

The Four Trees

"And out of the ground the Lord God made every tree grow that is pleasant to the sight and good for food. The tree of life was also in the midst of the garden, and the tree of the knowledge of good and evil." (Genesis 2:9)

The Four Kinds of Trees

- 1. Pleasant to the sight.
- 2. Good for food.
- 3. The Tree of the Knowledge of Good and Evil.
- 4. The Tree of Life.

The Tree of the Knowledge of Good and Evil

- 1. Man ate this tree and died spiritually (Romans 5:12).
- 2. The tree became the nature of the flesh which opened the door for spiritual death, SIN, allowing in good and evil.
- 3. This tree is in us:
 - a. Human good would replace divine good.
 - b. Evil would use man for Satan plan of sins.
- 4. This tree has been replaced in the earth by the cross.
- 5. If you partake of the cross, the new tree, you will have spiritual life.
- 6. In the Garden of Eden there were millions of YES trees and one NO tree. In this fallen world there are millions of NO trees and one YES tree.

The Tree of Life

"In the middle of its street, and on either side of the river, was the tree of life, which bore twelve fruits, each tree yielding its fruit every month. The leaves of the tree were for the healing (therapeutic – means of healing – medicine) of the nations" (Revelation 22:2).

"Blessed are those who do His commandments, that they may have the right to the tree of life, and may enter through the gates into the city" (Revelation 22:14).

- 1. If we are born again, we do not have spiritual death.
- 2. Why can't we eat of the tree of life now? We can.

There Are Many Trees of Life Now

"He who has an ear, let him hear what the Spirit says to the churches. To him who overcomes I will give to eat from the tree of life, which is in the midst of the Paradise of God" (Revelation 2:7).

"Who is he who overcomes the world, but he who believes that Jesus is the Son of God?" (1 John 5:5)

The Word is a Tree of Life

"Happy is the man who finds wisdom and the man who gains understanding; For her proceeds are better than the profits of silver, and her gain than fine gold.

She is more precious than rubies, and all the things you may desire cannot compare with her. Length of days is in her right hand, in her left hand riches and honor. Her ways are ways of pleasantness, and all her paths are peace.

She is a tree of life to those who take hold of her, and happy are all who retain her" (Proverbs 3:13-18).

A Word Filled Believer Becomes a Tree of Life

"The fruit of the righteous is a tree of life, and he who wins souls is wise" (Proverbs 11:30).

Answered Prayer is a Tree of Life

"He who is devoid of wisdom despises his neighbor, but a man of understanding holds his peace" (Proverbs 13:12).

Faith Filled Words are a Tree of Life

"A wholesome tongue is a tree of life, but perverseness in it breaks the spirit" (Proverbs 15:4).