PART-TIME CHRISTIANS

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Topic:

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Text: Luke 9:23

Prayer

Dear God, As we gather to study Your Word, guide us and give us understanding. Open our hearts and minds to Your truth, and help us apply it to our lives. Amen.

Introduction

You are all welcome, brethren. Today, we will be looking at a very crucial issue happening in the body of Christ at the moment. It is important that we all pay attention because some of us may also be guilty of it. It is a needed correction in this present time, as many are falling away.

Bible Text: Luke 9:23 Then He said to them all, "If anyone desires to come after Me, let him deny himself, and take up his cross daily, and follow me

Study

Christianity is a way of life, and it is not for lazy people. Anyone who is not fully ready for God cannot cope, because following Christ entails a lot. The Apostles laid a perfect example of how demanding it can be to follow God. Jesus also spoke about it:

Luke 9:23 And he said to them all, If any man will come after me, let him deny himself, and take up his cross daily, and follow me. For anyone to follow Jesus, the first requirement is to deny oneself. In a world where God has given us the power of choice and the devil presents many distractions and pleasures, it is not easy to give them up. But Jesus makes it clear—anyone who must follow Him must deny themselves. This includes denying worldly

pleasures and anything that competes with God. You must deny the flesh many things if you truly want to follow God. Jesus then said such a person must take up their cross daily and follow Him. The cross is not light—it is heavy and demanding. Not only are we to carry it, but we must also walk with it. This means carrying the responsibilities and burdens that come with following Christ. The gospel should not be sugar-coated. Challenges and temptations will come, but victory is assured in Christ. Unfortunately, despite this instruction, there are Christians who live as part-time believers.

Who are Part-time Christians?

In school, there are part-time and full-time students. A full-time student is one who is fully committed to studies, while a part-time student divides attention due to other commitments. In the same way: A **full-time Christian** is someone fully dedicated to God, not lukewarm, and actively engaged in spiritual matters. A **part-time Christian** is someone who serves God only partially. They are inconsistent—hot today and cold tomorrow. They serve God only when it is convenient.

They have forgotten what the Bible says: **Deuteronomy 6:5** And thou shalt love the LORD thy God with all thine heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy might. Some know they are not serious with God, while others are unaware. Let us now look at the signs.

Signs/Characteristics of Part-time Christians

1. They are only on fire when it is convenient:
They serve God only when it is easy. Once challenges arise, they become distracted and withdraw from spiritual activities. They prioritize comfort and work over spiritual growth. **Job 1:21** And said, Naked came I out of my mother's womb, and naked shall I return thither: the LORD gave, and the LORD hath taken away;

blessed be the name of the LORD. Job remained steadfast even in difficulty, teaching us to remain committed regardless of circumstances.

2. They only serve God when they have problems:
They become serious with God only during difficult times. Once the problem is solved, they return to spiritual laziness.

3. They do not completely obey God:
They obey only the instructions that suit them and ignore the rest. Their obedience is selective.

4. They are double-minded:
They live inconsistent lives—sometimes godly, sometimes worldly—depending on what suits their desires. **James 1:8** A double minded man is unstable in all his ways. God does not desire part-time Christians. Our walk with Him requires full commitment.

Dangers of Being a Part-time Christian

1. Unstable spiritual life
2. Exposure to attacks during spiritual breaks
3. Spiritual death
4. Lukewarmness
5. Disobedience to God's instructions
6. Chastening from God
7. Spiritual immaturity

How to Become a Full-time Christian

1. Take up your cross and follow God faithfully
2. Be intentional and determined in your walk with God
3. Do not let work take away your fellowship with God
4. Ensure consistent spiritual growth

5. Regularly examine your spiritual life
6. Draw closer to God continually
7. Obey every instruction from God and His Word

I pray that God will help us to do His will at all times in Jesus Christ's name, Amen.

Have a lovely day, brethren.

Invitation

If you know that you are still living in sin and you are ready to repent and begin to live your life in strict obedience to God so that you can overcome every sin in your life to make heaven, please place your right hand on your chest and say this prayer with your mouth.

Say,

"Lord Jesus, I accept You as my personal Lord and Savior. I believe that You died for me and took away my sins so that I will not face the penalty of them. I surrender my life to You today, and I make a decision to obey and follow You. Come into my life now and accept me as Your child. Thank You for saving me, in Jesus Christ's name I pray, Amen."

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