

I. Ignorance “How stands it between God and your soul now?”

Ignorance: I think of God and Heaven.

Christian: So do _____.

Ignorance: But I think of them, and desire them.

Christian: So do many that _____.

Ignorance: But I think of them, and leave all for them.

Christian: To leave all is _____.

Ignorance: My heart tells me so.

Christian: The wise man says, _____.

Why does Christian say Ignorance has never had one good thought concerning his own self in his life?

What are good thoughts concerning our own ways?

Christian seems very harsh with this man, but notice what his faith is in:

Ignorance: I shall be justified before God, through his _____.

What does Ignorance hold as his authority for his point of view? _____

Christian rebukes Ignorance, calling his faith ‘fantastical ... false ... deceitful’ since true justifying faith depends on the righteousness from Christ alone, not on any righteousness of works from man.

Ignorance: This conceit would _____.

II. Discussion about Ignorance “I much pity this poor man”

How do such people respond to conviction of sin and fear of judgment?

Christian: They seek to _____.

Hopeful: “I do believe that fear _____.”

What are the benefits of true fear?

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

III. Mr. Temporary “a forward man in religion”

From the town of _____, next door to _____.

He had some sight of _____.

He was resolved to go on a pilgrimage, but he grew acquainted with one _____.

Hopeful gives four reasons why he turned back:

1. His mind was _____.

2. He had slavish fears of _____.

3. The _____ that attends religion lies _____.

4. Guilt is _____ to them.

“When they are rid of their awakenings, they _____.”

What essential thing do such men ‘want’ [lack], according to Christian?

_____.

Christian gives nine steps in turning back.

1. They draw off their thoughts from _____.

2. They cast off ‘private duties’ – what are these? _____

3. They shun _____

4. They grow cold to ‘public duty’ – what are these? _____.

5. They begin to _____.

6. They begin to adhere to and _____.

7. They give way to _____.

8. They play with _____.

9. Then, being hardened, they _____.

“If people see little sin in their heart, then their esteem of Christ’s work on the cross will be little, and there will also be little love of the Saviour.”¹

¹ Maureen Bradley, *The Pilgrim’s Progress Study Guide*, p. 98.