

IF THIS IS YOUR
FIRST TIME
...THANKS FOR JOINING US!

WE WOULD LOVE TO MEET YOU! STOP AND MEET A PASTOR TO THE RIGHT OF THE STAGE AFTER THE SERVICE.







## QUITLYING (TO YOURSELF)

### **GOD VIEWS LYING AS A**

- Exodus 20:16 (Shall not bear false witness)
- Proverbs 6:17 (a lying tongue)
- Acts 5: 1-11 (Ananias and Sapphira)
- Revelations 22:15 (all who love to live a lie)

## **FOCAL PASSAGE:**

<sup>5</sup> This is the message we heard from Jesus and now declare to you: God is light, and there is no darkness in him at all. <sup>6</sup> So we are lying if we say we have fellowship with God but go on living in spiritual darkness; we are not practicing the truth.

<sup>7</sup> But if we are living in the light, as God is in the light, then we have fellowship with each other, and the blood of Jesus, his Son, cleanses us from all sin.

1 John 1:5-7 (NLT)

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If we claim we have no sin, we are only fooling ourselves and not living in the truth.

1 John 1:8

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There is a way that seems right to a man, but the end is the way of death.

Proverbs 14:12

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# THREE SPIRITUAL LIE DETECTOR QUESTIONS:

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I have written this to you who believe in the name of the Son of God, so that you may know you have eternal life.

1 John 5:13

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So we are lying if we say we have fellowship with God but go on living in spiritual darkness; we are not practicing the truth. v.6

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If anyone claims, 'I am living in the light,' but hates a Christian brother or sister, that person is still living in darkness.

Anyone who loves another brother or sister is living in the light.

1 John 2:9-10

#### THE BOTTOM LINE:

So God's rest is there for people to enter, but those who first heard this good news failed to enter because they disobeyed God. So God set another time for entering his rest, and that time is today...

Today when you hear his voice, don't harden your hearts

Hebrews 4: 6-7