

Ignoring the Truth

Psalm 10:4

⁴The wicked in his proud countenance does not seek God; God is in none of his thoughts.

John 3:16-21

¹⁶For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have everlasting life. ¹⁷For God did not send His Son into the world to condemn the world, but that the world through Him might be saved.

¹⁸“He who believes in Him is not condemned; but he who does not believe is condemned already, because he has not believed in the name of the only begotten Son of God. ¹⁹And this is the condemnation, that the light has come into the world, and men loved darkness rather than light, because their deeds were evil. ²⁰For everyone practicing evil hates the light and does not come to the light, lest his deeds should be exposed. ²¹But he who does

the truth comes to the light, that his deeds may be clearly seen, that they have been done in God.”

1 Corinthians 2:14

¹⁴But the natural man does not receive the things of the Spirit of God, for they are foolishness to him; nor can he know them, because they are spiritually discerned.

Ephesians 4:17-19

¹⁷This I say, therefore, and testify in the Lord, that you should no longer walk as the rest of the Gentiles walk, in the futility of their mind, ¹⁸having their understanding darkened, being alienated from the life of God, because of the ignorance that is in them, because of the blindness of their heart; ¹⁹who, being past feeling, have given themselves over to lewdness, to work all uncleanness with greediness.

According to the passages of Scripture presented above, why does a person deny God’s existence, treat God with indifference, or fail to comprehend the things of God? What are some of the words used to describe such a person? Write your responses in the space below.

No one in the final analysis really fails to become a Christian because of lack of arguments; he fails to become a Christian because he loves darkness rather than light and wants nothing to do with God.

—William Lane Craig; <https://t.ly/jgXoj>—

In other words, people want to justify living however they wish, so they willfully ignore the truth.

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