

His Sincerity



1. Matthew 5:23-24
2. Matthew 5:27-28
3. Matthew 6:1-2
4. Matthew 6:5-6
5. Ezekiel 13:22
6. 2 Peter 2:1-2
7. Matthew 7:15-17
8. Luke 11:39-40
9. Luke 11:42
10. Luke 11:46
11. Matthew 23:2-4
12. Matthew 23:5-7
13. Matthew 15:7-9
14. Isaiah 29:15
15. John 18:37
16. Matthew 12:33-34
17. Psalm 10:11-13
18. Psalm 64:5-6
19. Jeremiah 23:23-24
20. Proverbs 15:3
21. 1 John 4:1
22. Ezekiel 33:31
23. James 1:22-24
24. Psalm 78:36-37
25. John 5:44-47
26. John 12:42-43
27. 2 Corinthians 10:18
28. Romans 2:29
29. 1 Corinthians 13:3
30. Luke 16:15

A lie is the foundational sin. Jesus was without guile and what he found the most fault with was hypocrisy. Hypocrisy cares little for real goodness, desiring only to appear well without having to pay the price that truth costs. It can also be found in being willing to appear worse than one really is by not confessing Christ or standing up for truth when the opportunity arises. Jesus would not lie to save himself from the cross. It was far more important to be right in the sight of God than to have the approval of his fellowmen. He showed that the real evil is in one's secret thoughts rather than a faulty keeping of the law. Those who are truly sincere are also those who can respect themselves.

1. Pray. *Put false ways far from me and graciously teach me your law.*
2. Read.
3. Write out by hand.
4. Highlight what the passage is saying about sincerity.
5. How does this passage show me how to be sincere?