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*All Scriptures and comments are based on the **New King James Version**, unless otherwise noted.*

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Be Merry Without Alcohol!

Let us walk properly, as in the day, not in revelry and drunkenness, not in lewdness and lust, not in strife and envy. (**Romans 13:13**)

These are terms that describe company parties, conventions, frat parties, bars and taverns, Christmas and New Year Eves, or proms. This verse teaches us to behave as if others can see us in the daytime; therefore NOT with rioting and dulled judgments in alcohol and drugs; NOT sexual excesses and perversions; NOT with quarrelling and jealousy!

But put on the Lord Jesus Christ, and make no provision for the flesh, to fulfill its lusts. (**Romans 13:14**)

For as many of you as were baptized into Christ have put on Christ. (**Galatians 3:27**)

Christians will, and should, choose not to!

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**Baby Jesus #2**

This time of year in celebrating the birth of Jesus Christ, many don't seem to understand some things. For instance, when Jesus' birth was announced to the shepherds, suddenly there appeared:

... a multitude of the heavenly host praising God and saying: "Glory to God in the highest, And on earth peace, goodwill toward men!" (**Luke 2:13-14**)

But Jesus' birth did not mean there would be "peace" all over the earth. Moses' Law was:

... To bring us to Christ, that we might be justified by faith. But after faith has come, we are no longer under a tutor. For you are all sons of God through faith in Christ Jesus. For as many of you as were baptized into Christ have put on Christ. (**Galatians 3:24-27**)

"Peace, goodwill toward men" is for those who are "baptized into Christ." Do you have that peace?

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Getting Jesus Right: Kingship

The New Testament writers, "did not follow cunningly devised fables" (**2 Peter 1:16**) when they wrote about Jesus Christ. A "fable" is a "myth, fairy tale, falsehood." At birth, Jesus was not a "king." He was called "king of the Jews" by wise men (**Matthew 2:2**). After miraculously feeding thousands, the people wanted to force Him to be their king, but Jesus withdrew from them (**John 6:15**). He entered Jerusalem, and the Jews wrongly said,

"Blessed is the King who comes in the name of the LORD!" (**Luke 19:38**)

Pilate wrongly titled Jesus' cross, "THE KING OF THE JEWS" (**Mark 15:26**). **Only after His resurrection did Jesus claim,**

"All authority has been given to Me in heaven and on earth."
(**Matthew 28:18**)

Now He is "the King of kings and Lord of lords" (1 Timothy 6:15).

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**Getting Jesus Right: Word of God**

The New Testament writers, "did not follow cunningly devised fables" (**2 Peter 1:16**) when they wrote about Jesus Christ. A "fable" is a "myth, fairy tale, or falsehood."

For this reason we also thank God without ceasing, because when you received the word of God which you heard from us, you welcomed it not as the word of men, but as it is in truth, the word of God, which also effectively works in you who believe. (**1 Thessalonians 2:13**)

Only the Word of God should be our source of faith, everything else should not be! Since the Bible was written by God through inspired men,

Every word of God is pure; He is a shield to those who put their trust in Him. Do not add to His words, Lest He rebuke you, and you be found a liar. (**Proverbs 30:5-6**)

Don't rely on false translations or traditions!

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