

“HAVE A MORAL DAY”

Eph. 4:25-28

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INTRODUCTION

“Have a good day”—Really? Can we actually bring this to people?
Do people really deserve this?

We really need to introduce people to the One Person Who can actually give them a good day.
Know the Savior and live for Him, for He is **the truth, love, and God’s gift.**

I. Christ is Truth (25)

A. Lay aside falsehood
Kinds of lying:

B. Speak truth with your neighbor
1. Everything truthful
2. Truth of the Gospel

II. Christ is Love (26-27)

Therefore, do away with *anger, hatred, bitterness, a vengeful spirit, etc.*

A. There is a time for Anger (Ps. 4:4)—but it must never degenerate into sin.

B. Continued anger is almost always sinful.

We must seek reconciliation, or resolution of the problem.

Anger should be a **brief** emotion, **slowly excited**, and **very soon dismissed**.

C. Satan takes advantage of unresolved anger and situations (27)

Cf. II Cor. 2:10-11.

Do not nurse your wrath to keep it warm; do not magnify the grievance.

When we stew, reconciliation becomes nearly impossible.

Satan has sympathy with a spiteful and vengeful spirit—it is like his own!

III. Christ is God’s Gift.

A. Stop theft

B. Work Hard at what is good.

C. Give to those in need.

CONCLUSION

Satan is a liar, a murderer, and a thief. Don’t be like him!

DO you want a good day? Be like Christ, who is the Truth, Love, and God’s Gift.