

A Work in Progress

“As newborn babes, desire the sincere milk of the word, that ye may grow thereby:

If so be ye have tasted that the Lord is gracious”, 1 Peter 2:2–3.

Satan has five major weapons he uses in the world today,

Alcohol,

Drugs,

Gambling,

Nicotine,

Pornography.

I look at them more as leeches than anything else. They suck the life blood of the Christian out, and the nonchristian has adopted their traits, they do not look for a future life, but continually suck upon their particular artery of life, feeding their lusts.

There are many groups around the world who have been formed to ‘help’ people.

A few ‘statistics’ to consider,

1. For alcohol, key in ‘Alcohol abuse’ on your computer, and before you can draw a second breath, it will tell you it has found about 19,600,000 results on the web!

2. For drugs, key in ‘Drug abuse’ on your computer, and before you can draw a second breath, it will tell you it has found about 20,500,000 results on the web!

3. For Pornography key in ‘Pornography abuse’ on your computer, and before you can draw a second breath, it will tell you it has found about 8,580,000 results on the web!

For the three abuses above, I found just one site in the first fifty listings of each that was clearly Bible based in its work.

4. For gambling, key in ‘Gambling abuse’ on your computer, and before you can draw a second breath, it will tell you it has found about 45,800,000 results on the web!

5. For nicotine, key in ‘Nicotine abuse’ on your computer, and before you can draw a second breath, it will tell you it has found about 8,580,000 results on the web!

For the two abuses above, I did not find one site that was clearly Bible based in either.

Note also his ‘after hours’ service teams, a blanket covering of two hundred and forty–seven open portals.

God prefers to offer a personal touch, with a mouth to mouth recommendation.

Abuse is not a respecter of persons. It will hurt the abuser as much as the abused.

It not only hurts the abuser, it also lays a massive penalty upon the abusers life, "Know ye not that the unrighteous shall not inherit the kingdom of God? Be not deceived; neither fornicators, nor idolaters, nor adulterers, nor effeminate, nor abusers of themselves with mankind, nor thieves, nor covetous, nor drunkards, nor revilers, nor extortioners, shall enter the kingdom of God", I Corinthians 6:9-10.

Offspring of humans are babies.

Babies need the natural milk of mothers' to grow.

Offspring of God are children of God.

Babies of God need the spiritual milk of the Word of God.

Offspring of humans are babies.

Babies need exercise to grow, and be strengthened.

Offspring of God are children of God.

Children of God need the spiritual exercise – walking with God – to grow, and be strengthened.

People are precious in God's Sight.

Unless we trust God in the same manner that children trust their parents, how can we expect to get relief from the five major weapons – alcohol, drugs, gambling, nicotine, and pornography – that Satan uses against people and Christians in the world today?