

# Turning the World Upside Down

## HELPFUL SCRIPTURES

## SERMON NOTES

1 Thessalonians 3:6-10

### **I. The “Walk” that Please God, (1 Thessalonians 4:1-12)**

#### **A. Paul’s Earnest & Tender Encouragement, (vs. 1-2)**

1. (vs. 1-2), “*Finally then, brethren, we request and exhort you in the Lord Jesus. . . .*”

Romans 6:4

Ephesians 2:10

Ephesians 5:2

Ephesians 4:17

Ephesians 5:15

- a. Apostles looked for opportunities to commend the believers for doing what is right!

1 Thessalonians 4:1

1 Thessalonians 5:11

1 Thessalonians 3:6

1 Thessalonians 3:12

Matthew 28:19

#### **B. The Christian’s “Walk of Sanctification,” (vs. 3-5)**

1. (vs. 3-5), “*For this is the will of God, your sanctification . . . .*”

- a. The N.T. gives 2 different types of “Sanctification”

1 Peter 1:15-16

1 Corinthians 6:9-11

- b. “*Fornication*” = \_\_\_\_\_

### **C. The Reason for a Pure Walk, (vs. 6-8)**

1. (vs. 6), “...and that no man transgress and defraud his brother in the matter . . . .”

a. Those who disobey their command *defrauds* their Christian “*brother/sister.*”

1 Corinthians 6:19

James 4:4-5

Psalms 51:11

Romans 8:9

### **D. Four Practical “Steps” as We “Walk”, (vs. 9-12)**

1. Step #1 - (vs. 9-10), “*Now as to the love of the brethren, you have no need of anyone to write to you*

2 Peter 1:12)

2. Step #2 – (v. 11a), “*And make it your ambition to lead a quiet life...*”

3. Step #3 – (v. 11b), “...and *attend to your own business....*”

Matthew 7:1-2

1 Timothy 5:13

4. Step #4 – (vs. 11c-12), “...and *work with your hands, just as we commanded you....*”

2 Thessalonians 3:10

Ephesians 4:28.

### **CONCLUSIONS:**

Hebrews 10:26-27

1 Corinthians 6:11

Romans 3:10; 2 Corinthians 5:21

Titus 3:5; Acts 22:16

1 Peter 3:21