



## **Scripture Nugget – Reaping the bad fruits of the current Moral Crisis**

*If then My people, upon whom My name has been pronounced, humble themselves and pray, and seek My face and turn from their evil ways, I will hear them from heaven and pardon their sins and heal their land (2 Chronicles 7:14).*

**What happens when a nation turns away from God.** *And since they did not see fit to acknowledge God, God handed them over to their undiscerning mind to do what is improper. They are filled with every form of wickedness, evil, greed, and malice; full of envy, murder, rivalry, treachery, and spite (Romans 1:28-29).* When the people of God turn away from Him, their hearts become hardened, and their minds darkened because they failed to receive God's graces. Deaf to the inspirations of the Holy Spirit, they turned inwards, creating a personal world in which their ego and interests become their purpose and fulfillment. Without the light of the Holy Spirit, their undiscerning minds cannot discern the difference between good and evil. They cannot lift their minds from attachment to earthly things. They themselves have become their own gods, and relativism their new morality. Falling prey to demonic deception, in their eyes, nothing is absolutely right or wrong, but what is right to them is what makes them happy. Thus, selfishness, rebellion and division replace the natural law of goodwill and justice, and spawn bad fruits which we witness as theft, fraud, murder, rape, violence, rioting, arson, lying, deceitfulness, discrimination of all sorts including racism, impurity of all sorts. Currently, the world is witnessing a big sexual revolution regarding homosexuality and transgender ideology. These are false movements propped up by political correctness and fed by selfish passions that have gone out of control. Scripture has prophesized this. *They exchanged the truth of God for a lie and revered and worshiped the creature rather than the Creator, who is blessed forever. Amen. Therefore, God handed them over to degrading passions. Their females exchanged natural relations for unnatural, and the males likewise gave up natural relations with females and burned with lust for one another (Romans 1:25-27).*

**God has the solution to everything.** With God nothing is impossible (cf. Luke 1:37). God has made mankind supreme over all His other creatures. God has given mankind great gifts in all the different levels but it has served to make man more proud of himself. The pride and disobedience of man continue to be the downfall of the human race as it had been for our first parents and Lucifer (Satan), the fallen archangel. God asks us to seek first His Kingdom, then all things will be given to us (cf. Matthew 16:33). His Kingdom and His Commandments are founded on holy love. God commands us to love Him and others for the sake of Him. He gives us His only begotten Son, Jesus Christ for our eternal salvation, and His commandments which are eternal guiding lights that will help us walk on the true path. Only through holy love and God's grace can we overcome all evil and our fallen human nature.

**Conversation with Jesus:** Precious Lord, come and heal our lands. The world You created is in abject misery. People and nations have rejected Your Presence and some even outlaw Your teachings. Humbly, with a contrite heart, I seek Your forgiveness for all the sins committed against You, starting with my own sins. I offer my life united to Your Passion for the salvation of all souls. Through Your sorrow in the Garden of Gethsemane, please send the Spirit of repentance over the whole world so that all of us poor sinners can weep for our sins and experience Your forgiveness and healing. Mary, Mother of Salvation, pray for us. Thank You, Jesus. Praise You, Jesus.