

# THE "HIGH WAY" WE MUST FOLLOW

JESUS IS THE WAY

John 14:6

- OUT OF SIN

JOHN 3:17; 1<sup>ST</sup> COR. 15:3

- *INTO RIGHTEOUSNESS AND LIFE*2<sup>ND</sup> COR. 5:21; ROM. 6:23; JOHN 5:24
- TO HEAVEN

HEBREWS 6:20; 9:8, 11-12, 24

# THE "HIGH WAY" WE MUST FOLLOW

- THE CHRISTIAN'S LIFE IS A "HIGH" WAY
  - PRESSING TOWARD THE GOAL
    PHILIPPIANS 3:14
  - WE HAVE BEEN "RAISED"

EPHESIANS 2:4-6

- TO WALK IN NEWNESS OF LIFE

**ROMANS 6:3, 4; COLOSSIANS 2:12** 

# THE "HIGH WAY" WE MUST FOLLOW

YET WE ARE SURROUNDED BY POLLUTION

2<sup>nd</sup> Pet. 2:20

- A LIGHT SHINING IN A DARK PLACE

  2<sup>ND</sup> PETER 1:19
- AMIDST A CROOKED & PERVERSE GENERATION
  PHILIPPIANS 2:15
- UNDER THE SWAY OF EVIL

  1 ST JOHN 5:19; MATT. 7:13

### THE WAY FREE OF POLLUTION

A NEW AND LIVING WAY

Heb. 10:19, 20

— NO LONGER DEAD

**EPHESIANS 2:1, 4-6** 

- AS INSTRUMENTS OF RIGHTEOUSNESS

**ROMANS 6:13** 

- A NARROW AND DIFFICULT WAY

**MATTHEW 7:14** 

#### THE WAY FREE OF POLLUTION

- THE CHURCH MUST BE SPIRITUALLY CLEAN
  - REMOVING SIN WHEN FOUND

1<sup>ST</sup> COR. 5:5-7, 9-13

- TO "COME OUT" FROM THE UNCLEAN

2<sup>ND</sup> COR. 6:14-17

- TO BE HOLY & WITHOUT BLEMSH

**EPHESIANS 5:24-27** 

#### THE WAY FREE OF POLLUTION

- WASHED IN CHRIST'S BLOOD
  - HOW WE WERE BOUGHT EPH. 1:7; 1<sup>ST</sup> PET. 1:18, 19; ACTS 20:28
  - HOW WE WERE FORGIVEN AND JUSTIFIED
    - ROM. 5:9; 1<sup>ST</sup> JOHN 1:7
  - HOW WE ENTER INTO HEAVEN

**HEBREWS 10:19** 

### WE MUST ADOPT THIS "HIGH WAY"

- NEGATIVELY:
  - ELIMINATING FILTHY THINKING
    PHILIPPIANS 4:8, 9
  - ELIMINATING FILTHY SPEECH
    EPHESIANS 4:29
  - ELIMINATING FILTHY LIVING

# WE MUST ADOPT THIS "HIGH WAY"

- POSITIVELY:
  - THINKING SPIRITUALLY
    COLOSSIANS 3:1, 2
  - LOOKING TO JESUS

**HEBREWS 12:1-3** 

- MAKING JESUS OUR LORD

1<sup>ST</sup> PETER 3:15