



HYPOCRITICAL LIVING

WHAT WERE YOU MOST AFRAID OF AS A KID?
A MONSTER IN YOUR CLOSET? MAYBE THE BAD GUY OF A
SPECIFIC MOVIE OR TV SHOW?

WHAT WAS YOUR FAVORITE HALLOWEEN COSTUME? DID
YOU SEE ANY GOOD ONES THIS YEAR?

DO YOU THINK THAT WE ALL PUT ON MASKS WHEN WE WALK
OUTSIDE? MAYBE WE PRETEND TO HAVE IT ALL TOGETHER
WHEN WE'RE AT CHURCH, OR TRY AND BE EXTRA SMART
WHEN WE'RE AT WORK, OR PRETEND WE DON'T HAVE SELF-
ESTEEM ISSUES WHEN WE'RE WITH FRIENDS.

HYPOCRISY IS THE GAP BETWEEN
WHAT WE SHOW AND WHAT WE DO

IN WHAT WAYS ARE CHRISTIANS MOST HYPOCRITICAL
TODAY?

READ WHAT JESUS SAYS TO THE PHARISEES IN
MATT 23:25-26

HOW DO THOSE WORDS APPLY TO US?

DOES THIS MEAN THAT WE CANNOT HOLD EACH OTHER
ACCOUNTABLE UNTIL WE ARE PERFECT?

ANOTHER GOOD QUOTE:
WE ARE NOT MADE PERFECT BY OUR SINLESSNESS
WE ARE MADE PERFECT BECAUSE OF JESUS

THIS VERSE IN PROVERBS WOULD BE A GREAT ONE TO
MEMORIZE AS A GROUP

PROVERBS 28:13

WHOEVER CONCEALS THEIR SINS DOES NOT PROSPER, BUT THE
ONE WHO CONFESSES AND RENOUNCES THEM FINDS MERCY.

WHY DO YOU THINK THAT CONFESSION LEADS TO MERCY?

WHO DO YOU HAVE IN YOUR LIFE THAT YOU KNOW YOU COULD
CONFESS TO AND THEY WOULDN'T JUDGE YOU BUT WOULD HOLD
YOU ACCOUNTABLE?

READ PSALM 139:23-24

WHY DO YOU THINK WE HAVE TO HAVE GOD'S HELP TO SHOW US
OUR IMPERFECTIONS?

SPEND SOME SILENT TIME IN PRAYER ASKING GOD TO WORK ON
YOU IN AREAS WHERE YOU AREN'T CONSISTENT.

THOUGHTS?

PRAYER

