

and will not speak out against evils. You have a God given responsibility to speak out against such things (Eph. 5:11). One great way of speaking out is by voting right. You know by the Scriptures that God is against these great perversions. We cannot accept and condone actions that God condemns. Jesus said, "He that is not with me is against me" (Matt. 12:30). Are **YOU** with God??? Many do not want to give up their precious time to learn where a candidate stands on the moral issues, and do not want to take time out to vote.

Conclusion: Do you stand with God or against Him? If we are not against such evils (abortion and homosexuality) when voting and in every walk of life, how can we think that we are pleasing to God (Eph. 5:11; Rom. 1:32)? It is unchristian **not** to speak out against such evils (Eph. 5:11)! Think about this, if you are not against abortion, homosexuality, etc., then you are counted as being for it. There is **no middle ground** when it comes to right and wrong. To serve God one must do battle for truth/right (Jude 3). **YOU** can do something about these great evils: speak out and vote right.

Every person involved in abortion; the woman, the man, the doctors and nurses, the parents who gave their consent, the legislators and voters, ALL who do not oppose this evil shall someday stand before God and give account of shedding innocent blood, which God hates (Rom. 14:12; Prov. 6:16-19). Please note the following.

GOP platform 1980: "... we affirm our support of a constitutional amendment to restore protection of the right to life for unborn children. We also support the Congressional efforts to restrict the use of taxpayers' dollars for abortion." Please go to this website:

<http://www.presidency.ucsb.edu/ws/index.php?pid=25844>

GOP platform 2012: "We oppose using public revenues to promote or perform abortion or fund organizations which perform or advocate it and will not fund or subsidize health care which includes abortion coverage. We support the appointment of judges who respect traditional family values and the sanctity of innocent human life." There is much more on this subject at this website:

http://www.nytimes.com/2012/08/29/us/politics/republican-platform-takes-turn-to-right.html?_r=1

Democrats Strongly Favor Gay [homosexual-perverse] Marriage and abortion on demand including using your tax money!!! Where do you stand??? What will God's judgment be of **YOU**? ♥



"Hold fast the form of sound words"

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(II Tim. 1:13 cp. Tit. 1:9; Jude 3)

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Who Do We Serve, God Or Selfishness?

(Your Vote Counts!)

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Every aspect of life counts and will be brought into the Judgment (Eccl. 12:14)! We cannot go into an exempt status on anything and think that God will not hold us responsible for what we do. By our deeds God knows whom we serve: "Know ye not, that to whom ye yield yourselves servants to obey, his servants ye are to whom ye obey; whether of sin unto death, or of obedience unto righteousness" (Rom. 6:16)?

"**No man can serve two masters:** for either he will hate the one, and love the other; or else he will hold to the one, and despise the other. Ye cannot serve God and mammon" (Matt. 6:24). "Mammon" stands for riches personified. John cautions us: "Love not the world, neither the things *that are* in the world ..." (1 John 2:15-17). Paul said, "For Demas hath forsaken me, having loved this present world" (2 Tim. 4:10). Remember the words of our Lord (above in Matt. 6:24). There is a great battle within man: it is between good and evil; worldly vs. spiritual. Of course we live in a physical world and have need of physical things which the Lord provides (cp. Matt. 5:45; 6:24-34). The problem is most people are very **selfish**. Did not **selfishness** play a part of the downfall of mankind (Gen. 3:6)? Cain was afflicted with **selfishness** (Gen. 4:9). **Selfishness** has been a plague of mankind through the ages. The rich young ruler is typical (Matt. 19:16-22).

Selfishness is certainly the god of many people and surely is the god behind every idol. Remember covetousness is idolatry (Col. 3:5). Most people do not knowingly choose to serve Satan, but do serve Satan because of their own self: **selfishness**. Note the following.

The god selfishness is why people abort their children. All sexual relationships outside of marriage are sinful and damnable (Heb. 13:4); whether the sexual relationship is between opposite sexes or the

same-sex (1 Cor. 6:9-11). Unfortunately many unwanted children are conceived in these sinful relationships between male and female. Sex between same-sex couples is perversion and fortunately produces no children. Around 3,500 abortions are performed in America every day because of selfishness. This is 54,559,615 abortions from 1973 to 2008! The children are slain because of a myriad of selfish reasons including: being un-married; careers; recreation; lack of money; politics; and selfish voters who vote for money rather than moral issues. And all are guilty of this great slaughter!!!

