misleading when DONE=DONE=DONE is preached, but no DO=DO=DO = to others as ye would like them to DO unto you? Why do you like saying, Jesus died for us but avoid saying we must also DIE to SELF, and be prepared to DIE in defense of the Word, the Truth, the Gospel as it is

in Christ Jesus. Are we ready to DIE for it? If we are not = then we are not the followers of Christ and that is the Secret of why so many of us do not want even to come out and say what they see WRONG. They say, I AM A CHRISTIAN and I do not want to find OUT the FAULTS. So the faults REMAIN. (3T:252-272) If all are NEUTRAL (3T:281-2. 4T:108,213.)

Do you hear the calling of sinners to REPENTANCE? How shall they REPENT unless they KNOW what they did that was WRONG? See the CLOAK thrown over EVIL. (5T:210.) See the "DUMB DOGS" that will not BARK. (5T:211.) See them ALL=PERISH=TOGETHER. (5T:211.) Especially the LEADERS. (5T:212.)

See God's people Sighing + Crying for all the ABOMINATIONS. (5T:212.) This works REPENTANCE. (SC 28-31.)

Or is it telling them, O you are about RIGHT? just live on as you ARE! Come to our Church - we do not find Fault with you = if you do not find Fault with us! Jesus has DONE everything, in our Church there is nothing to DO. What did Paul (Saul) ask our Saviour when he was knocked by the Power of God? The record reads that he asked, "Lord, what wilt thou have me to DO?" Acts 9:6. When God calls us He wants us to DO something = not to remain IDLE. I=CONDEMN=THOSE=WHO=SAY=ALL=IS=DONE=WHEN=I=READ=SCRIPTURES=LIKE=THESE.

"The Friend of God." Such men APPROVE that which God APPROVES + CONDEMN that which He CONDEMNNS." 4T:615,173.

RECEIVING = Those who say Jesus has DONE everything for us + we need not DO anything on our part = I place them in the Class of those who like to RECEIVE but not to GIVE. They

want the Blessings of God as a FREE GIFT = but do not want to DO any WORK for God. "WORK for the NIGHT is...."

This morning I was thinking of the SUN - AIR + WATER, and I said these things are of great benefit to the growing Crops + the needy Human Beings. Then another thought came, unless the Crops are planted(seeds) = which every one who has ever farmed, is familiar with the hard labor required to WORK the Land, and after that hard labor then more WORK to reap the Harvest. This train of thought caused me to remember again the word of our Saviour:

"If any man will come after Me, let him DENY himself, and TAKE=UP=HIS=CROSS, and follow Me. For whosoever shall SAVE his LIFE shall LOSE it: and whosoever shall LOSE his LIFE for My sake shall FIND it...

"For the Son of man shall come in the glory of his Father with his angels; and then he shall REWARD every man according to his WORKS." Matt. 16:24-5,27.

Those who say:"Christ did it ALL!" = there is nothing for us to "DO!" = this Class also say:"We cannot keep the LAW!" (so why TRY? These are the "Do-Nothings and Know-Nothings." RH Al:202.)

If man is only a Zombie = with no power of choice = "There could be no DEVELOPMENT of CHARACTER." PP 49. "Therefore He gave them the Power of CHOICE = the Power to YIELD or to WITHOLD OBEDIENCE." Ed.23.

"The WILL is the governing POWER in the NATURE of man, the POWER of decision, or choice. Every human being possessed of REASON has POWER to

CHOOSE the RIGHT..."CHOOSE ye this Day whom ye will serve..."to FORM a CHARACTER." Ed.289. "CHARACTER-BUILDING is the most important WORK entrusted to human beings." Ed.225. "...is the WORK of a LIFE-TIME." PP 223.

"WORK out your own Salvation." Phil.2:13....CHARACTER-BUILDING is the WORK, not of a Day, nor of a Year, but of a LIFETIME...is a BATTLE, and a MARCH... the EFFORT must be CONTINUOUS + PERSEVERING...No one will be borne upward without STERN, PERSEVERING EFFORT..." MH 452-3."Let him take hold of My STRENGTH." "OVERCOME."

(Satan seeks to divert minds from.CT 384)

We have seen that the REWARD is to those who are WORKING, not to those who love their EASE. "Men who stand in very responsible positions at the HEART of the WORK are ASLEEP. Satan has PARALYZED them...These REPROOFS + WARNINGS disturb the QUIET of these sleepy, EASE-LOVING sentinels, and...they say.."This is all uncalled for. It is TOO SEVERE, TOO HARSH...Why don't they prophesy SMOOTH things, and cry:PEACE, PEACE?... And Satan exults..." 2T:439,440.

