

## **BELIEVERS' LIFESTYLE**

### **I. Must we be submissive and fit vessels, for Yahuah's/Yahweh's use and service?**

**Isa 64:8**

**And now, O יהוה, You are our Father. We are the clay, and You our potter. And we are all the work of Your hand.**

**Pro 25:4**

**Take away the dross from silver, And a vessel comes forth for the refiner.**

**Psa 100:3**

**Know that יהוה, He is Elohim; He has made us, and we are His – His people and the sheep of His pasture.**

**Rom 9:20-24**

**But who are you, O man, to talk back to Elohim? Shall that which is formed say to him who formed it, "Why have you made me like this?"**

**Does not the potter have authority over the clay, from the same lump to make one vessel for value and another not for value?**

**And if Elohim, desiring to show wrath, and to make His power known, with much patience tolerated the vessels of wrath prepared for destruction,**

**and that He might make known the riches of His esteem on vessels of compassion, which He had prepared beforehand for esteem,**

**even whom He called, not only us of the Yehudim, but also of the gentiles?**

**Zec 13:9**

**"And I shall bring the third into fire, and refine them as silver is refined, and try them as gold is tried. They shall call on My Name, and I shall answer them. I shall say, 'This is My people,' while they say, 'יהוה is my Elohim.'"**

**Heb 12:6 for whom יהוה loves, He disciplines, and flogs every son whom He receives."**

**Heb 12:7 If you endure discipline, Elohim is treating you as sons. For what son is there whom a father does not discipline?**

**Heb 12:8 But if you are without discipline, of which all have become sharers, then you are illegitimate and not sons.**

**We must recognize who Yahuah/Yahweh truly is and that He molds, forms and refines us into usable vessels.**

## **II. Must we be obedient to Yahuah's/Yahweh's Will and Truths?**

### **A. Yahuah's/Yahweh's Will must be the prime focal point, in our daily lives.**

**Rom 12:1-2**

**I call upon you, therefore, brothers, through the compassion of Elohim, to present your bodies a living offering – set-apart, well-pleasing to Elohim – your reasonable worship.**

**And do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind, so that you prove what is that good and well-pleasing and perfect desire of Elohim.**

**Luk 11:2-4**

**And He said to them, “When you pray, say: Our Father in the heavens, let Your Name be set-apart, let Your reign come, let Your desire be done on earth as it is in heaven.**

**“Give us day by day our daily bread.**

**“And forgive us our sins, for we also forgive everyone who is indebted to us. And do not lead us into trial, but rescue us from the wicked one.”**

### **B. Yahuah's/Yahweh's Truths help us better understand Him and set the captive free.**

**Psa 33:4**

**For the Word of יהוה is straight, And all His works are in truth,**

**Joh 8:31-32**

**So יהושע said to those Yehudim who believed Him, “If you stay in My Word, you are truly**

**My taught ones,**

**and you shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free.”**

**1Sa 15:22-22**

**Then Shemu'el said, “Does יהוה delight in burnt offerings and slaughterings, as in obeying the voice of יהוה? Look, to obey *is better* than an offering, to heed is better than the fat of rams.**

**“For rebellion is as the sin of divination, and stubbornness is as wickedness and idolatry. Because you have rejected the word of יהוה, He also does reject you as sovereign.”**

## **III. Must we trust Yahuah's/Yahweh's Word and Ruach HaKodesh Guidance?**

**A. We must study Yahuah's/Yahweh's Word and apply these principals to our daily lives.**

**Psa 54:4**

**See, Elohim is my helper; יהוה is with those who sustain my life.**

**Psa 119:11-12**

**I have treasured up Your word in my heart, That I might not sin against You.**

**Blessed are You, O יהוה! Teach me Your laws.**

**2Ti 2:15**

**Do your utmost to present yourself approved to Elohim, a worker who does not need to be ashamed, rightly handling the Word of Truth.**

**Pro 30:5**

**Every Word of Eloah is tried; He is a shield to those taking refuge in Him.**

**Isa 40:8 "Grass shall wither, the flower shall fade, but the Word of our Elohim stands forever."**

**B. Ruach HaKodesh Guides us in all truth and is the Teacher of all things.**

**Joh 16:13**

**"But when He comes, the Spirit of the Truth, He shall guide you into all the truth. For He shall not speak from Himself, but whatever He hears He shall speak, and He shall announce to you what is to come.**

**Joh 14:26**

**"But the Helper, the Set-apart Spirit, whom the Father shall send in My Name, He shall teach you all, and remind you of all that I said to you.**

**IV. Must we take on the likeness and image of Yahuah/Yahshua Mashiach and allow His Radiance to be manifested through us?**

**Rom 8:16-18**

**The Spirit Himself bears witness with our spirit that we are children of Elohim, and if children, also heirs – truly heirs of Elohim, and co-heirs with Messiah, if indeed we suffer with Him, in order that we also be exalted together.**

**For I reckon that the sufferings of this present time are not worth comparing with the esteem that is to be revealed in us.**