What about conception in cases of rape? Much talk is going on about this subject, but mostly it is just a “smoke screen.” It is just an appeal to get people to loosen up on abortion – gradually chipping away at morals. We should be concerned about what is the mind of God on the matter and stand with God. Do you want to do that? Is the child guilty? Is the child worthy of death? Remember, the child is just as much a part of the mother as of the man. It takes a perverted mother and society to abort (kill) her child in such a case. The rapist should be punished severely, but in a perverse society he often goes unpunished and the most innocent pays with his or her life.

Abortion is shedding innocent blood and God hates the hands of those who shed innocent blood (Prov. 6:17). How much more innocent can one be than the unborn child from God (Heb. 12:9; Acts 17:28)? God will have the final word: “So then every one of us shall give account of himself to God” (Rom. 14:12); “Marvel not at this: for the hour is coming, in the which all that are in the graves shall hear his voice, And shall come forth; they that have done good, unto the resurrection of life; and they that have done evil, unto the resurrection of damnation” (John 5:28-29). **To vote**, knowingly or willingly ignorant, for someone who is for abortion is a great evil whenever you have the choice to vote for someone who is against this evil! If you have done so you need to repent (Luke 13:3).

The god selfishness is why people have sex outside of the God sanctified marriage bond. In Genesis 2:18-24 we find God’s sacred institution of marriage. Adam proclaimed of the one woman from the one rib: “This *is* now bone of my bones, and flesh of my flesh: she shall be called Woman, because she was taken out of Man. ²⁴Therefore shall a man leave his father and his mother, and shall cleave unto his wife: and they shall be one flesh” (vs.23,24). This is God’s will which Jesus also sanctioned (Matt. 19:4-8). Sexual relations outside of marriage ordained of God are sinful (Heb. 13:4).

The god selfishness is why people have same-sex sexual relations. It is perversion! It does not matter what men may say. Their words will not, by any means, change God’s Word. God has already given His word, His judgment on homosexuals. It is not my word, but God’s. God’s laws are just (Psalms 119:172). It is but a very simple matter to learn God’s judgment toward homosexuals. The Bible says of the men of that infamous city of Sodom, that they were exceedingly wicked and sinners before the Lord (Gen. 13:13). A few chapters later we see God’s judgment upon them: “Then the LORD rained upon Sodom and upon Gomorrah brimstone and fire from the LORD out of heaven” (Gen. 19:24). How much plainer can it be? It is really not a matter of being able to understand; it is a matter of whether or not we believe God (cp. Rev. 21:8 “unbelieving”). Homosexuality is definitely a sin and “the wages of sin is death,” i.e., eternal destruction (Rom. 6:23; Rev. 21:8; 20:14). Homosexuality is NOT normal or natural (Rom. 1:27). Anyone who truly believes the Bible knows that God does not make one to be perverse. **To vote**, knowingly or willingly ignorant, for someone who is for homosexuality and same-sex marriages is a great evil whenever you have the choice to vote for someone who is against this evil! If you have done so you need to repent (Luke 13:3).

The god selfishness is why people will not vote against these moral evils. Some vote for the candidate who is for these great evils because they also are for these evils. Others ignore the moral issues or else justify themselves in voting for the candidate who is for these great evils because they care more for the dollar than for godliness (1 Tim. 6:10)! When it comes to electing officials to rule this country, multitudes are more concerned for their own pocketbooks than for moral issues. Most people are more concerned about, “What’s in it for **ME?** – self – selfishness” rather than the moral issues. It seems that if people can be benefitted a few dollars, they do not care what happens to another – even if others are murdered by the thousands everyday!!! Selfishness has gotten in the way of right judgment for most Americans. Selfishness is clearly the root of these two great evils: abortion and homosexuality. **Choosing the right over the wrong will almost always cost us something.** Are you willing to pay the price for righteousness as was Jesus? It does cost to be a Christian, but the rewards are far greater than the cost.

The god selfishness is why people will not get out and vote. The very reason this country is in the great moral decay it is in is because many morally right people will not stand for truth and right,