

"Hey Pastor, I Have a Question"

What Does the Bible Say About Christians Consuming Alcohol?

Selected Scriptures

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"God's Word uses various approaches to teach, instruct, warn and command regarding the consumption of alcoholic beverages".

- I. Stories Involving the Use of Alcohol
 - a. Genesis 14:18-20
 - b. John 2:1-10

- II. Specific Cautions About Alcohol
 - a. Proverbs 23:29-35
 - b. Romans 14:19-23
 - c. Ephesians 5:17-20

- III. Negative Stories Involving Alcohol
 - a. Genesis 9:20-27
 - b. Genesis 19:30-38
 - c. 1 Sameul 25:36-44

- IV. The Helpful Use of Alcohol
 - a. 1 Timothy 5:23
 - b. Proberbs 31:6-7
 - c. Luke 10:30-39

- V. The Forbidden Use of Alcohol
 - a. Leviticus 10:8-9
 - b. Numbers 6:1-4
 - c. Judges 13:1-4

VI. Final Takeaways

- a. The Bible does not explicitly _____ drinking alcoholic beverages, except in certain, specific _____.
- b. The Bible repeatedly _____ drunkenness.
- c. The Bible repeatedly issues _____ about alcohol.
- d. The Bible has many stories where alcoholic beverages have a _____ impact.
- e. The Bible has stories where _____ is mentioned incidentally.
- f. The Bible _____ Christians on the _____ of alcohol primarily for the good of other believers.
- g. For me, there is too much at stake in the _____, _____ and _____ of the Gospel to be a part of my family's life. Therefore, it will not be.

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