

Is Voting Optional for Christians?

“Justice is turned back, and righteousness stands far away; for truth has stumbled in the public squares, and uprightness cannot enter.” Isaiah 59:14

“Statesmen, my dear sir, may plan and speculate for liberty but it is religion and morality alone, which can establish the principles upon which freedom can securely stand.” President John Adams

“If America is to survive, we must elect God-centered men and women to public office – individuals who will seek Divine guidance in the affairs of state.” Billy Graham, Evangelist

Dare We Now Remain Silent?

Why must Christians vote?

Voting is a responsibility. All governments are established by God, including ours in which leaders are chosen by elections. He commands us to “*render to Caesar the things that are Caesar’s.*” Thus we have a sacred responsibility to vote. *Romans 13:1; Matthew 22:21*

Voting is part of our calling to be “*salt*” and “*light*” in our culture. *Matthew 5:13-16*

Voting can be a godly influence in society. By voting our biblical values, we promote a “*peaceful and quiet*” society, with “*all godliness and dignity.*” Thus we contribute to a social environment that encourages people “*to be saved and to come to the knowledge of the truth.*” *1 Timothy 2:2-4*

Voting our biblical values uplifts our nation. “*Righteousness exalts a nation, but sin is a disgrace to any people.*” *Proverbs 14:34*

Voting according to biblical criteria transforms our leadership. Although no candidate is perfect, choosing leaders who are most capable, God-fearing, trustworthy, and hate dishonest gain, changes our government and our nation for good. *Exodus 18:21*

Dare we remain silent?

**Stand up for what is right and true.
Vote your biblical values on November 4th!**

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