Eat That I Give Thee

Ezek 2.1-8

1. Preoccupation with eating right

- a. junk food v. wholesome nutrition
- b. attitudes toward eating vary careful to the careless
- c. in religion have to apply the same principle junk food v. nutrition
- d. labeling and nutrition statements (McDonalds) more conscious now (KFC)

2. Have to be aware of what is being served

- a. Gen 3.3-6 saw that the tree was good for food
- b. **Matt 4.4** doth not live by bread alone ...
- c. Acts 20.26-27 all the counsel of God
- d. Acts 17.11 searched the scriptures daily (many make claims)

3. Have to be aware of who is cooking

- a. Gen 3.4 the serpent said ...
- b. Acts 20.29 greivous wolves enter in
- c. Matt 24.24 false Christs ...to deceive
- d. 1 John 4.1 many false prophets are gone out into the world

4. Have to be aware of how it is being served

- a. 1 Tim 6.3-4 consent not to wholesome words ... he is proud
- b. 1 Cor 2.4-5 not with enticing words of man's wisdom
- c. 2 Pet 2.17-18 they speak great swelling words of vanity ...
- d. 2 Cor 11.3 your minds should be corrupted from the simplicity ...

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2. Have to be aware of what is being served

- Gen 3.3-6 But of the fruit of the tree which is in the midst of the garden, God hath said, Ye shall not eat of it, neither shall ye touch it, lest ye die. 4: And the serpent said unto the woman, Ye shall not surely die: 5: For God doth know that in the day ye eat thereof, then your eyes shall be opened, and ye shall be as gods, knowing good and evil. 6: And when the woman saw that the tree was good for food, and that it was pleasant to the eyes, and a tree to be desired to make one wise, she took of the fruit thereof, and did eat, and gave also unto her husband with her; and he did eat.
- **Matt 4.4** But he answered and said, It is written, Man shall not live by bread alone, but by every word that proceedeth out of the mouth of God.
- **Acts 20.26-27** Wherefore I take you to record this day, that I am pure from the blood of all men. 27: For I have not shunned to declare unto you all the counsel of God.
- **Acts 17.11** These were more noble than those in Thessalonica, in that they received the word with all readiness of mind, and searched the scriptures daily, whether those things were so.

3. Have to be aware of who is cooking

- **Gen 3.4** And the serpent said unto the woman, Ye shall not surely die:
- Acts 20.29 For I know this, that after my departing shall grievous wolves enter in among you, not sparing the flock.
- Matt 24.24 For there shall arise false Christs, and false prophets, and shall shew great signs and wonders; insomuch that, if it were possible, they shall deceive the very elect.
- **1 John 4.1** Beloved, believe not every spirit, but try the spirits whether they are of God: because many false prophets are gone out into the world.

4. Have to be aware of how it is being served

- **1 Tim 6.3-4** If any man teach otherwise, and consent not to wholesome words, even the words of our Lord Jesus Christ, and to the doctrine which is according to godliness; 4: He is proud, knowing nothing, but doting about questions and strifes of words, whereof cometh envy, strife, railings, evil surmisings,
- 1 Cor 2.4-5 And my speech and my preaching was not with enticing words of man's wisdom,

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but in demonstration of the Spirit and of power: 5: That your faith should not stand in the wisdom of men, but in the power of God.

- **2 Pet 2.17-18** These are wells without water, clouds that are carried with a tempest; to whom the mist of darkness is reserved for ever. 18: For when they speak great swelling words of vanity, they allure through the lusts of the flesh, through much wantonness, those that were clean escaped from them who live in error.
- **2 Cor 11.3** But I fear, lest by any means, as the serpent beguiled Eve through his subtilty, so your minds should be corrupted from the simplicity that is in Christ.