**C H O I C E S**

**The Bottom Line:**

**The \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ We Make, Determine The \_\_\_\_\_ We Make**

**Matthew 27:27-31, 54**

In order to truly follow after Christ, it means that you have to choose to lay down your “\_\_\_\_\_\_\_” and follow after the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

Jesus offered a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ gospel; however, He did not promise an \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ gospel.

**1. Lay Down Your \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Matthew 10:37-39**

New Testament Christianity is a faith that calls us to lay it all on the line for the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

Jesus states unequivocally that there can be no other \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in our life that is more important to us than our relationship with God.

No human relationship can truly thrive unless Christ is placed in the preeminent position of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

**2. Lay Down Your \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**John 15:18, Matthew 10:24-26, Philippians 2:5-8**

If we are being \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to the leading of The Holy Spirit, it makes no difference what people think of us. The Holy Spirit has never been hindered by the opinions of men.

**3. Lay Down The \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Matthew 16:24-25**

**Deny**

*Aparneomai (Strong’s 533) Ah-par-nay-o-my*

*I. to deny*

*A. To \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ that one has no acquaintance or connection*

*with someone,*

*B. To forget one’s \_\_\_\_\_\_\_, lose sight of one’s self and one’s*

*own interests*

Christianity is not a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, it is a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Notes:**

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