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LIVING AS

# **CHILDREN** *of* **LIGHT**

*Ephesians 5:8*

**I CAN CHOOSE THE TRUTH**



# How many cereal brands?



God's love for you on its own doesn't mean that you will be the person He wants you to be and that you will do the things that He has prepared for you.

**THAT'S ALL ABOUT THE CHOICES YOU MAKE.**

**AND THE CHOICES YOU MAKE COME DOWN TO WHAT YOU BELIEVE; *WHAT YOU REALLY BELIEVE*, NOT NECESSARILY WHAT YOU SAY YOU BELIEVE.**



**FAITH IS SIMPLY BELIEVING  
WHAT GOD HAS SAID  
IS ALREADY TRUE**

# PEOPLE WHO MADE THE RIGHT CHOICES:

Genesis 6:22 Noah

*"Noah did everything exactly as God had commanded him."*

1 Kings 3:7,9 Solomon

*"Give me an understanding heart"*

FOR US THERE ARE THINGS THAT TRY TO  
DEFLECT US FROM THE TRUTH AND FROM MAKING THE  
RIGHT CHOICES.

### 1 John 2:15-17

*“Do not love the world or anything in the world. If anyone loves the world, love for the Father is not in them. or everything in the world—the lust of the flesh, the lust of the eyes, and the pride of life—comes not from the Father but from the world. The world and its desires pass away, but whoever does the will of God lives forever.”*



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# The lie of Advertising





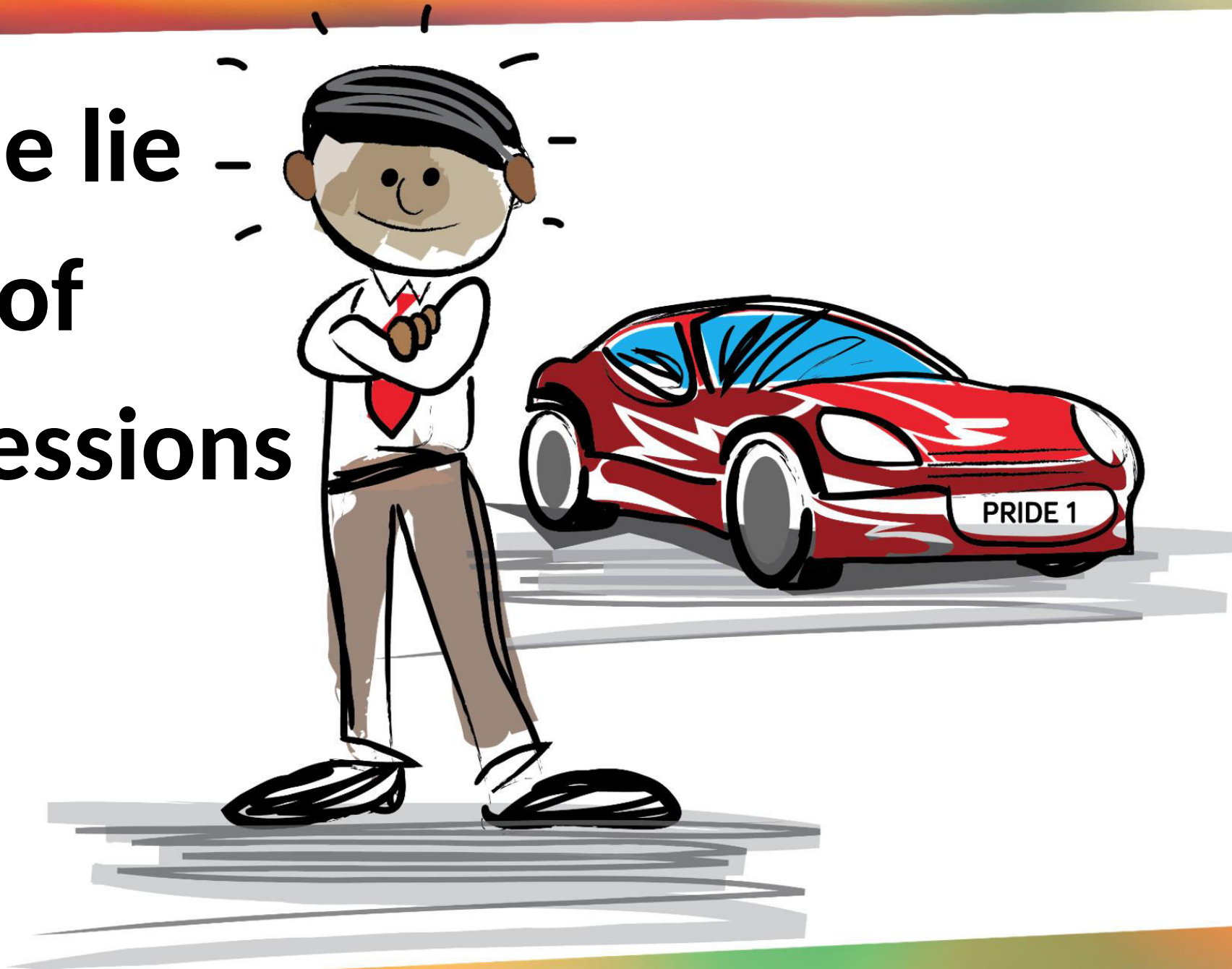
# The lie of Sexuality



# The lie of Money



# The lie of Possessions







**James 4:4** “Don’t you realize that friendship with the world makes you an enemy of God? I say it again: If you want to be a friend of the world, you make yourself an enemy of God.”

**Romans 12:2** “Don’t copy the behaviour and customs of this world, but let God transform you into a new person by changing the way you think. Then you will learn to know God’s will for you, which is good and pleasing and perfect.”

The world system feeds us false formulas:

*Performance + accomplishments = significance*

*Status + recognition = security*

*Appearance + admiration = acceptance*



# CONCLUSION:

**You can choose to see things as God says they are.**

Jesus prayed for us:

*“Make them holy by your truth; teach them your word, which is truth.”*

John 17:17

# Responsive Prayer:

**NOT YET FOLLOWER?**

*John 1:12 ...”to all who did receive him, to those who believed in his name, he gave the right to become children of God”*

**BELIEVE+RECEIVE=BECOME**

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FOLLOWER?

*“Make them holy by your truth; teach them your word, which is truth.” John 17:17*

Ask God the Holy Spirit to show you what lies you are believing.



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