

WHY SHOULD YOU ATTEND THE CHURCH OF GOD

BECAUSE—The name “Church of God” is the only Bible name given to the church Jesus built. **1 Corinthians 1:2** “Unto the **Church of God** which is at Corinth.” **Acts 20:28** “...To feed the **Church of God** which he hath purchased with His own blood.” And **1 Timothy 3:15** “Which is the Church of the living God, the pillar and ground of the truth.”

BECAUSE—You cannot join it. To get in it you must be born again. Jesus said in John 3:7 “Ye must be born again.” In Hebrews 12:23 “To the general assemble and Church of the First-Born and in Acts 2:47 “And the Lord added to the church daily such as should be saved.”

BECAUSE—When you are born into it, you become a member of it. Like in any other family, by birth you become a member, so, in the New Birth you become a member of God’s big family (children take the Father’s name) which includes all the saved in heaven and earth. Ephesians 3:15 “Of whom the whole family in heaven and earth is named.” This includes all who are saved and excludes all who are not.

BECAUSE—The church record is kept in heaven. Psalm 87:5-6 “And of Zion it shall be said, this and that man was born in her: and the Highest himself shall establish her. The Lord shall count when He writeth up the people; that this man was born there.” When you become born again your name is written in Heaven in the Lamb’s book of Life. Revelation 21:27 “And there shall in no wise enter into it anything that defileth, neither worketh abomination, or maketh a lie; but they which are written in the Lamb’s Book of Life.” When you sin God blots you out of His book. In Exodus 32:33 “And the Lord said unto Moses, Whosoever hath sinned against me, him will I blot out of my book.” This eliminates the hypocrites.

BECAUSE—Jesus said, Matthew 16:18 “The gates of hell shall not prevail against it.” It, the Church of God, shall stand! She has come through many battles and storms down through the ages, but God keeps His Church!

BECAUSE—It is the only church Jesus Built! Some take the name while others make the attempt, but only God can build the church. Psalm 127:1 “Except the Lord build the house, they labor in vain that build it. Except the Lord keep the city the Watchman waketh but in vain.” And in John 10:1 Jesus said, “**Verily, verily, I say unto you, He that entereth not by the door into the sheepfold, but climbeth up some other way, the same is a thief and a robber.**” Many churches want to be called “God’s church,” they say, “We are all the churches of God” but they want to do their own thing and have their own

doctrine. They accept what they want and leave out the rest. We are to take the whole Book and obey what God's word tells us. We must leave out our opinions, and obey what the Bible teaches. Ezekiel 12:28 "...But the word which I have spoken shall be done, saith the Lord God." And John 12:48 "He that rejecteth me, and receiveth not my words, hath one that judgeth him: the word that I have spoken, the same shall judge him in the last day."

BECAUSE—The Church of God is the only church which accepts the entire Bible and the Bible only for her name, Her law (no other creed or discipline), Her mode of entrance for her members (John 14:6 "Jesus saith unto him, **I am the way, the truth, and the life: no man cometh unto the Father, but by me.**") It is the only church that accepts Jesus Christ as Her head, and for her character.

"The stone which the builders rejected, the same is become the head of the corner."

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