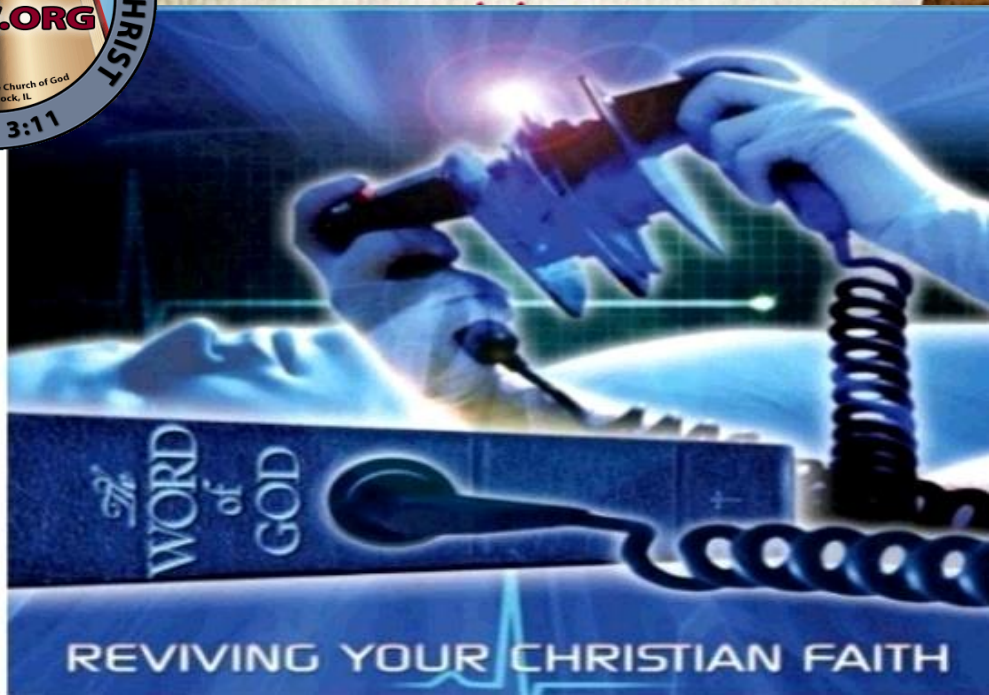
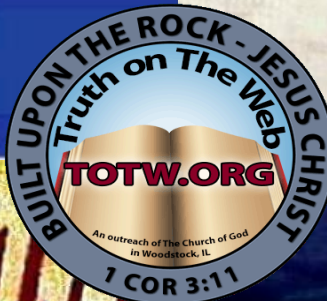
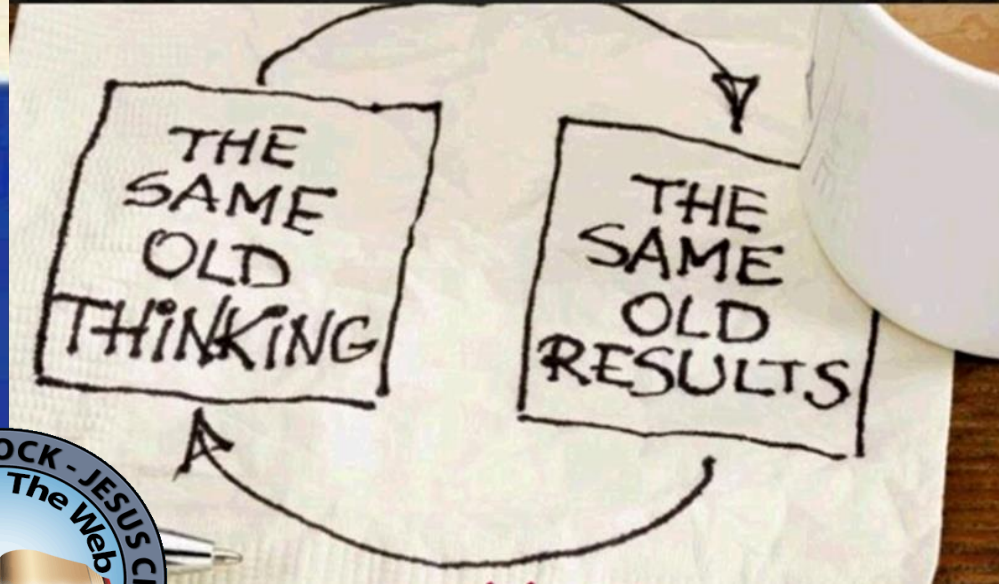


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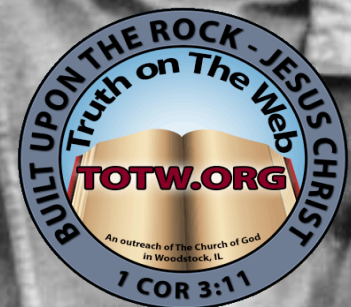
your mind
Romans 12:2





Speaking *A Lie* In Love?