**Rom 8:29-31**

**Because those whom He knew beforehand, He also ordained beforehand to be conformed to the likeness of His Son, for Him *to be* the first-born among many brothers.**

**And whom He ordained beforehand, these He also called, and whom He called, these He also declared right. And whom He declared right, these He also esteemed.**

**What then shall we say to this? If Elohim is for us, who is against us?**

**Rom 13:14**

**but put on the Master יהושע Messiah, and make no provision for the lusts of the flesh.**

**2Co 4:10**

**always bearing about in the body the dying of the Master יהושע, that the life of יהושע might also be manifested in our body.**

**1Jn 2:5-6**

**But whoever guards His Word, truly the love of Elohim has been perfected in him. By this we know that we are in Him.**

**The one who says he stays in Him ought himself also to walk, even as He walked.**

## **V. Must we live and work in this world and yet we are to be separate from it?**

**Joh 15:18-19**

**“If the world hates you, you know that it hated Me before it hated you.**

**“If you were of the world, the world would love its own. But because you are not of the world, but I chose you out of the world, for that reason the world hates you.**

**2Co 6:17-18**

**Therefore, “Come out from among them and be separate, says יהוה, and do not touch what is unclean, and I shall receive you.**

**“And I shall be a Father to you, and you shall be sons and daughters to Me, says יהוה the Almighty.”**

**Jas 4:4**

**Adulterers and adulteresses! Do you not know that friendship with the world is enmity with Elohim? Whoever therefore intends to be a friend of the world makes himself an enemy of Elohim.**

**1Jn 2:15-16**

**Do not love the world nor that which is in the world. If anyone loves the world, the love of the Father is not in him.**

**Because all that is in the world – the lust of the flesh, the lust of the eyes, and the pride of life – is not of the Father but is of the world.**

## **VI. Must we go forth humbly, so that Yahuah/Yahweh receives all glory and praise?**

**Mic 6:8**

**He has declared to you, O man, what is good. And what does יהוה require of you but to do right, and to love kindness, and to walk humbly with your Elohim?**

**Mat 18:2-4**

**And יהושע called a little child to Him, set him in their midst,**

**and said, “Truly, I say to you, unless you turn and become as little children, you shall by no means enter into the reign of the heavens.**

**“Whoever then humbles himself as this little child is the greatest in the reign of the heavens.**

**Joh 3:30-31**

**“It is right for Him to increase, but me to decrease.**

**“He who comes from above is over all, he who is from the earth is of the earth and speaks of the earth. He who comes from the heaven is over all.**

**Jas 4:6-10**

**But He gives greater favour. Because of this He says, “Elohim resists the proud, but gives favour to the humble.”**

**So then subject yourselves to Elohim. Resist the devil<sup>1</sup> and he shall flee from you.**

**Footnote: <sup>1</sup>Or adversary.**

**Draw near to Elohim and He shall draw near to you. Cleanse hands, sinners. And cleanse the hearts, you double-minded!**

**Lament and mourn and weep! Let your laughter be turned to mourning and your joy to dejection.**

**Humble yourselves in the sight of the Master, and He shall lift you up.**

**He should always be the Center Piece, so men do not rely upon us to bring them hope.**

## **VII. Must we be our brothers and sisters keeper, continually praying for one another?**

**Rom 12:10 & 15**

**In brotherly love, tenderly loving towards one another, in appreciation, giving preference to each other;**

**Rejoice with those who rejoice, and weep with those who weep.**

**Eph 6:18**

**praying at all times, with all prayer and supplication in the Spirit, watching in all perseverance and supplication for all the set-apart ones;**

**Php 2:3-4**

**doing none at all through selfishness or self-conceit, but in humility consider others better than yourselves.**

**Each one should look out not only for his own interests, but also for the interests of others.**

**Jas 5:16**

**Confess your trespasses to one another, and pray for one another, so that you are healed. The earnest prayer of a righteous one accomplishes much.**

**1Jn 2:10**

**The one who loves his brother stays in the light, and there is no stumbling-block in him.**

**It is often easy to forget brethren, when they fall into sin or hard times oppress them, yet that is the time when our support is the most important. We should always remember, that we are only one step away, from being in the same fallen state.**

**It would have been easy for Yahshuah, to have remained in Heaven but rather than condemn, He was willing to come as a servant and die for our sins.**

## **VIII. Must we share the Gifts of Yahuah/Yahweh with others?**

**2Co 9:6-12**

**And this: He who sows sparingly shall also reap sparingly, and he who sows on blessing shall also reap on blessing.**

**Let each one *give* as he purposes in his heart, not of grief or of necessity, for Elohim loves a joyous giver.**

**And Elohim is able to make all favour overflow toward you, that you, always having all you need in every way, have plenty for every good work.**

**As it has been written, "He scattered abroad, He gave to the poor, His righteousness remains forever."**

**And He who supplies seed to the sower, and bread for food, shall supply and increase the seed you have sown and increase the fruit of your righteousness,**

**being enriched in every way for all simplicity, which works out thanksgiving to Elohim through us.**

**Because the rendering of this service not only supplies the needs of the set-apart ones, but also is overflowing through many thanksgivings to Elohim.**

