*Thursday, February 6, 2014*

**Secret Society**

2 Corinthians 5:10-11 For we must all appear before the judgment seat of Christ; that every one may receive the things done in his body, according to that he hath done, whether it is good or bad. 11 Knowing therefore the terror of the Lord, we persuade men; but we are made manifest unto God; and I trust also are made manifest in your consciences. (KJV)

Today mankind is so puffed up that they have the gall to say “my body my choice”. Half that statement is true, at least the choice part, but the reality is that your body is not yours but the Lord’s. Someday you will have to stand before Him and give an account of what you did with His temple before trading it in for a new glorified one that will last forever. However, just like with a car lot, they are going to check out your trade in to make sure it is not junk. Our Lord has His own car fax so to speak, so He already knows what has happened with your vehicle.

1 Corinthians 6:13-15 Meats for the belly, and the belly for meats: but God shall destroy both it and them. Now the body is not for fornication, but for the Lord; and the Lord for the body. 14 And God hath both raised up the Lord, and will also raise up us by his own power. 15 Know you not that your bodies are the members of Christ? Shall I then take the members of Christ, and make them the members of a harlot? God forbid. (KJV)

The devil has convinced many that marriage is old fashioned and out of date. Many think it’s okay to take a test ride before marriage, but our Lord still considers that a deal breaker.

1 Corinthians 6:19-20 What? Know ye not that your body is the temple of the Holy Ghost which is in you, which ye have of God, and ye are not your own? 20 For ye are bought with a price: therefore glorify God in your body, and in your spirit, which are God's. (KJV)

It took quite a price for you to be bought back and redeemed from the curse. Someday our Lord is going to have you stand before Him and give and account of what He is getting in return. It is important what you do with your body, or who you decide to do it with. Something you may want to keep in mind before selling your soul for a feeling.

1 Corinthians 3:16-17 Know ye not that ye are the temple of God, and that the Spirit of God dwells in you? 17 If any man defile the temple of God, him shall God destroy; for the temple of God is holy, which temple ye are. (KJV)

The question was asked about smoking and would it keep one out of the kingdom of heaven. The statement was also made by the individual trying to justify their actions which they already knew was wrong. If you destroy this temple which is the body, well as you see clearly above what goes around will come back around. You were given this temple to get you through this realm and into the next one without any major breakdowns. So if you are the one responsible for the breakdown, it will need to be fixed.

3 John 1:2-4 Beloved, I wish above all things that thou mayest prosper and be in health, even as thy soul prospers. 3 For I rejoiced greatly, when the brethren came and testified of the truth that is in thee, even as thou walks in the truth. 4 I have no greater joy than to hear that my children walk in truth. (KJV)

Many of God’s people are getting sucker punched because they haven’t kept the temple of God up and running the way they should. You know people catch colds and other ailments, but good health is something you just don’t catch unless you pursue it in a godly way.

God bless dearly loved and stay healthy; body, soul, and spirit. Have a prosperous day in Christ Jesus our Lord.