Is it ever the will of God for Christians to lie?



Joshua 2:1-7 Joshua the son of Nun sent out of Shittim two men as spies secretly, saying, Go, view the land, and Jericho. They went and came into the house of a prostitute whose name was Rahab, and lay there. It was told the king of Jericho, saying, Behold, there came men in here tonight of the children of Israel to search out the land. The king of Jericho sent to Rahab, saying, Bring forth the men who are come to you, who have entered into your house; for they have come to search out all the land. The woman took the two men, and hid them; and she said, Yes, the men came to me, but I didn't know whence they were: and it happened about the time of the shutting of the gate, when it was dark, that the men went out; where the men went I don't know: pursue after them quickly; for you will overtake them. But she had brought them up to the roof, and hid them with the stalks of flax, which she had laid in order on the roof. The men pursued after them the way to the Jordan to the fords: and as soon as those who pursued after them were gone out, they shut the gate.

Joshua 2:8-16 Before they were laid down, she came up to them on the roof; and she said to the men, I know that Yehovah has given you the land, and that the fear of you is fallen on us, and that all the inhabitants of the land melt away before you. For we have heard how Yehovah dried up the water of the Red Sea before you, when you came out of Egypt; and what you did to the two kings of the Amorites, who were beyond the Jordan, to Sihon and to Og, whom you utterly destroyed. As soon as we had heard it, our hearts did melt, neither did there remain any more spirit in any man, because of you: for Yehovah your God, He is God in heaven above, and on earth beneath. Now therefore, please swear to me by Yehovah, since I have dealt kindly with you, that you also will deal kindly with my father's house, and give me a true token; and that you will save alive my father, and my mother, and my brothers, and my sisters, and all that they have, and will deliver our lives from death. The men said to her, Our life for yours, if you don't utter this our business; and it shall be, when Yehovah gives us the land, that we will deal kindly and truly with you. Then she let them down by a cord through the window: for her house was on the side of the wall, and she lived on the wall. She said to them, Get you to the mountain, lest the pursuers light on you; and hide yourselves there three days, until the pursuers be returned: and afterward may you go your way.

Joshua 2:17-24 The men said to her, We will be guiltless of this your oath which you have made us to swear. Behold, when we come into the land, you shall bind this line of scarlet thread in the window which you did let us down by: and you shall gather to you into the house your father, and your mother, and your brothers, and all your father's household. It shall be, that whoever shall go out of the doors of your house into the street, his blood shall be on his head, and we shall be guiltless: and whoever shall be with you in the house, his blood shall be on our head, if any hand be on him. But if you utter this our business, then we shall be guiltless of your oath which you have made us to swear. She said, According to your words, so be it. She sent them away, and they departed: and she bound the scarlet line in the window. They went, and came to the mountain, and abode there three days, until the pursuers were returned: and the pursuers sought them throughout all the way, but didn't find them. Then the two men returned, and descended from the mountain, and passed over, and came to Joshua the son of Nun; and they told him all that had happened to them. They said to Joshua, Truly Yehovah has delivered into our hands all the land; and moreover all the inhabitants of the land do melt away before us.

Is Lying Always Wrong,
Or Are There
Exceptions?

Exodus 1:15-21 And the king of Egypt spake to the Hebrew midwives, of which the name of the one *was* Shiphrah, and the name of the other Puah: And he said, When ye do the office of a midwife to the Hebrew women, and see *them* upon the stools; if it *be* a son, then ye shall kill him: but if it *be* a daughter, then she shall live. But the midwives feared God, and did not as the king of Egypt commanded them, but saved the men children alive. And the king of Egypt called for the midwives, and said unto them, Why have ye done this thing, and have saved the men children alive? And the midwives said unto Pharaoh, Because the Hebrew women *are* not as the Egyptian women; for they *are* lively, and are delivered ere the midwives come in unto them. Therefore God dealt well with the midwives: and the people multiplied, and waxed very mighty. And it came to pass, because the midwives feared God, that he made them houses.



