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Ephesus: The Loveless Church

Revelation 2:1-7



1. Read Revelation 2:1-7 and write down everything that Jesus commends the church at Ephesus for:

2. Read Revelation 2:1-7 and write down what Jesus condemns the church at Ephesus for:

3. Meditate upon the phrase “abandoned your first love.” What was Jesus condemning the church at Ephesus for and how does this apply to you?

4. There are three commands in Revelation 2:1-7 for the believer who has “abandoned their first love.” Write them down and more importantly obey them:

5. In a quiet place, reflect on the following signs of “abandoning your first love”:
 - a) When you have stopped reading your Bible devotionally
 - b) When you know God’s commands but refuse to obey
 - c) When the lost are an annoyance to be avoided
 - d) When you are known for what you are against more than what you are for
 - e) When testimonies of salvation do not stir you
 - f) When you constantly come to church late
 - g) When you schedule Jesus around your children’s sports/activities
 - h) When you see another’s sins as greater than yours and don’t take yours seriously
 - i) When it has been a week since you thanked Jesus for saving you
 - j) When you lack anything resembling enthusiasm in worship

Connection Card Next Steps: Revelation 2:4-5

I repent of “abandoning my first love” and in my quiet time commit to worship and praise Christ for who He is and what He has done for me.

I will carve out quiet time this week and work on rearranging my schedule and that of my family, so it is centered around Jesus Christ.