

KINGDOM PERSPECTIVES



How things fit together in the Kingdom

What Belongs in the Kingdom?

We know that many things don't belong in the Kingdom because they're unrighteous. For example: hatred, thieving, murder, just to name a few.

It doesn't stop there, though. There are many things that we think are OK from the world's perspective which also don't belong in the Kingdom. For example: Capitalism,¹ democracy, political parties, modern government, socialism, and many, many more.

Only those things which have a blueprint in Heaven, are initiated by heaven, carried out under Heaven's timetable and which are operated under Heaven's oversight, actually belong in the Kingdom. Many things can be set in place by our King, but are done people's way and run the way people think, and that makes the product a non-Kingdom entity.

Get the picture?

Likewise, there are ways we operate which we think are righteous (belong to the Kingdom) but which really don't – they're just cultural norms. For example: Three meals a day, having a particular job, playing sport, owning a house, etc. All these belong to the world system, so we must be careful to delineate their place in the various kingdoms.

In regard to attitudes, the only ones that belong in the Kingdom are those that match the character and heart of the Trinity. Anything else is actually unrighteous. In this area we could place: Denominations, inter-personal discrimination, and superiority, as a few instances.

We really need to develop the heart and mind of Father if we're going to operate accurately as his sons. So much of what we believe and think do not come from him and are hindrances to our growth and development as sons. Therefore, they need to be eliminated so we can mature, but that will be difficult because they're ingrained in us from our society and upbringing.

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¹ – SEE: "Capitalism and the Kingdom" (18-7-2023)

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