Exodus 20:16

Thou shalt
not bear false
witness
against thy
neighbour.

Deuteronomy 5:20

Neither shalt
thou bear false
witness against
thy neighbour.

Proverbs 12:17 *He that speaketh truth sheweth forth righteousness: but a false witness deceit.*

Proverbs 19:5 A false witness shall not be unpunished, and *he that* speaketh lies shall not escape.

Proverbs 19:9 A false witness shall not be unpunished, and *he that* speaketh lies shall perish.

Proverbs 14:5 A faithful witness
will not lie: but a false witness will
utter lies.

Leviticus 19:11-12 Ye shall not steal, neither deal falsely, neither lie one to another. And ye shall not swear by my name falsely, neither shalt thou profane the name of thy God: I *am* the LORD.

Psalms 12:2-3 They speak vanity every one with his neighbour: *with* flattering lips *and* with a double heart do they speak. The LORD shall cut off all flattering lips, *and* the tongue that speaketh proud things:

Psalms 34:12-14 What man *is he that desireth life, and loveth many days, that he may see good?* Keep thy tongue from evil, and thy lips from speaking guile. Depart from evil, and do good; seek peace, and pursue it.

Proverbs 6:16-19 These six *things* doth the LORD hate: yea, seven *are* an abomination unto Him: A proud look, a lying tongue, and hands that shed innocent blood, An heart that deviseth wicked imaginations, feet that be swift in running to mischief, A false witness *that* speaketh lies, and he that soweth discord among brethren.

Proverbs 12:19 The lip of truth shall be established for ever: but a lying tongue *is* but for a moment.

Proverbs 12:22 Lying lips *are*
abomination to the LORD: but they
that deal truly *are* His delight.

Proverbs 13:5 A righteous *man*
hateth lying: but a wicked *man* is
loathsome, and cometh to shame.

1 Timothy 1:9-10 Knowing this, that the law is not made for a righteous man, but for the lawless and disobedient, for the ungodly and for sinners, for unholy and profane, for murderers of fathers and murderers of mothers, for manslayers, For whoremongers, for them that defile themselves with mankind, for menstealers, for liars, for perjured persons, and if there be any other thing that is contrary to sound doctrine;

1 Peter 3:10 For he that will love life, and see good days, let him refrain his tongue from evil, and his lips that they speak no guile

Revelation 21:8 But the fearful, and unbelieving, and the abominable, and murderers, and whoremongers, and sorcerers, and idolaters, and all liars, shall have their part in the lake which burneth with fire and brimstone: which is the second death.

Revelation 21:22-27 And I saw no temple therein: for the Lord God Almighty and the Lamb are the temple of it. And the city had no need of the sun, neither of the moon, to shine in it: for the glory of God did lighten it, and the Lamb *is* the light thereof. And the nations of them which are saved shall walk in the light of it: and the kings of the earth do bring their glory and honour into it. And the gates of it shall not be shut at all by day: for there shall be no night there. And they shall bring the glory and honour of the nations into it. And there shall in no wise enter into it any thing that defileth, neither *whatsoever* worketh abomination, or *maketh* a lie: but they which are written in the Lamb's book of life.

Revelation 22:14-15 Blessed *are* they that do His commandments, that they may have right to the tree of life, and may enter in through the gates into the city. For without *are* dogs, and sorcerers, and whoremongers, and murderers, and idolaters, and whosoever loveth and maketh a lie.



“If a rapist is looking for you, do you expect your husband to tell him where you are?”

“I would hope if a rapist was looking for your wife, and you knew she was hiding inside the house, you would at least attempt to deceive him if not knock him in the head...if I were ever in trouble, I sure would not want to depend on your kind of Christian to help.”

Would God lie for you?

