"WHAT IS TRUTH?"

Pontius Pilate, 33 A.D. (John 18:38)

Pontius Pilate asked that question in response to Jesus saying He had come to "bear witness to the truth."

People in our country, in our society, are still asking that same question today:

"WHAT IS TRUTH?"

In fact, people have been asking that same question for the last 2000 years.

There is, of course, absolutely no problem with asking the question. Rather, the problem is that too few people today care enough about the answer to even bother asking the question, much less make the effort to find the answer. Not enough people are seeking the truth, the whole truth. Either they don't care about truth, or they deny that there is such a thing as truth, or they just flat out hate the truth.



"People hate the truth for the sake of whatever it is they love more than the truth. They love truth when it shines warmly on them, and hate it when it rebukes them."

St. Augustine

MORAL VS RELIGIOUS TRUTHS.

This is especially true when it comes to moral and religious truth. Moral absolutes are denied and rejected. Morality is said to be purely subjective and entirely dependent upon what any given individual "feels" is right or wrong. The Ten Commandments no longer hold sway as objective moral standards, they have been replaced by one's purely subjective feelings.

BELIEFS, BASED ON WHAT?

And the religious beliefs of many are now no longer based on ancient truths and teachings, rather they are bound only by each individual's imagination and, within Christianity, man-made traditions and each person's private interpretation of the Bible. A new interpretation - a new belief. A new belief - quite possibly even a whole new denomination.

Who's right...who's wrong?
What is the truth? Who decides?



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