

Lying Bible Study: Is It Okay to Tell a Fib?



Scripture Reading Time!

Colossians 3:9 & 10 (NLT)

Don't lie to each other,
for you have stripped off your old sinful nature and all its wicked deeds.
Put on your new nature, and be renewed
as you learn to know your Creator and become like him.

When we decide to live for God, His love makes us a brand new person! We become God's children. As we learn more about Him every day, we are supposed to act more like Him.



God does not lie and He does not want us to lie. When we lie, it makes God sad.

Why? Because Lies hurt people.

Lies hurt the person being lied to. They feel hurt that they were not told the truth.

Lies hurt the person telling the lie. It separates them from their Father God.

If you realize you are telling a lie - Stop Quick!


-  Tell the person you are talking to that it is not really true, and apologize!
-  Tell God that you are sorry for lying. Ask Him to help you to always tell the truth!

Let's Talk About It

1. What does God tell us about lying to each other in Colossians?
2. What happens to us when we decide to live for God?
3. Who are we supposed to be like?
4. How does it make God feel when we lie? Why?
5. What should we do if we realize we are telling a lie?

Find Out What Else God's Word Says About the Truth! Proverbs 12:22, Leviticus 6:3, John 14:6

Extra Blessings Scripture Reading!

 For you are the children of your father the devil,
and you love to do the evil things he does...
He has always hated the truth,
because there is no truth in him.
When he lies, it is consistent with his character;
for he is a liar and the father of lies. - John 8:44 (NLT)

Questions for Extra Blessings:

1. Does the devil like truth? Why?
2. Who is the father of all lies?
3. When we lie, whose children are we behaving like?