

living sacrifices

Praise the Lord:

(NOTE: Read all noted verses full in your Bible and meditate)

Let us Pray

Romans 11:36 - 12:1 . . . to offer your bodies as living sacrifices, holy and pleasing to God—this is your spiritual act of worship. (NIV)

Ref: Dictionary: (living sacrifice) Sacrifice:

an offering to God, the giving up of some comfort or anything dear for the sake of general good.

Many people seek first his kingdom and his righteousness,. . .

After finding it, How many people, offer them to the Lord as the above verse says...?

Many times we look at others and make ourselves live in weakness without trying to overcome our weakness.

Think about this. . . .Some time many even take the Bible to support this....

Many Christians are pointed out.....many people in Bible were did wrong things due to their weakness.

It is hard for us to remove our weakness.....!

The people weakness recorded in the bible is not for us to live with our weakness. Even when God choose us, our flesh will make us weak to live against God's will. We should overcome those weakness with God's help.

Those bible records are warning for us. Why don't we take like this?

To overcome our weakness may not be possible by us. But it is possible by GOD.

Bible shows this clearly with Jesus Christ as an example for us.

Hebrews 9:14 (*Jesus Christ*. . . offered himself unblemished to God, . . . (NIV)

Jesus said:

Luke 9:23. "If anyone would come after me, he must deny himself. . . (NIV)

Galatians 5:17. For the sinful nature desires what is contrary to the Spirit, and the Spirit what is contrary to the sinful nature. They are in conflict with each other, so that you do not do what you want. (NIV)

This same chapter you can see the fruit of the spirit... in verse 22 & 23

the next verse **Galatians 5:24**. Those who belong to Christ Jesus have crucified the sinful nature with its passions and desires. (NIV)

Note: It says Those who belong to Christ Jesus. NOT as Christians. There is a different. Think

When we take effort to achieve his command, HE will help us.

Psalms 121:1-2. I lift up my eyes to the hills—where does my help come from?

My help comes from the LORD, the Maker of heaven and earth.

We all should try more patiently with prayer to invite those who live closer to the church who does not know Christ.

Romans 9:16. It does not, therefore, depend on man's desire or effort, but on God's mercy.

We should have willingness to act, and act with prayer. Then God will make it success.

Read again Romans 12:1

spiritual act of worship (NIV), truly the way to worship him(KJV),

reasonable (rational, intelligent) service and spiritual worship. (AMP)

How can we achieve this true way to worship him????

2 Corinthians 7:1

.. .. dear friends, let us purify ourselves from everything that contaminates body and spirit, perfecting holiness out of reverence for God. (NIV)

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Colossians 1:19-20 (For God was pleased to have all his fullness dwell in him,. . . .)