Follow the right _______________!

1. __________________________

2. The __________________ example (11-15)
   - Wickedness _______________ righteousness.
   - John 3:19-20

3. The __________________ example (16-18)
   - The ___________________ I can do (16)
     - Eph 5:25
     - 1 John 3:16

_Dying to Self_ (see back)

   - The ___________________ I can do (17-18)

**Dying to Self**

When you are forgotten, or neglected, or purposely set at naught and you don’t sting and hurt with the insult, but your heart is happy being counted worthy to suffer for Christ . . . that is DYING TO SELF.

When your good is evil spoken of, and when your wishes are crossed, or your advice disregarded, or your opinion ridiculed, and you refuse to let anger rise in your heart, or even defend yourself, but you take it all in patient, loving silence . . . that is DYING TO SELF.

When you lovingly and patiently bear any disorder, or irregularity, or annoyance; when you stand face-to-face with waste, folly, extravagance, spiritual insensibility, and you endure it as Christ endured . . . that is DYING TO SELF.

When you are content with any food, any offering, any climate, any society, any (clothing), any interruption by the will of God . . . that is DYING TO SELF.

When you never care to refer to yourself in conversation, or to record your own good words, or to itch after commendations, and when you can truly love to be unknown . . . that is DYING TO SELF.

When you can see your brother prosper and have his needs met, and you can honestly rejoice with him in spirit and feel no envy, or question God while your own needs are far greater and in desperate circumstances . . . that is DYING TO SELF.

When you can receive correction and reproof from one of less stature than yourself, and can humbly submit inwardly as well as outwardly, finding no rebellion or resentment rising up within your heart . . . that is DYING TO SELF.

---Anonymous

**Fighter Verses: Jan 14-20**

But whatever was to my profit I now consider loss for the sake of Christ. 8What is more, I consider everything a loss compared to the surpassing greatness of knowing Christ Jesus my Lord, for whose sake I have lost all things. I consider them rubbish, that I may gain Christ

Philippians 3:7-8