常存无亏的良心(2)

Always Keep A Clear Conscience (2)

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❖ 良心的功用 Functions of Conscience

良心是一种定是非的本能,作见证的器官。

•这是显出律法的功用刻在他们心里,他们是非之心(良心)同作见证,并且他们的思念互相较量,或以为是,或以为非。)(罗马书 2:15)

Conscience is a right and wrong instinct and a testifying organ.

• in that they show the work of the Law written in their hearts, their conscience testifying and their thoughts alternately accusing or else defending them, (Romans 2:15)



❖ 保罗的见证 Paul's Testimony Concerning Conscience

- 我因此<mark>操练自己,对神对人常存无亏的良心</mark>。(使徒行 传24:16)
- 保罗定睛看着公会的人,说,弟兄们,我在神面前行事 为人,都是凭着良心,直到今日。(使徒行传23:1)
- For this cause I also exercise [myself] to have in everything a conscience without offence towards God and men. (Acts 24:16)
- Now looking intently at the Council, Paul said, "Brothers, I have lived my life with an entirely good conscience before God up to this day." (Acts 23:1)

- ❖ 如何维持一颗无愧的良心 How to Keep a Clear Conscience
- ➤ 操练自己 Exercise yourself
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1. 就近光 Draw near to the Light

- •凡被光揭露的,都是显而易见的。因为一切能显明的,就是光。(以弗所书 5:13 新译)
- •神阿, 求你鉴察我, 知道我的心思, 试炼我, 知道我的意念。看在我里面有什么恶行没有, 引导我走永生的道路。(诗篇139:23-24)
- But all things become visible when they are exposed by the light, for everything that becomes visible is light.
 (Ephesians 5:13)
- Search me, O God, and know my heart; prove me, and know my thoughts; and see if there be any grievous way in me; and lead me in the way everlasting. (Psalm 139:23-24)

2. 神的话是良心的标准 God's Word is conscience's standard

- 我将你的话藏在心里,免得我得罪你。(诗篇119:11)
- •神的道是活泼的,是有功效的,比一切两刃的剑更快,甚至魂与灵,骨节与骨髓,都能刺入剖开,连心中的思念和主意,都能辨明。(希伯来书4:12)
- I have hidden your word in my heart that I might not sin against you. (Psalm 119:11)
- For the Word of God is living, and active, and sharper than any two-edged sword, and piercing even to the dividing of soul and spirit, of both joints and marrow, and quick to discern the thoughts and intents of the heart. (Hebrews 4:12)

如果无法用圣经和明白的理由改变我的判断(我的良心只受上帝的話所束縛),

那么,我不能、也不愿收回我说过的任何一句话,

因为违背良心是不对的,也是不安全的。

这就是我的立场, 我不得不如此。

愿上帝帮助我。阿门! - 马丁路德

"Unless I am convinced by Scripture and plain reason,

my conscience is captive to the Word of God.

I cannot and I will not recant anything,

for to go against conscience is neither right nor safe.

God help me. Amen." Martin Luther

- 3. 不要贿赂或跟良心讲理由 Don't bribe or reason with conscience
- 4. 认罪—及时、具体、彻底 Confess sin promptly, specifically and thoroughly
- 一知道了就有了罪。... 他有了罪的时候,就要承认 所犯的罪, (利未记5:3b,5)
- but then they learn of it and realize their guilt. When anyone becomes aware that they are guilty in any of these matters, they must confess in what way they have sinned.

- 弟兄们,我们既因耶稣的血,得以坦然进入至圣所, 并我们心中天良的亏欠已经洒去,身体用清水洗净了,就当存着诚心,和充足的信心,来到神面前。(希伯来书10:19,22)
- Therefore, brothers and sisters, since we have confidence to enter the Most Holy Place by the blood of Jesus, ···let us draw near to God with a sincere heart and with the full assurance that faith brings, having our hearts sprinkled to cleanse us from a guilty conscience and having our bodies washed with pure water. (Hebrews 10:19.22)



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