

What Sin Can Do Seven Deadly Sins



Text: Mark 16:9, Proverbs 6:16-19

I. Introduction

- All sin is deadly unless it is forgiven
- For centuries, people have regarded the following sins as the Seven Deadly Sins
- We will take a brief look at them

II. Pride

- This was the sin of Lucifer
- *I would rather rule in hell than serve in Heaven*
- This is the sin that stands between many people and being saved

III. Anger

- **Matthew 5:21:22**
- People who are guilty of anger can likewise be guilty of murder

IV. Envy

- **1 Corinthians 13:4**
- **Romans 1:29**
- Religious people seem to be especially guilty of envy

V. Dejection

- Conversely we should rejoice in our salvation
- The Ethiopian eunuch is an example
- **Acts 8:39**
- The book of Philippians commands us to rejoice

VI. Selfishness

- **Luke 12:17ff**

VII. Lust

- **Matthew 5:27-28**
- A diet of indecency (movies, TV, books, fashion, etc.) affects anyone who is exposed to it...and no one is immune...and this is no excuse
- We are counseled by the Bible to not be stumbling blocks to others
- We must be careful to not be the cause of lust in the way we behave or dress
- God has the divine right to judge us
- He knows the condition of our heart

VIII. Gluttony

- Jesus referred to this sin when He spoke of the rich man and Lazarus
- **Luke 16:19-31**
- According to the Bible gluttony will characterize the last days

IX. Conclusion

- We need the message of **Romans 6:23** today