

True or False

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Matthew 7:15 NLT

Beware of false prophets who come disguised as harmless sheep but are really vicious wolves.

"the most important thing is who you are becoming"

Matthew 7:16-20 NLT

You can identify them by their fruit, that is, by the way they act. Can you pick grapes from thorn bushes, or figs from thistles? A good tree produces good fruit, and a bad tree produces bad fruit. A good tree can't produce bad fruit, and a bad tree can't produce good fruit. So every tree that does not produce good fruit is chopped down and thrown into the fire. Yes, just as you can identify a tree by its fruit, so you can identify people by their actions.

Matthew Henry

Men are known, not by particular acts, but by the course and tenor of their conversations, and by the more frequent acts, especially those that appear to be free, and most their own, and least under the influence of external motives.

Character always catches up to you...

Matthew 7: 21-23 NLT

"Not everyone who calls out to me, 'Lord! Lord!' will enter the Kingdom of Heaven. Only those who actually do the will of my Father in heaven will enter. On judgment day many will say to me, 'Lord! Lord! We prophesied in your name and cast out demons in your name and performed many miracles in your name.' But I will reply, 'I never knew you. Get away from me, you who break God's laws.'

John 15:5 NLT *I am the vine; you are the branches.*

Acts 17:11-12 NLT

And the people of Berea were more open-minded than those in Thessalonica, and they listened eagerly to Paul's message. They searched the Scriptures day after day to see if Paul and Silas were teaching the truth. As a result, many Jews believed, as did many of the prominent Greek women and men.

Apprenticeship Prayer Partner Questions:

Who are the influences that I am allowing to shape my life? Who do I spend time with, listen to or watch?

Do the ideas, practices and values of those voices I am paying attention to line up with our understanding of the scripture and encourage the growth of good fruit in my life?

