

Where do you feel at home

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Introduction

- 1) Genesis 18:16-25
- 2) This is the destruction of Sodom and Gomorrah
- 3) The Lord was at Abraham's house but sent angels to Lot's house Genesis 19:1-2
- 4) Would the Lord feel at home at your house or someone else's?
- 5) A few more righteous souls might have made a difference.
- 6) What was the population of these two cities – no one knows
- 7) How can we make a difference

II Discussion

- i) You be righteous
 - (1) God destroyed these cities because of sin Genesis 19:24-25
 - (2) There is a "but" in this Genesis 19:15;
 - (3) Lot was righteous in all the sin that was around him 2 Peter 2:7
 - (4) He never participated in their sins vexed or oppressed
 - (5) Lot was their judge Genesis 19:9
- ii) How can we be righteous
 - (1) Love God Matthew 22:37-39
 - (2) Have the proper appearance 1 Peter 3:3-4
 - (3) Adding the fruit of the Spirit Galatians 5:22-23
 - (4) Love for others, neighbors Matthew 22:39; 28:19-20
- iii) Help others, your family be righteous Genesis 19:12
 - (1) During the time of Sodom and Gomorrah there was no respect Genesis 19:4,
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 - (2) We are to have respect of others, Romans 13, Philippians 2:3
 - (3) Let us not reject Christ and His authority Matthew 28:18; John 12:48
 - (4) Let us obey God Genesis 19:16
 - (5) How do we obey God
 - (a) Flee fornication 1 Corinthians 6:18
 - (b) Flee idolatry 1 Corinthians 10:14
 - (c) Flee 1 Timothy 6:9-12
 - (d) We need to consider more than the worldly Genesis 13:10-11; 1 John 2:15-
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III Conclusion

1. We can be righteous in a very wicked world
2. We can begin right where we are
3. We can help others

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