



“tracks made by Chicken Christians”

I saw this sign on the back of a truck recently and felt the pungent sarcastic message grip me. I realized that of course the Word of God is coming true in our generation, that the last days are punctuated with perilous times. People today have turned their ears away from the truth and thrive in an atmosphere of hate against true Christianity. Jesus warned that the day would come when “those who kill you will think they did God a service”.

The sign of the broken cross with its arms bent downward is the hell inspired fantasy of Satan to undo what has already been done in majestic victory. The cross is the Christian’s ultimate joy. Today many proclaimed Christian churches have abandoned the cross, removing it from their buildings and neglecting to preach it. They too, whether knowingly or not have joined in with the Godless who think the cross is nothing more than chicken scratching. But Paul said our hope is in vain without the cross and subsequent resurrection.

Who is a chicken? Who is the coward? The life of the victorious requires cross bearing, discipline, self denial, and all the points of courage mustered together. Let those who travel the broad path laugh and snicker, but it is they who are cowards. It takes people of character, integrity, and courage to live for Christ!

What lies in front of us only God knows, but in an increasingly hostile world, we are only steps away from real persecution. “Blessed are you when men hate you and when they exclude you and revile you and cast out your name as evil for the Son of Man’s sake. Rejoice in that day and leap for joy! For indeed your reward is great in heaven.” Luke 6:22

Pastor Chambers

Scripture For The Week

***17 Incline your ear and hear the words of the wise,
And apply your heart to my knowledge;
18 For it is a pleasant thing if you keep them
within you; Let them all be fixed upon your lips,
19 So that your trust may be in the Lord;
I have instructed you today, even you.
20 Have I not written to you excellent things
Of counsels and knowledge,
21 That I may make you know the certainty of the
words of truth, that you may answer words of
truth To those who send to you? Pr.22:17-21***

UpComing Events

***Sunday, March 15th
Missionette Presentation & Bake Sale
10:30am***

***Saturday, March 28th
Royal Ranger Kids
To Long Beach Aquarium***

***Sunday, March 29th
Youth Snak Shak *is back!*
After the morning service
Hot dogs, chili dogs, frito boats***

***Saturday, March 28th
Youth to Lancaster Service
12noon – 11pm
\$5.00***

***Sunday, April 5th
Missions Convention
10:30am service***

***Saturday, May 16th
Ladies/Girls Tea 12noon
See Janet Sumpter if interested in setting a table!***