

Daily Devotional, March 3, 2021

“Blessed is the Man”, (Psalm 1:1-6, NKJV)

*“Blessed is the man
Who walks not in the counsel of the ungodly,
Nor stands in the path of sinners,
Nor sits in the seat of the scornful;
But his delight is in the law of the LORD,
And in His law he meditates day and night.
He shall be like a tree
Planted by the rivers of water,
That brings forth its fruit in its season,
Whose leaf also shall not wither;
And whatever he does shall prosper.
The ungodly are not so,
But are like the chaff which the wind drives away.
Therefore the ungodly shall not stand in the judgment,
Nor sinners in the congregation of the righteous.
For the LORD knows the way of the righteous,
But the way of the ungodly shall perish.”* (Psalm 1:1-6)

Our text, all of Psalm 1, is ‘Godliness 101.’ Measure your life against these principles.

“Blessed is the man who” (and this speaks to you ladies and youths too!)

1. **Does not** hear or heed ungodly counsel
2. **Does not** join with or approve those who practice habitual sin
3. **Does not** judge as the world judges
4. **Does** delight to hear and understand godly counsel based on the Bible
5. **Does** make Bible reading and Bible study a priority
6. **Does** live wisely and in a way that honors His Creator God and Savior Jesus
7. **Does not** get easily swayed by the culture or peer pressure
8. **Does not** live a double life of hypocrisy
9. **Does not** prefer ungodly company to godly company and communion
10. **Does** receive the reward of eternal life for acting wisely, and an honorable legacy for honoring God with the life