

## Difference Makers

Psalm 1:1(ESV): "Blessed is the man who walks not in the counsel of the wicked, nor stands in the way of sinners, nor sits in the seat of scoffers"

Psalm 1:2(ESV): "but his delight is in the  $law_{[b]}$  of the Lord, and on his law he meditates day and night."

"What a difference it would be if our system of morality were based on the Bible." William Wilberforce

Psalm 1:3(ESV): "He is like a tree planted by streams of water that yields its fruit in its season, and its leaf does not wither. In all that he does, he prospers."

Psalm 1:4-6(ESV): "The wicked are not so,but are like chaff that the wind drives away.**5** Therefore the wicked will not stand in the judgment, nor sinners in the congregation of the righteous;**6** for the Lord knows the way of the righteous, but the way of the wicked will perish."

- 1. Jesus is DIVERSE
- 2. Jesus is UNCOMFORTABLE
- 3. Jesus is a RESTORER
- 4. Jesus comes DOWN
- 5. Jesus owns my SIN

"If you want peace, you don't talk to your friends. You talk to your enemies." Desmond Tutu

Leviticus 26:40: "But if they will confess their sins and the sins of their ancestors."

Romans 5:12,15: "Therefore, just as sin entered the world through one man, and death through sin, and in this way death came to all people, because all sinned... For if the many died by the trespass of the one man, how much more did God's grace and the gift that came by the grace of the one man, Jesus Christ, overflow to the many!"

2 Corinthians 5:18,21(NKJV): "Now all things *are* of God, who has reconciled us to Himself through Jesus Christ, and has given us the ministry of reconciliation... **21** For He made Him who knew no sin *to be* sin for us, that we might become the righteousness of God in Him."