**1Ti 6:17-19**

**Charge those who are rich in this present age not to be high-minded, nor to trust in the uncertainty of riches, but in the living Elohim, who gives us richly all for enjoyment, to do good, to be rich in good works, to be generous, ready to share, storing up for themselves a good foundation for the time to come, so that they lay hold on everlasting life.**

**Heb 13:15-16**

**Through Him then, let us continually offer up a slaughter *offering* of praise to Elohim, that is, the fruit of our lips, giving thanks to His Name.**

**And do not forget to do good and to share, for with such slaughter *offerings* Elohim is well pleased.**

**Out of the abundance of His Love, He pours out His Blessings upon His Children.**

**It is therefore incumbent for us, to share these blessings (earthly and spiritual) with others.**

## **IX. Must We have strife or contention with other believers, in Yahusha/Yahshua Mashiach?**

**Pro 10:11-12**

**The mouth of the righteous is a fountain of life, But violence covers the mouth of the wrong.**

**Hatred stirs up strife, But love covers all transgressions.**

**1Ti 6:3-5**

**If anyone teaches differently and does not agree to the sound words, those of our Master יהושע Messiah, and to the teaching which is according to reverence,**

**he is puffed up, understanding none at all, but is sick about questionings and verbal battles from which come envy, strife, slander, wicked suspicions, worthless disputes of men of corrupt minds and deprived of the truth, who think that reverence is a means of gain – withdraw from such.**

**2Ti 2:14 & 16**

**Remind them of this, earnestly witnessing before the Master, not to wage verbal battles – which is useless – to the overthrowing of the hearers.**

**But keep away from profane, empty babblings, for they go on to more wickedness,**

**When we become involved in this behavior, it causes harm and/or damage to the body of believers and we bring shame and reproach upon Elohim (Father, Son, & Ruach HaKodesh).**

## **X. Must we forgive others, as our Father forgives us?**

**Mat 6:12-15**

**‘And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors.**

**‘And do not lead us into trial, but deliver us from the wicked one – because Yours is the reign and the power and the esteem, forever. Amën.’**

**“For if you forgive men their trespasses, your heavenly Father shall also forgive you.**

**“But if you do not forgive men their trespasses, neither shall your Father forgive your trespasses.**

**Luk 6:36**

**“Therefore be compassionate, as your Father also is compassionate.**

## **XI. Must we give Yahuah/Yahweh praise and thanks, for His many blessings?**

**Psa 66:1-5**

**Shout with joy to Elohim, All the earth!**

**Sing out the splendour of His Name; Make His praise esteemed.**

**Say to Elohim, “How awesome are Your works! Through the greatness of Your power  
Your enemies pretend obedience to You.**

**“All the earth bow to You, They sing praises to You, They praise Your Name.” Selah.  
Come and see the works of Elohim, Awesome acts toward the sons of men.**

**Eph 1:3**

**Blessed be the Elohim and Father of our Master יהושע Messiah, who has blessed us with  
every spiritual blessing in the heavenlies in Messiah,**

**Jas 1:17**

**Every good gift and every perfect gift is from above, coming down from the Father of  
lights, with whom there is no change, nor shadow of turning.**

**Yahuah/Yahweh, because of His Great Love for us, provides for us in abundance.**

## **XII. We must arm ourselves, with the full armor of Yahuah/Yahweh.**

**Rom 13:12-14**

**The night is far advanced, the day has come near. So let us put off the works of darkness,  
and let us put on the armour of light.**

**Let us walk becomingly, as in the day, not in wild parties and drunkenness, not in living  
together and indecencies, not in fighting and envy,**

**but put on the Master יהושע Messiah, and make no provision for the lusts of the flesh.**

**Eph 6:10-18**

**For the rest, my brothers, be strong in the Master and in the mightiness of His strength.**

**Put on the complete armour of Elohim, for you to have power to stand against the  
schemes of the devil.**

**Because we do not wrestle against flesh and blood, but against principalities, against  
authorities, against the world-rulers of the darkness of this age, against spiritual  
matters of wickedness in the heavenlies.**

**Because of this, take up the complete armour of Elohim, so that you have power to  
withstand in the wicked day, and having done all, to stand.**

**Stand, then, having girded your waist with truth, and having put on the breastplate of righteousness,  
and having fitted your feet with the preparation of the Good News of peace;  
above all, having taken up the shield of belief with which you shall have power to quench  
all the burning arrows of the wicked one.  
Take also the helmet of deliverance, and the sword of the Spirit, which is the Word of  
Elohim,  
praying at all times, with all prayer and supplication in the Spirit, watching in all  
perseverance and supplication for all the set-apart ones;**

**It is impossible for us to be victorious, in spiritual warfare, without arming our-selves  
with the offensive and defensive weapons Yahuah/Yahweh has provided and makes  
available to His people.**

**This is the only way, we are able to stand boldly before the enemy, to endure and be  
victorious through Yahusha/Yahshua.**