

Considering or Ways

Proverbs 6.6 Go to the ant, thou sluggard; consider her ways, and be wise

The Honor of Hard Work

Avoiding Slovenliness

Counting the Cost

The Roads We Travel

Life is a journey. In regard to our physical, mental and financial wellbeing - where we find ourselves today generally depends on roads travelled yesterday. And where we find ourselves tomorrow depends on roads taken today. Common sense dictates, if we wish to reach certain destinations we must find the roads that lead there. If we travel on paths going in the opposite direction to our destination it should be obvious we will never reach our desired goal.

Every day we make choices: some large - most small. Those choices are steps heading in one direction or another. If we choose to be lazy, self-absorbed, angry or bitter, we shouldn't be surprised when we reach those miserable towns called: Failure, Loneliness and Depression. No one plans to go to a wretched dead end, but if we are heading in that direction (by bad daily decisions) we shouldn't be shocked when we end up there. As Christians, we should desire to become a person of integrity, poise and inner-happiness - a strong, inspirational Christian who leads many people to the Lord. To do this, we must travel on roads directed in God's Word. We must follow our Lord Jesus Christ. His way leads us to Salvation and the eventual arrival at Spiritual Maturity. His ways lead to a relaxed attitude where we are content in whatever circumstances we find ourselves. His ways lead to fulfilling a tailor-made plan that has eternal and glorious repercussions.

Every day we have the option of taking 'our way' or 'God's way'. Of course we immediately think, 'I want to head in God's way', but we must question if our daily decisions are taking us in the opposite direction. If we realise we are heading the wrong way, it's time to turn around.

Trust in the Lord with all your heart, and lean not on your own understanding; in all your ways acknowledge Him, and He shall direct your paths. (Proverbs 3:5-6)



Are we heading in the right direction to where we want to end up?