Titus 1:2 In hope of eternal life, which **God, that cannot lie**, promised before the world began;

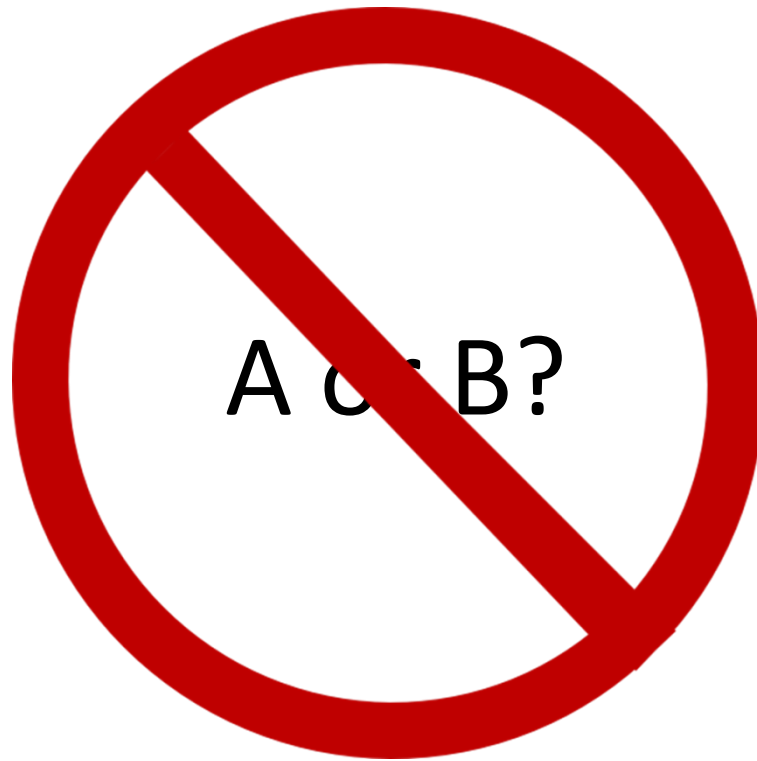
Would Jesus lie for you?



A – tell them where the Jews are

B – lie about the whereabouts of the Jews

A or B?



A & B?

Regarding Rahab:
What Saith The Scripture?

For what cause was Rahab upheld as an example of faith?

Was it for lying?

Hebrews 11:31 By faith the harlot Rahab
perished not with them that believed not,
because she had lied to her king's men.



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Hebrews 11:31 By faith the harlot Rahab perished not with them that believed not, when she had received the spies with peace.

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For what cause was Rahab upheld as an example of faith made perfect by works?

Was it for lying?

James 2:25 Likewise also was not Rahab the harlot justified by works, **when she had deceived the king's men, and had sent *them* out wrong way?**



James 25 Likewise, also was not Rahab the harlot justified by works **when she had deceived the king's men, and had sent them out wrong way?**

James 2:25 Likewise also was not Rahab the harlot justified by works, when she had received the messengers, and had sent *them* out another way?

Children of Light

Isaiah 63:8 For He said, Surely they
are My people, children *that* will
not lie: so He was their Saviour.

Ephesians 4:25 Wherefore putting away lying, speak every man truth with his neighbour: for we are members one of another.

Ephesians 4:29 Let no corrupt communication proceed out of your mouth, but that which is good to the use of edifying, that it may minister grace unto the hearers.

Colossians 3:9 Lie not one to another, seeing that ye have put off the old man with his deeds;

John 14:6 Jesus saith unto him, I am the Way,
and the Truth, and the Life...

John 14:6 Jesus saith unto him, I am...the Truth

Could Jesus have lied and still be our Savior?

Is it ever the will of God for Christians to lie?

Who wants us to lie? God or Satan?

Who is the father of lies and liars? God or Satan?

John 8:44 Ye are of *your* father the devil, and the lusts of your father ye will do. He was a murderer from the beginning, and abode not in the truth, because there is no truth in him. When he speaketh a lie, he speaketh of his own: for he is a liar, and the father of it.

If we believe that lying is sometimes right, then we are saying that it is sometimes right to act more like Satan than God.



