

## ACCUSATION

### Deuteronomy 19:16-19 (KJV)

<sup>16</sup> If a false witness rise up against any man to testify against him that which is wrong; <sup>17</sup> Then both the men, between who the controversy is, shall stand before the LORD, before the priests and the judges, which shall be in those days; <sup>18</sup> And the judges shall make diligent inquisition: and, behold, if the witness be a false witness, and hath testified falsely against his brother; <sup>19</sup> Then shall ye do unto him, as he had thought to have done unto his brother: so shalt thou put the evil away from among you.

### 1 Samuel 13:14 (AMP)

<sup>14</sup> But now your kingdom shall not continue; the Lord has sought out [David] a man after His own heart, and the Lord has commanded him to be prince and ruler over His people, because you have not kept what the Lord commanded you.

### Job 19:2 (NLT)

<sup>2</sup> “How long will you torture me? How long will you try to crush me with your words?”

### Proverbs 3:30 (KJV)

<sup>30</sup> Strive not with a man without cause, if he have done thee no harm.

### Matthew 5:11 (CEV)

<sup>11</sup> God will bless you when people insult you, mistreat you, and tell all kinds of evil lies about you because of me.

### Matthew 27:12 (NLT)

<sup>12</sup> But when the leading priests and the elders made their accusations against him, Jesus remained silent.

### Mark 14:56 (CEV)

<sup>56</sup> Many people did tell lies against Jesus, but they did not agree on what they said.

### Luke 6:7 (KJV)

<sup>7</sup> And the scribes and the Pharisees watched him, whether he would heal on the sabbath day; that they might find an accusation against him.

### Luke 12:11-12 (KJV)

<sup>11</sup> And when they bring you unto the synagogues, and unto magistrates, and powers, take ye no thought how or what thing ye shall answer, or what ye shall say: <sup>12</sup> For the Holy Ghost shall teach you in the same hour what ye ought to say.

### **John 8:3-11 (AMP)**

<sup>3</sup> When the scribes and Pharisees brought a woman who had been caught in adultery. They made her stand in the middle of the court and put the case before Him. <sup>4</sup> Teacher, they said, This woman has been caught in the very act of adultery. <sup>5</sup> Now Moses in the Law commanded us that such [women--offenders] shall be stoned to death. But what do You say [to do with her--what is Your sentence]? <sup>6</sup> This they said to try (test) Him, hoping they might find a charge on which to accuse Him. But Jesus stooped down and wrote on the ground with His finger. <sup>7</sup> However, when they persisted with their question, He raised Himself up and said, Let him who is without sin among you be the first to throw a stone at her. <sup>8</sup> Then He bent down and went on writing on the ground with His finger. <sup>9</sup> They listened to Him, and then they began going out, conscience-stricken, one by one, from the oldest down to the last one of them, till Jesus was left alone, with the woman standing there before Him in the center of the court. <sup>10</sup> When Jesus raised Himself up, He said to her, Woman, where are your accusers? Has no man condemned you? <sup>11</sup> She answered, No one, Lord! And Jesus said, I do not condemn you either. Go on your way and from now on sin no more.

### **Romans 2:1 (NLT)**

<sup>1</sup> You may think you can condemn such people, but you are just as bad, and you have no excuse! When you say they are wicked and should be punished, you are condemning yourself, for you who judge others do these very same things.

### **1 Timothy 5:19 (CEV)**

<sup>19</sup> Don't listen to any charge against a church leader, unless at least two or three people bring the same charges.

### **1 Peter 3:16 (CEV)**

<sup>16</sup> Give a kind and respectful answer and keep your conscience clear. This way you will make people ashamed for saying bad things about your good conduct as a follower of Christ.