

SUICIDE

(SIN WITHOUT FORGIVENESS)

I Jn 1:9

If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins, and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

we confess- 3670 homologeo- to confess, that is, to admit or declare oneself guilty of what one is accused of

our- 2257 hemon- our

No one can confess sin for someone else!

Can one be guilty of something that he hasn't done?

Can one admit or declare himself to be guilty of anything after death?

James 1:14 But every man **is tempted, when he is drawn away** of his own **lust**, and **enticed**.

is tempted- 3985 peirazo- to try or test one's faith, virtue, or character, by enticement to sin; to solicit to sin, to tempt; used of the temptations of the Devil

when he is drawn away- 1828 exelko- to drag forth, i.e. (figuratively) **to entice (to sin)**: draw away.

lust- 1939 epithumia- desire, craving, longing, desire for what is forbidden, lust

enticed- 1185 deleazo- to entrap, i.e. (figuratively) delude: allure, beguile, entice.

James 1:15 Then when lust **hath conceived, it bringeth forth** sin: **and sin, when it is finished**, bringeth forth **death**.

hath conceived- 4815 sullambano- to clasp, i.e. seize (arrest, capture): to seize, to take: one as prisoner

it bringeth forth- 616 apokueo- to produce

when it is finished- 658 apoteleo- **to complete entirely**, i.e. consummate: finish.

death- 2288 thanatos- the misery of the soul arising from sin, which begins on earth but lasts and increases after the death of the body in hell

There are sins of thought but Suicide is not one of them. (Matt 5:28 But I say unto you, That whosoever looketh on a woman to lust after her hath committed adultery with her already in his heart.)

It is a sin of action that must be completed entirely!

We all think about checking out of this old world at times. Those thoughts will tend to come more often if we are trying to live as followers of Christ which is necessary to obtain eternal life. (**John 12:25 He that loveth his life shall lose it; and he that hateth his life in this world shall keep it unto life eternal.**) Unfortunately, mankind has always looked for the easy way out (no suffering) and it has gotten him in trouble every step of the way. God has eternal life and he sets the rules how it must be obtained. So, life is hard and we want to end it? This is what he says and this is what we should expect if we want to spend eternity with him as opposed to spending it in HELL:

Luke 9:23 And he said to them all, If any man will come after me, let him deny himself, and take up his cross daily, and follow me.

Acts 14:22 Confirming the souls of the disciples, and exhorting them to continue in the faith, and that we must through much tribulation enter into the kingdom of God.

1 Pet 4:1 Forasmuch then as Christ hath suffered for us in the flesh, arm yourselves likewise with the same mind: for he that hath suffered in the flesh hath ceased from sin;

We must remember Suicide is sin and:

Rom 6:23

For the wages of sin is death; but the gift of God is eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord.

wages- 3800 opsonion- wages: hire or pay of sin

death- 2288 thanatos- death comprising all the miseries arising from sin, to be followed by wretchedness in hell

SO LET'S STAY ALIVE THEREFORE KEEPING HOPE ALIVE THROUGH THE POSSIBILITY OF FORGIVENESS!

“THERE IS NO CONFESSION” TO BE MADE AFTER DEATH”!

Eccl 9:5-6

5 For the living know that they shall die: but the dead know not any thing, neither have they any more a reward; for the memory of them is forgotten.

6 Also their love, and their hatred, and their envy, is now perished; neither have they any more a portion for ever in any thing that is done under the sun.