

TRAINED TO BE VICTIMS

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There is no one who achieves 100% of their human possibility, whether it be genetic, intellectual, economic, self worth or romance. All of us suffer from being potentially short changed in one area or another. Thus we have two choices... move forward, or become victims. There is also a spiritual side to all of us, which we cannot naturally ever measure up to. God reveals how we can improve ourselves, but that means taking personal responsibility of our lives and make improvements. When God is not allowed to be part of any solution, then victimhood is the only outcome, because eventually all people die. Those who ignore God are the victims, deceived by sin. By refusing to allow God's power to be a solution, death becomes their choice.

Adam and Eve had the perfect existence, better than any person has been able to achieve, even to this 'modern' age. **GEN 3:4** And the serpent said unto the woman, Ye shall not surely die: **5** For God doth know that in the day ye eat thereof, then your eyes shall be opened, and ye shall be as gods, knowing good and evil. Satan is suggesting that God's limitations have made them victims... just like all modern agitators who refuse to own the failure of continuous bad choices. **GEN 3:12** And the man said, The woman whom thou gavest to be with me, she gave me of the tree, and I did eat. Adam made a bad choice and chose to be a victim instead of facing reality. **13** And the LORD God said unto the woman, What is this that thou hast done? And the woman said, The serpent beguiled me, and I did eat. She also made a bad choice and chose to be a victim. Satan was trying to further himself at their expense (the only options available when God is removed). Today's world is no different; bad choices never bring good results, thus we blame everyone else.

This is further highlighted when Satan tries to turn Jesus into a victim. **LUK 4:7** If thou therefore wilt worship me, all shall be thine. Satan is suggesting that Jesus is being robbed of something that God has held back from him. Interestingly, this is also the main line of attack used by modern agitators; those who want power at the expense of those who are also lacking. To get this power, victimhood is over politicised. Now we hear daily of the poor always being oppressed by the rich, the old being oppressed by the young, women oppressed by men, every other race being oppressed by white people. No society can survive these divisions.

800 years before Christ, this prophecy reveals that unscriptural, social changes would destroy our modern world. For the last 500 years, God has raised up Christian nations and values bringing the best possible life to our troubled societies. Their laws were built upon bible principles and they became prosperous, healthy and benefitted all other nations, despite their human limitations. **ISA 3:10** Say ye to the righteous, that it shall be well with him: for they shall eat the fruit of their doings. Those who take responsibility for their own action, forgive those who have hurt them (whether real or imagined). **11** Woe unto the wicked! it shall be ill with him: for the reward of his hands shall be given him. **12** As for my people, children (the immature) are their oppressors, and women rule over them. O my people, they which lead thee cause thee to err, and destroy the way of thy paths. When people reject God, they become victims of selfish choices. Responsibility is only demanded from their enemies never from themselves. People promote victimhood as a means of progress; as a result, every group of people who have less than others, are following the same plan. It is unworkable and will destroy this world in the end. Everyone is inescapably a victim of something or someone. Satan has everyone fighting each other over natural issues, rather than securing their soul against death.

Deal with your life issues through the power of God, or become a victim. **JAM 1:14** But every man is tempted, when he is drawn away of his own lust, and enticed. **15** Then when lust hath conceived, it bringeth forth sin: and sin, when it is finished, bringeth forth death. **16** Do not err, my beloved brethren. When our heart is in unity with God, we forgive others and patiently move forward... contentment and blessing follows.

Without forgiveness, nothing will change. **MAR 11:26** But if ye do not forgive, neither will your Father which is in heaven forgive your trespasses. Forgiveness opens the door to change and removes the barriers from friendships and personal progress. How many of our modern 'victim' activists, just want their turn at the top? Everyone is a victim of something and someone... true justice will only come when Christ returns.

The battle is between what God and Satan offer. **1JOH 2:16** For all that is in the world, the lust of the flesh, and the lust of the eyes, and the pride of life, is not of the Father, but is of the world. God offers the Holy Spirit and a new way to live and think, here and now. He offers true freedom, while Satan keeps promoting the victim mindset. By continually changing the rules between good and evil, more victims are created.

There is only one lasting solution to victimhood. **ACT 2:38** Then Peter said unto them, Repent, and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins, and ye shall receive the gift of the Holy Ghost. This world has done its best to block people from the knowledge of God. All options that ignore God's ways create victims, because whatever alternative you choose... you are always going to die.