

"DULL OF HEARING ... VANITY OF MIND ... BLINDNESS OF HEART"

Like unsaved people refusing to get saved, many Christians ... yes ... saved and going to heaven ... refuse to believe what the Bible says.

As it has been said "There are many Christians with intellectual excuses ... but **very few** with intellectual problems."

That is, most who put forward intellectual arguments rejecting sound faith and doctrine, do **not** do so because they have a genuine intellectual problem, but because they are unwilling to submit their **wills** to ... firstly, to the Lord Jesus Christ, secondly, to the inerrancy of The King James Bible, and thirdly to have their Christian life radically changed.

These people do **not** have a problem with their minds, but with their **will** ... and it's not that they can't change their minds ... but **they won't**.

As has been said "While a Christian doesn't pander to a man's intellectual arrogance, we must cater to his intellectual integrity."

The Bible says these Christians are like " ... children ... tossed to and fro ..." and "... walk in the vanity of their MINDS ... having the understanding darkened ... because of the blindness of their HEART" (Ephesians 4:14, 17, 18).

Furthermore, being "... dull of hearing ..." and being "... unskilled ... useth milk..." as "... strong meat belongeth to them that are of full age ..."

(Hebrews 5:11, 12, 13,14)

And it perfectly summed up with "... when they knew God, they glorified him not as God, neither were thankful; but became vain in their imaginations, and their foolish heart was darkened." (Romans 1:21).

See that? ..." Not thankful ... vain imaginations ... foolish hearts darkened! Yes Dear Reader, this is the plight of the unsaved ... and in this context ... **the saved**!

"Wow!" they should be saying "we are **thankful for the Word** ... and **his perfect and inerrant words** of the King James Bible!"

Let's boil it down ... there are **hearts** and **minds** involved. You can give these people a truckload of information for their **mind**, but if their **heart's** not in it ... it's a waste of time.

They will **not** pray "Dear Lord, I **want** the truth, **all** of the truth and **nothing** but the truth ... at **any cost**! I willingly change my **mind** and my **heart** to have your truth!"

What **STOPS** them ... and/or ... God **BLINDS** them?

PRIDE, ENVY and MORAL IMPURITY

(1 John 2:16; Romans 12:2).

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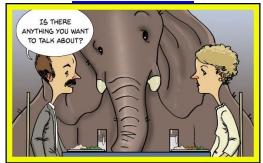


Did You Know ...

... the next time you hear someone say

"The Greek says...", you can be sure they don't want to admit "I haven't got a clue what the English says!"

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