"Jesus, the Good Choice" Sunday, October 30, 2016 Deacon Gabe Moore

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- "I call heaven and earth to witness against you today, that I have set before you life and death, the blessing and the curse. So choose life in order that you may live, you and your descendants" Deuteronomy 30:19 (NASB).
- "And if it seems evil to you to serve the Lord, choose for yourselves this day whom you will
 serve, whether the gods which your fathers served that were on the other side of the River, or
 the gods of the Amorites, in whose land you dwell. But as for me and my house, we will serve
 the Lord" Joshua 24:15 (NKJV).
- "God has said, 'You shall not eat from it, or touch it, or you will die" Genesis 3:3b (NASB).

Why choose Jesus:

- 1. For access:
 - "...I am the way, the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through Me" John 14:6 (NKJV).
- 2. For forgiveness:
 - "Then Peter said to them, 'Repent, and let every one of you be baptized in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins; and you shall receive the gift of the Holy Spirit'" Acts 2:38 (NKJV).
- 3. For healing:
 - "And the whole multitude sought to touch Him, for power went out from Him and healed them all" Luke 6:19 (NKJV).

He is waiting for you to choose him again.

- "'And rend your heart and not your garments.' Now return to the LORD your God, For He is gracious and compassionate, Slow to anger, abounding in lovingkindness and relenting of evil" Joel 2:13 (NASB).
- "Therefore say to them, 'Thus says the LORD of hosts, "Return to Me," declares the LORD of hosts, "that I may return to you," says the LORD of hosts'" Zechariah 1:3 (NASB).
- "The Lord is not slack concerning his promise, as some count slackness, but is longsuffering toward us, not willing that any should perish but that all should come to repentance" 2 Peter 3:9 (NKJV).

Don't be afraid to humble yourself, and choose again.

- "Likewise, I say to you, there is joy in the presence of the angels of God over one sinner who repents" Luke 15:10 (NKJV).
- "For you were like sheep going astray, but have now returned to the Shepherd and Overseer of your souls" 1 Peter 2:25 (NKJV).