

Guilt Must Not Drive Your Actions

The premier features of the Kingdom are love, joy, peace, rest and prosperity, and they have nothing to do with the former list. Guilt, like fear, dread,¹ shame,² regrets,³ disappointments,⁴ condemnation,⁵ and accusation, are not emotions generated by the Kingdom – they are tools of the enemy.

The key to enjoying life in the Kingdom is to acknowledge those traits belonging to the Kingdom and working in the areas and mindsets that promote them. If not all of them at once, then any one of them at any one time is ‘the order of the day’.

The next step, which goes alongside that key step, is to reject anything that aligns with or is a consequence of the Kingdom of Darkness. By that I’m referring to the second list in the first paragraph. There are more of these which are usually associated with operating out of our base nature or are connected with the propensity to following our emotions.

Faith has nothing to do with the process of living free of the enemy’s emotional manipulation. From my experience, determining to have faith so that it overrides fear, etc. doesn’t work. That’s because we use faith in our faith, rather than trusting (i.e. having faith in) Father’s ability to work in our life. This trust (faith) in what Father has told us will allow us to immediately reject any response outside of a Kingdom response, as soon as it’s detected.⁶

As an example of Father’s teaching on this subject, here’s a recent message from him which highlights guilt as the false impetus for us to use to make decisions:

*“Stop for a moment and separate what you can actually do something about from those things that are beyond the scope of your authority. You must set yourself free from the impossible and embrace reality before you can forge ahead. **Guilt of what you would like to do but cannot do must not fuel your actions.** Let love rule.”⁷*

YOUR RESPONSE: Let Father retrain you out of any habits that you have of acting out of non-Kingdom emotions and feelings that the enemy uses to destroy your peace and rest.

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1 – “Dread is a Type of Fear” (6-4-2021)

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2 – “Time To Put Shame Behind You” (30-4-2024)

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3 – “No Regrets-No Looking Back” (25-3-2013)

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4 – CCOP MESSAGE: “No Regrets and No Disappointments” (17-8-2022)

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5 – “Refuse to Entertain Condemnation for Your Mistakes” (7-11-2023)

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7 – Marsha Burns “Small Straws in the Soft Wind” (July 27, 2025) www.ft111.com/smallstraws.htm [ARCHIVE: www.ft111.com/straws2025.htm]