LIFE is for those who LOSE their LOVE for this World and its fleeting shadows. Who are willing to lose not only Church honor + office = but Life itself. Those who fear to CONDEMN thinking that if they DO they will:"LOSE=THEIR=LIVES" = or fear to WITNESS for the TRUTH lest they be PERSECUTED...let them Think:

Did Christ say LIES in the above statements? Read with me verse 26:

"For what is a man profited, if he shall gain the whole World, and lose his own soul? or what shall a man give in exchange for his soul?"

Every last Christian should know without fail = AS=IT=WAS=IN=THE=DAYS=OF=

NOAH = as it was in the days of Sodom and Gomorrah = "AS=IT=WAS=IN=THE=DAYS=" OF=CHRIST = as it was in the days of Luther = AS=IT=WAS=IN=THE=DAYS=OF=ELIJAH= as it was in the days of Ellen G.White = AS=IT=WAS=IN=THE=DAYS=OF=JOHN=THE=BAPTIST = as it was in the days of the prophets of old =

the people remained AS and WHERE they WERE! They REFUSED to make a CHANGE! In each and every Case = they STAYED with the Church! with the Majority! with the popular Crowd. WHAT=CHURCH=WENT=INTO=THE=ARK? out of Sodom and Gomorrah? = WHAT=CHURCH=WENT=OUT=OF=OLD=JERUSALEM?

IS THIS THE WAY IT WILL BE?

In each and every case = it was INDIVIDUALS that were SAVED by their own JUSTIFICATION in their own FAITH! In their own God + in His precious Truth more valuable than Life itself! "Buy the Truth = and Sell it not!"

We are not SAVED in GROUPS. GC 490. MB 197. RH Nov.19,1908. MB 53. GC 622. Every soul must stand FOR HIMSELF. GC 622. CHARACTER is being WEIGHED. 5T:279.

BRETHREN IN AFRICA AND OVERSEAS =

the Lord is training His chosen to meet this emergency Hour. The 11th Hour men may WORK only ONE HOUR = from the 11th Hour to Laodicea's MIDNIGHT = ONE HOUR!

But the promised REWARD will be FULL PAY! Matt.20:1-16. How do you understand this: (A "PARTY" is a SECT or CHURCH. WFT 12. DA 274. GC 199,202,148,375.TM 126,133. Ev.363. SM 2:141.)

"The different PARTIES of professed Advent believers have EACH a little Truth, but God has given ALL=THESE=TRUTHS to His children who are being PREPARED for the Day of God. He=has=also=given=them=Truths that NONE=OF=THESE=PARTIES=KNOW=neither will they UNDERSTAND. Things

which are sealed=up=to=them,the Lord has opened to those who see and are ready to understand." EW 124.

PRAY THAT WE MAY BE AMONG THEM =

"Some of us have had TIME to get the Truth and to advance Step by Step, and every Step we have taken has given us strength to take the next. But now TIME is almost FINISHED, and what we=have=been=YEARS=LEARNING, they will have to learn in a few months." EW 67. "They will also have much to UNLEARN and much to LEARN AGAIN." (SAME.) "Who have MUCH to LEARN, and MUCH to DO." EW 63.

"Elder Bennett, in speaking of FAITH, said, "All we have to do is BELIEVE, and whatsoever we ASK of God will be GIVEN us."

"Elder White suggested that there were CONDITIONS specified. 'If ye abide in me, and my words abide in you ye shall ask what ye will, and it shall be done unto you.' Said he, "Your theory of FAITH must have a FOUNDATION; it is as EMPTY as a flour barrel with both heads out.'" 1888 Battle Creek Steam Press LS 208.

"When the words of the Lord through His chosen MESSENGERS are brought to them, they murmur + think the WAY is made too STRAIT. In the 6th chapter of John we read of some who were thought to be disciples of Christ, but who, when the PLAIN TRUTH was presented to them, were DISPLEASED, and walked NO=MORE=WITH=HIM. In like manner these SUPERFICIAL STUDENTS also will TURN AWAY from Christ."

"The TIME has come, the IMPORTANT TIME, when through God's MESSENGERS the scroll is being UNROLLED."6T:133