
“…choose for yourselves this day whom you will serve…”
Joshua 24:15

How am I choosing?

- “And if it seems evil to you to serve the Lord, choose for yourselves this day whom you will serve, whether the gods which your fathers served that were on the other side of the River, or the gods of the Amorites, in chose land you dwell. But as for me and my house, we will serve the Lord.”
- Joshua 24:15

How am I choosing?

- **God has always allowed us to choose -** Deuteronomy 30:19-20, Joshua 24:15, Ezekiel 18:30-32, Matthew 7:13-14,
- Choosing illustrated by Jesus' – Luke 15:11-32

How am I choosing?

- In Jesus' story, the son makes his decision independent of his father.
- Obviously, the son chooses wrong.
- When the son comes to his senses, what does the father do? Luke 15:17-24
- Jesus' Parable is meant to help us understand our choice, and God.

How am I choosing?

- Conclusively, the lost son repents - Luke 15:18-19
- God wants us to be in favor with Him through repentance – Acts 17:30-31, 1 Timothy 2:3-4, 2 Peter 3:9

How am I choosing?

- In the parable, the father rejoices when his son returns – Luke 15:22-24
- When one chooses to repent, even the angels rejoice – Luke 15:10

How am I choosing?

- **God has always allowed us to choose -** Deuteronomy 30:19-20, Joshua 24:15, Ezekiel 18:30-32, Matthew 7:13-14,
  - However, circumstances **will** follow the choice we make - 1 Corinthians 15:1-4, Revelation 2:10

How am I choosing?

What must I do to be saved? *Acts 16:30*

- **Believe in Jesus –**
  John 8:24/3:16
- **Repent of Sins –**
  Luke 13:3-5; Acts 2:38/7:30-31
- **Confess your Faith in Jesus –**
  Matthew 10:32-33; Romans 10:9
- **Baptism for the Remission Of Sins –**
  Mark 16:16; Acts 2:38/22:16
- **Live Faithfully for the Remainder of Life –**
  Revelation 2:10; James 2:10
- **Remember Matthew 7:21-23** *(not everyone, but…)*