

Are You Okay with This?

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It is but a few days after Superbowl 2026; I personally don't watch sports very often anymore; however, the Superbowl "Halftime Show" is in the news! As far as I am concerned, the corresponding news isn't very good. The first issue in the news is the fact that the entire halftime show was in Spanish! I have nothing against people speaking Spanish... Unless... they are speaking to me, as I do not speak Spanish. There was an estimated crowd of 70-Plus thousand in the arena for the game, but I feel safe in saying most of those attending did not speak Spanish either, being that the stadium is in the United States of America and the official language in America is still English (at least for now)! Although I consider this a very concerning trend, there was a more disturbing aspect of the halftime show; I watched the show after hearing about it so as not to be accused of basing my comments on hearsay. What I saw would have been rated "X" a few decades ago! To say the dancing was sexually explicit would be too kind... it was more like pornographic! The gyrations and moves of the dancers, both male and female, could not be mistaken to be illustrating anything but sexual intercourse. The lead singer was strutting around with his hand on his genitals reinforcing that apparent theme of the "performance." The visuals were bad enough, being that the audience, including the TV audience (numbering in the 10's of millions), undoubtedly included teenage viewers and young children. It was revealed in news reports that the lyrics were pornographic as well! I looked up the lyrics on line, and yeah... they were "pretty bad!" Perhaps the fact that most viewers couldn't understand what was being said was a blessing in disguise! Nevertheless, the point is, the whole program was nothing but Demonic Smut! I feel safe in saying, that most, if not all the participants in the show were probably demon possessed as well... the lead singer... definitely!

*Most people will blow it off saying, "it's just the times we live in, that's the way people talk now..." others simply try to ignore it... what am I talking about? On top of what took place during the Superbowl halftime show, I am talking about the foul language, and all the "Smut" we see and hear just about everywhere nowadays. It's on TV, Radio, On Line, even in general conversation! What is going on? Even government officials drop F-Bombs like there is nothing wrong with it!? I have even heard people claiming to be Christians using foul language as if it is normal! Years ago, there was this thing called respect! What happened to that? There is another term I remember... decency! What happened to that? Does God have anything to say about this topic? Yes, he does, and it is time we all took a closer look at this issue and did some self-evaluation in the process, **especially if we claim to be a Christian!** As always, I like to start out with the Word of God when considering issues such as these:*

Ephesians 4:29-32 (NKJV) ²⁹ Let no corrupt word proceed out of your mouth, but what is good for necessary edification, that it may impart grace to the hearers. ³⁰ And do not grieve the Holy Spirit of God, by whom you were sealed for the day of redemption. ³¹ Let all bitterness, wrath, anger,

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clamor, and evil speaking be put away from you, with all malice. ³² And be kind to one another, tenderhearted, forgiving one another, even as God in Christ forgave you.

We will unpack these passages some more as we go along but before we get into that, I would like to back up in time to the 1950's and 1960's, when I was growing up. I was born in 1951 and as a child I cannot ever recall hearing the "F-word," not ever! The earliest I heard the So-called F-bomb was around the time of "Woodstock" in the 60's! Occasionally, one might hear an adult slip with something starting with "S" or "D" when I was a child, but it was never part of "normal conversation" especially if there happened to be a lady or child present! Most of the time when foul language occurred, it usually involved a hammer" making contact" with a thumb, or some other extremity! As a child, I do remember this however, I occasionally repeated one of those foul words that I heard. It wasn't ignored or laughed at as happens all too often these days. The normally excepted punishment was having to suck on a bar of soap to cleanse the filth from the mouth of the guilty one. It wasn't especially flavorful, but it wasn't harmful, (millions of kids survived it including myself), and it did have the effect of making one careful to void certain words in the future, at least when mommy or daddy was around. Today the parents would probably have their children taken away, and they would be put in prison for child abuse for disciplining their child in such a way. You can pump your kids up with hormones and cut off their genitals, but washing their mouth out with soap? Naw... we can't have that! So, the modern trend is simply to ignore it when children speak profanity. Many people even think it's "cute" when they hear a child repeat such things! I remember seeing a child under 7 or 8 years old on a news report at one of those so-called "Peaceful Protests" holding a sign including the F-word! I recently heard of a young parent teaching their young child who was under 5 years of age how to say the "F-Bomb!" When I heard this, it made me sick to my stomach! Does God have anything to say about this topic? Yes, He does!

Proverbs 22:6 (NKJV) ⁶ Train up a child in the way he should go, **And when he is old he will not depart from it.** (*Emphasis Mine*)

Perhaps the latter part of this passage indicates how we got to where we are in our society. It is true. How you bring up your children can affect, or should I say, "infect," generations well into the future! The societies of the world, especially the society here in the U.S.A have been in a state of moral decline for decades. America is becoming more, and more like Sodom and Gomorrah with each passing day, and we all know what God thought about those two societies and what eventually happened to them! If you claim to be a Christian, first I want to tell you that many people who make that claim are not Christian at all! They think

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*they are, based on false teachings and false religions, but in “reality,” they don’t have a clue as to what it really means to be a Christian (or Christ Follower). If you challenge my assessment, please re-read the passage above **Ephesians 4:29-32** and do a little self-evaluation. How does your vocabulary fit in with the guidelines within these verses out of the Bible? How do your actions and reactions to others fit in with those guidelines? Do you still challenge my assessment? Yeah, we all fall short when it comes to doing things “our way” as opposed to God’s way, but if you think you can make things better by performing some ritual or just trying to do better next time, you are being deceived. To that young parent teaching their child how to say the F-Bomb, whoever he or she might be... one day you will stand before God and you will have to answer for that! You can believe that or not, but what you are teaching your child doesn’t line up with what the Word of God teaches, so time will tell! As a matter of fact, the Bible passage states that things like that “Grieve the Spirit of God!” Think again about Sodom and Gomorrah... God is patient and He is merciful, but there is a limit to His patience and mercy... trust me... you don’t want to experience His wrath! You may also want to consider the following passage as well:*

Matthew 18:6 (NKJV) Jesus Warns of Offenses ⁶ *But whoever causes one of these little ones who believe in Me to sin, it would be better for him if a millstone were hung around his neck, and he were drowned in the depth of the sea.*

All this filth being perpetrated within modern society is not funny... it is not cute seeing young children spouting off profanity... it is demonic! Nor is it funny or normal when adults spout off with profanity... that too is demonic! So, the title of this article asks a question, “Are You OK With This? Well, I now pose that question to you directly ... Are you Ok with This? If you are, it doesn’t appear you are a true Christ Follower. If you call yourself a Christian and the things presented in this article don’t bother you or make you uncomfortable, then perhaps you are just religious or deceived, and not really a Christian at all! Only you and God know what’s in your heart. So please... think about where you stand in your relationship with God and others. If you treat others with malice and disrespect, that is also not characteristic of a Christ Follower. Many people have been deceived into thinking they can play games with God, one day claiming to be Christian, and the next day spewing out F-Bombs and doing other things contrary to the Bible. After all, God is merciful and forgiving, so there’s plenty of time to get things right before you die – right? The reality is that your next breath might well be your last. So again, I ask the question, and it doesn’t matter if you claim to be a Christian or not... “Are You ok with This?” God is waiting for your answer.