

What Difference Does Sin Make?

Genesis 3:21-24

- **Proverbs 10:23** - To do evil *is* like sport to a fool, But a man of understanding has wisdom.
- **Proverbs 14:9** - Fools mock at sin, but among the upright *there is* favor.

Does sin really matter? Fateful facts:

1. Sin separates us from _____.

- **Genesis 2:15** - Then the LORD God took the man and put him in the garden of Eden to tend and keep it.

2. Sin separates us from _____.

- **Gen 3:10** - So he said, "I heard Your voice in the garden, and I was afraid because I was naked; and I hid myself."

3. Sin separates us from _____.

- **Genesis 3:11-12** - ¹¹ And He said, "Who told you that you *were* naked? Have you eaten from the tree of which I commanded you that you should not eat?" ¹²Then the man said, "The woman whom You gave *to be* with me, she gave me of the tree, and I ate."

4. Sin separates us from _____.

- **Genesis 2:8-9** -The LORD God planted a garden eastward in Eden, and there He put the man whom He had formed. ⁹ And out of the ground the LORD God made every tree grow that is pleasant to the sight and good for food... (Also Hebrews 11:24-25; 2 Thessalonians 2:11-12)

5. Sin separates us from _____.

- **Genesis 3:17**- "*Cursed is* the ground for your sake; In toil you shall eat *of* it All the days of your life. (Also verse 18-19)

6. Sin separates us from _____.

- **Genesis 1:26-27** - Then God said, "Let Us make man in Our image, according to Our likeness; let them have dominion over the fish of the sea, over the birds of the air, and over the cattle, over all the earth and over every creeping thing that creeps on the earth." ²⁷ So God created man in His *own* image; in the image of God He created him; male and female He created them.

7. Sin separates us from _____.

- **Genesis 3:23-24** - Therefore the LORD God sent him out of the Garden of Eden to till the ground from which he was taken. ²⁴So He drove out the man; and He placed cherubim at the east of the Garden of Eden, and a flaming sword which turned every way, to guard the way to the tree of life.

A decision to make:

1. Sin _____ us from God and we are all sinners
2. God made a sacrifice to make a _____ back to Him.
 - **Genesis 3:21** - Also for Adam and his wife the LORD God made tunics of skin, and clothed them.