



A light to my path. Psalm 119:105

To Whom are You Consecrated?

The word consecrate is a verb. It requires action. We consecrate something, making it “qodesh,” Hebrew for sacred. Consecrate also applies to a person in terms of “mala yad,” which is Hebrew for singularly minded in following God in their life. If they decide to become a pastor, their consecration is through ordination.

However, not everyone desires to be a pastor.

Hezekiah became king of Israel at age twenty-five. He saw the horrible condition of the temple brought by the priests under King Ahaz’s reign who worshiped idols, thus defiling God’s temple. The priests allowed themselves to have an unholy consecration in the worship of idols. Therefore, Hezekiah turned to the Levites, telling them to consecrate themselves through singing, praising, and worshipping God. Then, they cleaned the rubbish and installed the sacred things in the temple (2 Chronicles 29:1-36, NKJV).

Beloved, you may not be a minister, pastor, or priest. Still, a relationship with Jesus makes you a consecrated minister of his word (2 Corinthians 5:16-19, 6:17). Desires of our flesh can lead us into a variety of addictions that place us in an unholy consecration to those addictions (1 Peter 1:13-20). To whom are you consecrated? Is it to the world’s ways or to God’s ways?

(Isaiah 55:8-9). If it is to the world’s ways, God is waiting for you to come to him.

Shalom!!

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