

Crossroads Of Our Lives

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*4 Show me thy ways, O Jehovah;
teach me thy paths.*

*5 Guide me in thy truth, and teach
me; for thou art the God of my
salvation; for thee do I wait all the
day.*

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Proverbs 4:26-27

*26 Make level the path of thy feet,
And let all thy ways be established.*

*27 Turn not to the right hand nor to
the left: Remove thy foot from evil.*

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Psalms 119:105

*105 Thy word is a lamp unto my
feet, and light unto my path.*

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Choices ...

**Joshua 24:15; 1 Kings 18:21
Choose Jehovah?**

**Jeremiah 6:16; 7:23-24; 18:18;
Chapter 36
Old Paths?**

**Matthew 7: 13-14?
Broad or narrow way?**

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Man's Freedom Of Choice Is Taught Throughout The Scriptures

John 7:17, "*If any man willeth to do his will he shall know of the teaching whether it is of God or whether I speak form myself.*"

Revelation 22:17, "*And the Spirit and the bride say come. And he that heareth, let him say, come. and he that is athirst, let him come: he that will, let him take the water of life freely.*"

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Matthew 11:28, "Come unto me, all ye that labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you, and learn of me; for I am meek and lowly in heart: and ye shall find rest unto your souls, For my yoke is easy, and my burden is light."

Psalms 119:30, "I have chosen the way of faithfulness, Thine ordinances have I set before me"

The Highway of Holiness – Isaiah 35:8 (difficult way – Matthew 7:14).

1. Path of life – **Psalms 16:11**
2. Paths of righteousness – **Psalms 23:3**
3. Paths of the Lord – **Psalms 25:10**
4. Path of Your commandments –
Psalms 119:35

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The Highway of Holiness – Isaiah 35:8 (difficult way. Matthew 7:14).

5. Every good path – **Proverbs 2:9**
6. The way of goodness – **Proverbs 2:20**
7. Right paths – **Proverbs 4:11**
8. He will teach us His ways ... walk in His paths – **Isaiah 2:3**
9. The way of the just is uprightness –
Isaiah 26:7
10. The way of peace – **Isaiah 59:8**

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The Highway of Holiness –

Isaiah 35:8, "*And a highway shall be there, and a way, and it shall be called The way of holiness; the unclean shall not pass over it; but it shall be for (the redeemed): the wayfaring men, yea fools, shall not err (therein).*"

(difficult way. **Matthew 7:14**)

Choice: Make straight paths for your feet –
Hebrews 12:12 ff

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Another Choice

- **The Way of Destruction –
Matthew 7:13** (broad way – easy).

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The Way of Destruction – Matthew 7:13 (broad way).

1. The path of sinners – **Psalms 1:1**
2. Devious (wayward) paths – **Proverbs 2:15**
3. The way of the fool – **Proverbs 12:15**
4. The way of the unfaithful (transgressor) –
Proverbs 13:15
5. The way that seems right – **Proverbs 14:12**
6. The way of the wicked – **Proverbs 15:9**
- * **7. Choice**: You should no longer walk this path, **Ephesians 4:17**.

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Will You Obey The Gospel And Become A Christian? (2 Corinthians 6:2)

1. Do you know you are a sinner? Do you want to be saved? Do you know only Jesus can save you?
2. Which path will you take? – **Acts 2:36-38, 41; 4:4; 8:35-39; or ... Acts 13:45; 17:32**

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Will We Live in Sin or Above Sin? Ephesians 2:1-2; Romans 6:1-2, 4-6

1. Moral crossroads: **1 Peter 4:1-4**
2. Will we befriend the world, or God?
James 4:4
3. Will we live under punishment or in eternal life? **2 Peter 2:9-10; 1 Peter 2:9-12**

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Will We Pay The Price It Costs To Be A Disciple Of Jesus? Luke 14:25-33

1. Will we choose the truth of the gospel before:
Loved ones? Personal advantage? Promotion at work? Pleasure? Leisure? Favor of others?
2. Self-denial at great personal sacrifice? –
cf. **Ezra 10:1-4**
 - a. Repent of every sin! (cf. Corinthian church at crossroads: **2 Corinthians 2:9; 7:9-11**)

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Will You Remember God When You Are Young? Ecclesiastes 11:9-12:1

1. Your clothing, entertainment, respect for parents and elders?
2. Choosing your career: Will you be a faithful Christian and promote righteousness?
3. In the person you will date and marry?
1 Corinthians 15:33-34; Matthew 19:6

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Will I Endure To The End? Matthew 10:22; Hebrews 10:36 (12:1); 2 Timothy 4:7-8; Revelation 2:10

1. Don't rest on past accomplishments to ensure your present and future spiritual state.
2. When I get feeble in mind and body will I still do what I can? (**2 Corinthians 4:16-18; cf. Psalms 71:16 Titus 2:2-3**)

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1. Psalms 139:23-24
*23 Search me, O God, and know my heart: try me, and know my thoughts;
24 And see if there be any wicked way in me, and lead me in the way everlasting.*
2. Jesus is the Way who guides our feet on the way of peace, light, and salvation –
John 14:6; John 8:12).
3. Which road will you take?

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We must live with the choices we make!

Which road will you take?

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