

We are Created in the Image of God. We are Moral Beings.

What we are experiencing today is the direct result of the false belief that we do not have a creator. Since we do not have a creator, we are on our own, seeking to get by as best we can. However we do have a creator!

God created human beings and He created us different from all of creation. What separates us though, is not our smarts, it is our capacity for moral choices. Among all living things, only human beings make moral choices. It is that which makes us different.

Moral choices are not based upon our feelings. In fact, many times they are against how we feel. Moral choices are not based upon logic or human wisdom, for many times they might not seem logical or even wise. Moral choices are based upon the idea that there is right and wrong. Right and wrong is defined by our Creator (God) and His will. To do God's will is right (and healthy?); to disobey God's will is wrong (and unhealthy?).

Genesis 1:26-28 – We were Created

Matthew 25:14-15 – We are stewards... we are not the source

Galatians 3:21-24 - The purpose of the law was never to make us right with God

The purpose of the Law

1. To make us aware of what righteousness would look like
2. To give us boundaries to protect us until Christ came
3. To give the awareness of our sin and lead us to Christ
4. The law still functions today
 - A. By making us aware of sin and acting like a compass, a moral code to point us in a right direction.
 - B. The law and the keeping of the law **will not make us right with God**. It never has and it never will. However it can help make us aware of the will of God and point us in the right direction in making our choices in life.
 - C. We don't keep the law to become right with God, we attempt to keep the law because we are right with God and we want to do His will.