

The Holy Spirit (continued)

PROVERBS 6:16-19.

Before we continue with the studies on the Holy Spirit, let us address something. It was said recently that Proverbs 6:16-19 can be looked at as a choice. A comment was made that God leaves us with a choice as which of the seven vices are not hated by God. The reasoning was, if I understand, that God said He hates six but finds a seventh an abomination. The speaker said, "we can debate which one God meant is an abomination."

That would leave us making decisions that we are not meant to do. So, what is Proverbs 6:16-19 teaching? God is using the **X+1 formula** (six...yes seven). This is simply a way of stating something indefinite, that is, the list is not exhaustive. Seven things are listed that are an "abomination" (repugnant) to the Lord God.

There are many more vices we can add to this list as found throughout scriptures. Something that is *repugnant* to God is something He hates. He hates **all** seven listed here and **many** more sins!

To say, that 'we can debate about which vice/sin God does not find repugnant', is a way to say, I have no idea what this text means. God does hold us accountable to our teaching of His Word. Proper understanding is a must. A teacher is doubly accountable to what he/she teaches. (See James 3:1)

Note: This goes to our understanding of the Holy Spirit's inspiration of the Word. God is not the author of confusion. There is ONE understanding of all scriptures. We must find that.

--In Him, Gary.

Medical & Prayer Needs

American Military

Kathy Carter – Chemo cream.

Tom Carter – MRI.

Lloyd Cisco – Chemo.

The Davis Family – Prayers.

Amy Larson – Head injury. Sue Buck's sister. At Metro rehab.

Morrison – Ill.

Nancy Scarborough – Biopsy.

Extended Prayer List:

Susan Buck, Adele Gall (Lisa's mother), Joyce Herring (Kathy L. sister), Jessi Hruss (Kathy Carter's niece), Barb King (Eileen's niece), Alice Moreland, Haliee O'Connor (Eileen's niece).

Notes

Welcome!

Jordon Morris
304-843-9985.

M4M

May 11th, 4 PM.

Fellowship Meal for widows.

May 17th. A.M. We will honor our widows. Ham, chicken, pies and drinks provided. Bring a side dish.

Ladies Class

May 21st, 5 PM.

Men's Breakfast

June 6th at Cracker Barrel.
8:00 AM. All are welcome. A sign-up sheet will be posted on the bulletin board. Must sign-up by June 3rd.

Ladies Meeting

June 7th, 4:30.

Men's Meeting

June 7th, 4:30.

June Fellowship

June 14th. A.M.
Potluck. Bring side dish.

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Trivia Answers & Scriptures are given to Gary on paper with your name OR by texting him. C'mon, join in!

Trivia: According to 1 Samuel 17, what **city's name** appears in the name of its "biggest" resident--Goliath? **Answer:** Gath. V. 17:4.
Answerers: Eileen Kerns, Noel Letso, Kathy Lindsey, Randy & Laura Kuhn, Linda Ropog, Charlie Davis, Roger & Mary Davis, Sharon Woodrum, Zah'Rai Porter, Greg & Lola Anderson, Nancy Scarborough, Beckey Scarborough, Aiden Scarborough, Abby Gastarini, Becky Kois, Terry & Gail Priestersbach.

New Trivia: According to Leviticus 16, what happened to the scapegoat (KJV, NIV) after it was presented to the Lord?

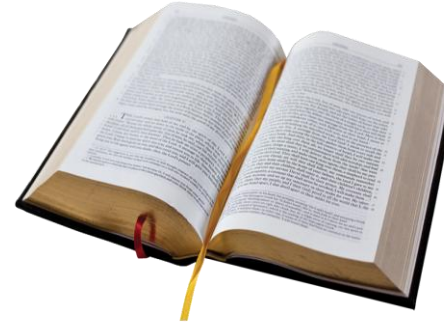
May Birthdays & Anniversaries

Kendall Taylor	11
Diana Wirth	14
Jill Priestersbach	15
Sharon Woodrum	20
Olivia Scarborough	22
Abigail Gastarini	23
Jessi Hruss	23
Mary Ann Priddy	24
Joe Distel	25
Sarah Baker	27
Margarita Jordan	30
Joe & Jill Priestersbach	16
Bill & Rosa Morrison	31

Widows & Widowers

Lola Anderson, Kimber Banks, Joyce Brewer, Frances Brown, Kathy Carter, Linda Caldwell, Joyce Fetzer, Margaret Jordan, Elaine Leonhardt, Kathy Lindsey, Maxine Mathes, Alice Moreland, Mary Ann Priddy, Shirley Sarver, Dora Talbert, Diana Wirth, Sharon Woodrum.

East Broad St. Church of Christ



May 10, 2026

We ask you, brothers, to respect those who labor among you and are over you in the Lord and admonish you, and to esteem them very highly in love because of their work.

I Thessalonians 5:12-13. ESV.

All the churches of Christ greet you. Romans 16:16.

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Assembly Times

Sun. Bible Class	10:00 am
Sun. Worship	11:00 am
Sun. PM Worship	6:00 pm
Wed. Bible Study	7:00 pm

WELCOME

We welcome our visitors to the worship services today as our honored guests. Please fill out a Visitors Card and put it in the offering plate. We hope & pray you will return soon.