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Did Jesus ever commit a sin? **2Co 5:21**

Did Jesus ever direct anyone to commit a sin? **Joh 14:12**

The answer of course is **"NO"**

Rom 12.2 Do not be conformed to this world BUT be ye transformed,

Yet Satan has hoodwinked or lied to the carnal Christians that Jesus turned water into alcohol. (wine)

Wine is the juice of the fruit of the vine, until it is left too long, then it begins to ferment or turn to alcohol. The longer you leave it, the stronger the alcohol content.

Lu 5:37-39 And no man putteth new wine into old bottles; else the new wine will burst the bottles, and be spilled, and the bottles shall perish. **38** But new wine must be put into new bottles; and both are preserved. **39** No man also having drunk old wine straightway desireth new: for he saith, The old is better.

Lets see what the scripture has to say about fermented wine or just plain old alcohol.

Ge 9:20-27 Noah is the first recorded, of what alcohol will do unto you and others. (since the flood) It brought a **CURSE**, and has been ever since, look at the broken homes through alcoholism, violence, people killed and just plain old **HURT**.

Pr 23:31 Look not thou upon the wine when it is red, when it giveth his color in the cup, **when it moveth** itself aright.

Pr 20:1 **Wine is a mocker**, strong drink is raging: and whosoever is deceived thereby is not wise.

Jud 13:7 But he said unto me, Behold, thou shalt conceive, and bear a son; and now drink no wine nor strong drink, neither eat any unclean thing: for the child shall be **a Nazarite** to God from the womb to the day of his death.

Pr 23:30 They that tarry **long at** the wine; they that go to seek mixed wine.

Jas 1:27 Pure religion and undefiled before God and the Father is this, To visit the fatherless and widows in their affliction, **and to keep himself unspotted from the world.**

Joh 17:14 I have given them thy word; and the world hath hated them, because they are **not of the world**, even as I am **not of the world**.

3Jo 11 Beloved, **follow not** that which is evil, but that which is good. He that doeth good is of God: but he that doeth evil hath not seen God.

Ex 23:2 **Thou shalt not follow a multitude to do evil**; neither shalt thou speak in a cause to decline after many to wrest judgment:

Joh 2:10 And saith unto him, Every man at the beginning doth set forth good wine; and when men have well drunk, then that which is worse: but thou hast **kept the** good wine until now.

Hab 2:15 Woe unto him that giveth his neighbour drink, that putteth thy bottle to him, and maketh him **drunken** also, that thou mayest look on their nakedness!

Ac 2:15 For these are not **drunken**, as ye suppose, seeing it is but the third hour of the day.

2Ti 4:3 For the time will come when they will not endure sound doctrine; but after their own lusts shall they heap to themselves teachers, **having itching** ears;

Look at an alcoholic, they will not admit to themselves (let alone someone else), that they have a problem. They don't think it effects anyone else, yet it does effect everyone around them, especially family.

People that have been delivered from it by God can immediately see how selfish they were.

Alcoholism is fueled by a demonic spirit, people can through AA overcome the drinking, but will never be free unless they ask Jesus to sets them free.

Joh 8:36 If the Son therefore shall make you free, ye shall be **free indeed**.

Trust this will give you a better understanding

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