## **Connotations**

It is sin is if we are not communicating with our brothers. Knowing what is the right thing to do and not doing it is sin. Then the spirit is not released to our soul.

We are spirit, soul, and brain (and the soul through the brain regulates the body). All three need to be redeemed. If you have been thinking bad thoughts, then communication with your brothers is cut off. Faith comes from hearing — if we hear from our Father in heaven. Jn 17:8 — YAHSHUA tells us what the Father tells him. Faith comes from hearing — hearing our Father speak to us (Rom 10:17).

Before our Master could cure anyone, he had to hear from His Father. He only did what His Father said. There are so many things that keep us from hearing. So if we are in sin (doing what we know is the wrong thing to do or the opposite — not doing what we know we should do), we cannot hear.

Connotation is the meaning behind what you said or did. You couldn't do it outright, but you did something that gave a connotation. Only *you* know that you did it — or maybe the person you did it to. Connotation — suggested through hearing or through something you did, it's associated with something else. Like maybe it's the way you touch someone. Maybe they don't know, but you know. Maybe it's the way you say things. It gives you pleasure. You did it without doing it. You can go to the Amazon on TV without really going there. You can't really experience it, but you experience it in a hidden way. This grows like leaven in the Body. Don't be the object of someone's sexual connotations.

Outside influence can come in and corrupt our children. "Underground language" could come in here too, so be careful.

Connotations, associative implications, are very clever. Some people are clever, very subtle. Satan implied that God was unjust without really saying it. It's like a cat — it worms it's way into your life. But it's selfish. All it wants is to be petted and fed without doing anything for you. It will make you pay if you don't do it. It's the nature of a cat.

These sexual connotations have a language of their own. It's like an adultery going on, but indirect. Beyond the literal in the explicit sense. But Eph 5:3 — there must not even be a hint of immorality. Because the result is that no one who does these things will enter the kingdom of Messiah. Let no one deceive you with vain words... We have a foundation here. Don't let this come into the foundation. Doesn't it say to expose it? (verse 11 and 12)

Subliminal communication — a parallel being communicated on the side while another thing is being communicated. Communication behind the scene.

**Nahaliel**: The human being doesn't only communicate with words, but with all his ways, his looks, gestures. Sooner or later he will betray himself. Sometimes people lie with their words but you can tell that they are lying by their way.

We have to be pure. Perfectly pure. Only those who are will see God. Blessed are the pure in heart for they shall see God (Mt 5:8). Let's not fall when we are tempted. How do we not sin? By going to the throne of grace. What is grace?

Yael: Something that clothes us — the power to do what we ought to.

Let's not tolerate anything. Your conscience knows. When you are baptized it's an appeal to God for a good conscience. You know everything. The spirit of man knows everything.

If we are asleep, the enemy might be planting a tare.

We bear with people's faults but not with rebellion.

We want people who have joy, peace, love...

There is a difference between people who just believe in their head or those who believe in their heart. Sooner or later it becomes obvious.

*Rev* 12:11 — The enemy is an accuser, the accuser of the brothers — night and day. Are you ready to say no to these accusations? It's a battle between the flesh and spirit.

Are you ready to take up your cross for the rest of your life? Yes.