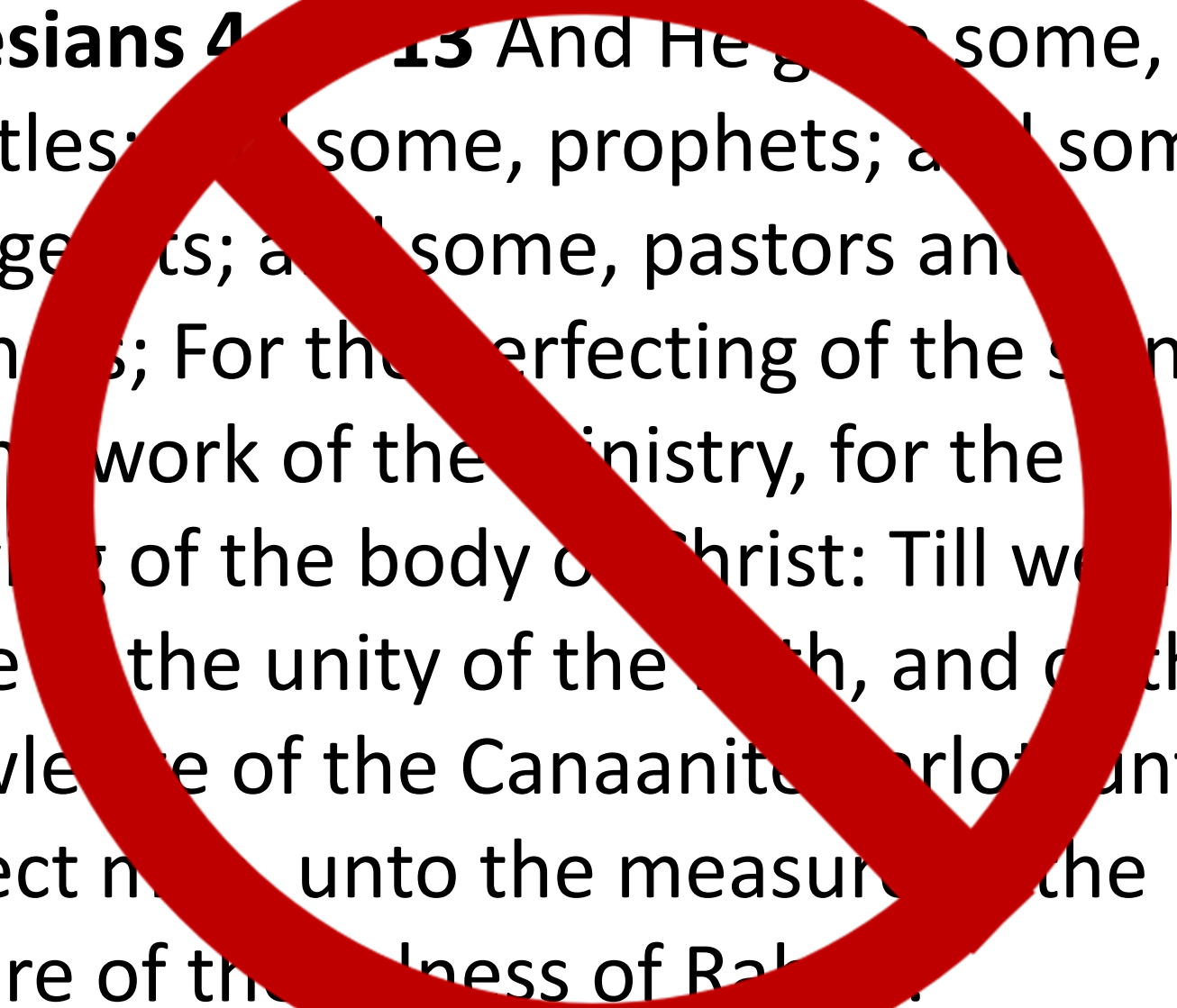
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What O' Rahab Do?

Ephesians 4:11-13 And He gave some, apostles; and some, prophets; and some, evangelists; and some, pastors and teachers; For the perfecting of the saints, for the work of the ministry, for the edifying of the body of Christ: Till we all come in the unity of the faith, and of the knowledge of the Canaanite harlot, unto a perfect man, unto the measure of the stature of the fulness of Rahab:

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THE WORD?

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Be Holy!

**HAPPY SABBATH
DAY!**

KEEP IT HOLY!

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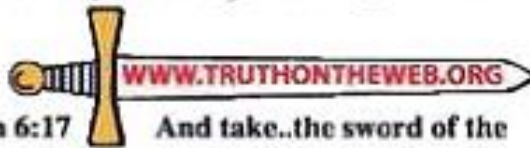
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**Thy
Word
is
Truth**

John 17:17



Truth On The Web Ministries



Eph 6:17

And take..the sword of the
spirit, which is the word of God.



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