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TOO WORLDLY?

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The "world" is defined as the cultures and ways since Adam and Eve that are directly under the influence of the enemy who is Satan; the antagonist of God the Most High. Since Believers belong to and represent the Most High, the *world* is a deadly antagonism against us, the Body of Christ. The Word of God tells us that we shouldn't adhere to the standards of the *world* but instead, we should let God change us inwardly by a complete change of our mind (Rom. 12:2). Wouldn't it benefit the enemy to fool the Body of Christ in blending with his way; the *world*, instead of Christ's way? Before Jesus ascended back to heaven, He prayed for the disciples and the future Body of Christ. He explained that we belong to both Him and the Father and that the *world* will hate us because we're not of it just as He isn't of it, but we can be sanctified or purified and blessed by the Father's truth, His Word.

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