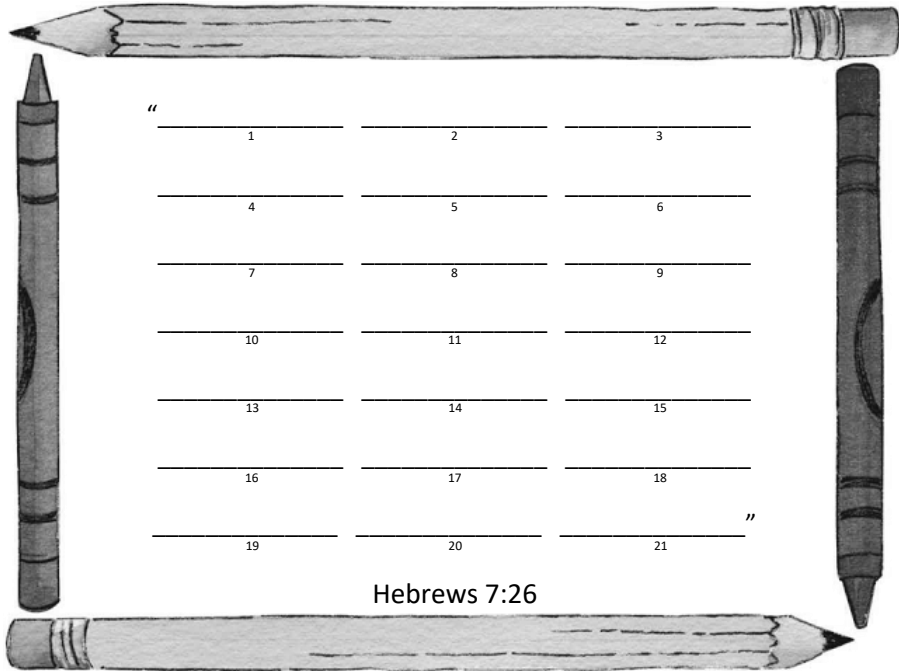


Christ is our best example of being separated to God.

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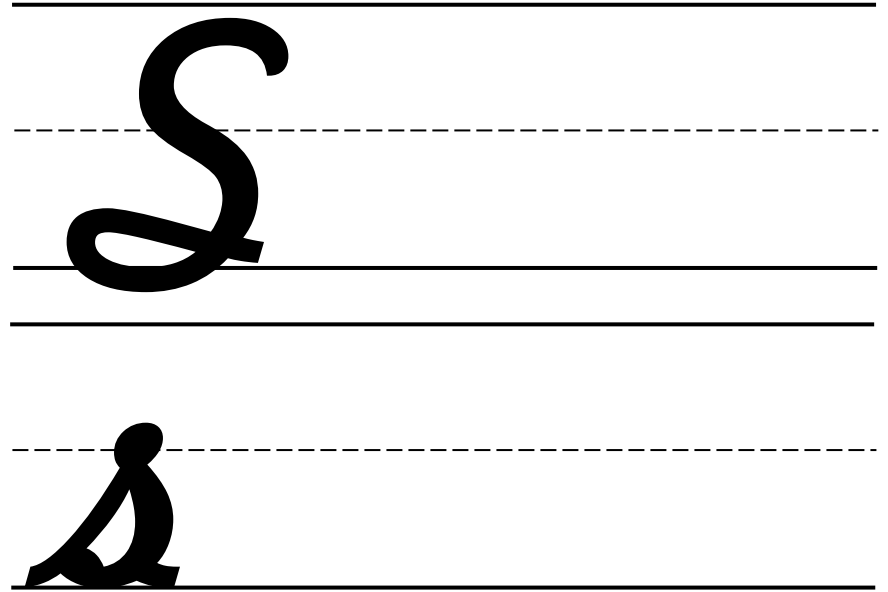


Hebrews 7:26

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Separate yourselves from
among this congregation...

Numbers 16:21

ABC's of the Christian Life for Youth

This verse in the Bible is talking about a group of people who were wicked and evil toward God's man, Moses. God did not like what these people were doing; so God told the rest of Israel to separate (stay away) from them.

If we are part of God's family we need to be different from others in a good way. People should know that we are separated from bad things and are separated to God.

Here are some things we should separate from:

1. The world.

I John 2:15, "Love not the world, neither the things that are in the world. If any man love the world, the love of the Father is not in him."

II Corinthians 6:17, "Wherefore come out from among them, and be ye separate, saith the Lord, and touch not the unclean thing; and I will receive you,"

The word "world" means the ways of the people who live in this world without God. The world is people whose thoughts are opposite of God's thoughts.

God says love your enemies. The world says be mean to your enemies. God says always tell the truth. The world says it's ok to lie sometimes. God says cheating is a sin. The world says cheating can help you get ahead.

Learn to be separate from the world. Do not talk, act, or dress like the world does. Be separate from the world's sin.



2. The devil.

I Corinthians 10:21, "Ye cannot drink the cup of the Lord, and the cup of devils: ye cannot be partakers of the Lord's table, and of the table of devils."

We need to separate from anything that is used by the devil. There are many things that are controlled by the devil: **Bad music, magic, dancing, drinking, smoking, drugs, swearing, bad movies and tv shows...** We should never do what the devil does. Be separate from the devil.

3. Our Flesh.

The "flesh" is what the Bible calls the part of us that wants to do wrong things. No one had to teach us to sin, it is natural. If we do not control ourselves from sin, sin will take us over and control us.

Galatians 5:19-21, "Now the works of the flesh are manifest, which are these; Adultery, fornication, uncleanness (dirtiness), lasciviousness (showing lust), Idolatry (worshipping idols), witchcraft (worshipping the devil), hatred, variance (disagreements), emulations (worshipping people), wrath, strife, seditions (divisions), heresies (wrong Bible teaching), Envyings (dislike of others), murders,



dissensions, revellings (partying), and such like: of the which I tell you before, as I have also told you in time past, that they which do such things shall not inherit the kingdom of God."

Here are some things we need to separate to God:

1. Separate our actions to God.

Philippians 4:8, "Finally, brethren, whatsoever things are true, whatsoever things are honest, whatsoever things are just, whatsoever things are pure, whatsoever things are lovely, whatsoever things are of good report; if there be any virtue, and if there be any praise, think on these things." We need to love our enemies instead of hating them, forgive our friends instead of fighting them, give to others instead of stealing from them.

- Make sure that what you hear with your ears is Christian.
- Make sure that what you see is godly.
- Make sure you do not go to any place Jesus would not go.



2. Separate our attitudes to God.

Micah 6:8, "He hath shewed thee, O man, what is good; and what doth the LORD require of thee, but to do justly, and to love mercy, and to walk humbly with thy God?"

- We should work instead of play.
 - We should try to learn instead of always wanting to be entertained.
 - We should obey instead of being rebellious.
- Pray that God gives you a good attitude like Jesus had.

3. Separate our lives to God.

Mark 12:30, "And thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy mind, and with all thy strength: this is the first commandment."

Every part of our lives and talents should be controlled by God. Find something you can do for Him.

4. Separate our friends to God.

Proverbs 13:20, "He that walketh with wise men shall be wise: but a companion of fools shall be foolish."

Make sure your friends are friends that help you get closer to God, by encouraging you to do good. Bad friends will keep you away from God and destroy you.

