



Which is better – a moral person or an immoral person?

B.L.U.F. (Bottom Line Up Front): *How you finish is most important.*

1. Jesus' _____ Over Satan v. 21-22

“strong man” = Satan

“stronger than he” = Jesus

When a stronger comes he strips the weaker of his power and possessions. Jesus does that to Satan!

2. Satan's _____ of Strategy v. 24-26

Satan has a strategy. He knows how to work the angles. His goal is to influence and control man (“walketh through dry places” – desert, thirst, desire).

“Lest Satan should get an advantage of us: for we are not ignorant of his devices.” 2 Corinthians 2:11

1. He _____ via Sin – the “house” before the spirit left. It needed to be cleaned (“swept & garnished”). A dirty “house”.
2. He _____ via Deceit – the “house” is now clean & decorated. Morality without Christ!

“Put on the whole armour of God, that ye may be able to stand against the wiles of the devil.” Ephesians 6:11

3. Man's _____ via Obedience v. 27-28

She was so impressed with Jesus teaching and praised His mom. “Yes, but even better is...”