



NORTHEAST

MESSAGE NOTES

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“Revelation”

What Are You Afraid Of? - Part 2

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Ephesians 5:10-11 NLT “Carefully determine what pleases the Lord. ¹¹ Take no part in the worthless deeds of evil and darkness; instead, expose them.”

1 Peter 5:8 “Be alert and of sober mind. Your enemy the devil prowls around like a roaring lion looking for someone to devour.”

What is the _____ “inner you”?

Ephesians 2:1-3 “As for you, you were dead in your transgressions and sins, ² in which you used to live when you followed the ways of this world and of the ruler of the kingdom of the air, the spirit who is now at work in those who are disobedient. ³ All of us also lived among them at one time, gratifying the cravings of our flesh and following its desires and thoughts. Like the rest, we were by nature deserving of wrath.”

When _____ ways come into alignment with _____ ways, we _____ God’s rewards.

1. _____ do you represent?

Deuteronomy 18:9 NLT “When you enter the land the Lord your God is giving you, be very careful not to imitate the detestable customs of the nations living there.”

You do not belong to the ruler of this _____ you belong to _____.

Don’t be like the world. Be “_____” it, but not “_____” it.

2. _____ of Halloween – images and practices.

- _____-or-treating, costumes and jack-o-lanterns

Ephesians 5:15-17 “Be very careful, then, how you live—not as unwise but as wise, ¹⁶ making the most of every opportunity, because the days are evil. ¹⁷ Therefore do not be foolish, but understand what the Lord’s will is.”

3. What are _____ afraid of?

Information brings _____

Isaiah 5:20 “Woe to those who call evil good and good evil, who put darkness for light and light for darkness, who put bitter for sweet and sweet for bitter.”

Proverbs 9:10 “The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom, and knowledge of the Holy One is understanding.”

Ephesians 5:8 NLT “For once you were full of darkness, but now you have light from the Lord. So live as people of light!”

1 John 2:15-17 “Do not love the world or anything in the world. If anyone loves the world, love for the Father is not in them. ¹⁶ For everything in the world—the lust of the flesh, the lust of the eyes, and the pride of life—comes not from the Father but from the world. ¹⁷ The world and its desires pass away, but whoever does the will of God lives forever.”