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Psalms 25:4-5 "4 Show me thy ways, O Jehovah; <u>teach me thy paths</u>.

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 <u>path of thy feet</u>, 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 <u>light unto my path</u>.

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

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

#### The Highway of Holiness -

**Isa. 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, Mt. 7:14).

<u>Choice</u>: Make straight paths for your feet – Heb. 12:12 ff.

### **Another Choice**

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- 1. The path of sinners Psa. 1:1.
- 2. Devious paths Prov. 2:15.
- 3. The way of the fool Prov. 12:15.
- 4. The way of the unfaithful (transgressor) **Prov. 13:15**.
- 5. The way that seems right **Prov. 14:12**.
- 6. The way of the wicked **Prov. 15:9**.
- 7. <u>Choice</u>: You should no longer walk this path, Eph. 4:17.

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Will You Obey The Gospel & Become A Christian? (2 Cor. 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? Eph. 2:1-2; Rom. 6:1-2, 4-6

- 1. Moral crossroads: 1 Pet. 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 Pet. 2:9-10; 1 Pet. 2:9-12

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

1. Will we choose <u>truth</u> of the gospel <u>before</u>: Loved ones? Personal advantage? Promotion at work? Pleasure? Leisure? Favor of others?

2. <u>Self-denial</u> at great personal sacrifice? – cf. Ezra 10:1-4

a. Repent of every sin! (cf. Corinthian church at crossroads: 2 Cor. 2:9; 7:9-11)

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

1. Your clothing, entertainment, respect for parents & elders?

Choosing your career: Will you be a faithful Christian & promote righteousness?
In the person you will date & marry?
Cor. 15:33-34; Mt. 19:6

### Will I Endure To The End? Mt. 10:22; Heb. 10:36 (12:1); 2 Tim. 4:7-8; Rev. 2:10

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

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- 1. *Psalms* 139:23-24 "Search me, O God, and know my heart: try me, and know my thoughts; And see if there be any wicked way in me, and lead me in the way everlasting."
- Jesus is the Way who guides our feet on the way of peace, light & 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?