

# We Don't Celebrate Christmas

1. Because . . . the LORD condemns using pagan religious practices in His worship (Deut 12:29-31).
2. Because . . . the LORD condemns adding to or taking away from His commandments (Deut 12:32).
3. Because . . . the LORD condemns doing anything under green trees in His worship (Deut 12:1-4).
4. Because . . . the LORD condemns the heathen use of decorated trees at a solstice (Jeremiah 10:1-4).
5. Because . . . the LORD commands us to separate from and not touch pagan religion (II Cor 6:14-18).
6. Because . . . the LORD commands us to come out of Roman Catholicism and her sins (Rev 18:4).
7. Because . . . the LORD condemns turning to the left or right from His commandments (Deu 5:32-33).
8. Because . . . the LORD told the apostles to teach us to observe only His commandments (Matt 28:20).
9. Because . . . the LORD rejected David's worship for a small detail and killed Uzzah (II Sam 6:1-10).
10. Because . . . the LORD rejected and killed Nadab and Abihu for offering different fire (Lev 10:1-7).
11. Because . . . the LORD rejected Moses from seeing Canaan for a slight modification (Num 20:12).
12. Because . . . the LORD rejected Cain's worship simply for bringing an alternative sacrifice (Gen 4:7).
13. Because . . . the LORD rejected Saul forever for noble intentions in a modification (I Sam 15:22-23).
14. Because . . . the LORD rejected Uzziah and gave him facial leprosy for a new idea (II Chr 26:16-21).
15. Because . . . the LORD rejected and killed Ananias and his wife for fudging a large gift (Acts 5:1-11).
16. Because . . . the LORD requires reverence and godly fear in worship to avoid His fire (He 12:28-29).
17. Because . . . the LORD seeks true worshippers to worship Him in truth, not superstition (Jn 4:23-24).
18. Because . . . the LORD commands us to earnestly contend for the faith once delivered (Jude 1:3).
19. Because . . . the LORD requires us to esteem all His precepts but to hate all other ideas (Ps 119:128).
20. Because . . . the LORD commands us to prove all things by Scripture and reject the bad (I Thes 5:21).
21. Because . . . the LORD expects us to be noble and search Scripture to know true worship (Ac 17:11).
22. Because . . . the LORD gave Scripture to perfect us, which does not mention Xmas (II Tim 3:16-17).
23. Because . . . the LORD curses any gospel different than Paul's, and he didn't preach xmas (Ga 1:8-9).
24. Because . . . the LORD condemns fellowship with men having only a form of godliness (II Tim 3:5).
25. Because . . . the LORD condemns loving pleasure more than God as perilous times (II Timothy 3:4).
26. Because . . . the LORD condemns anything different from His Word as dark ignorance (Isaiah 8:20).
27. Because . . . the LORD abominates anything popular with the world and esteemed by it (Luke 16:15).
28. Because . . . the LORD condemns friendship with the world as becoming His enemy (James 4:4).
29. Because . . . the LORD condemns traditions in His worship as evil and vain hypocrisy (Mark 7:5-13).
30. Because . . . the LORD hates the polluting of His glorious name with pagan idolatry (Ezekiel 20:39).
31. Because . . . the LORD condemns the superstitious idolatry and blasphemy of the Mass (I Cor 11:26).
32. Because . . . the LORD condemns bringing any item of false religion into our houses (Deut 7:25-26).
33. Because . . . the LORD commands us not to set up any image, which He hates (De 16:22; Ex 20:4-6).
34. Because . . . the LORD hates religion that goes under green trees (I Kings 14:23; Isaiah 57:5; Jer 3:6).
35. Because . . . the LORD condemns adopting any practices of the pagans around us (Leviticus 18:1-4).
36. Because . . . the LORD condemns sun worship (Deu 4:19; 17:3; II Kgs 23:5; Job 31:26-28; Eze 8:16).
37. Because . . . the LORD endorses only apostolic traditions, and they never celebrated it (II Thes 2:15).
38. Because . . . the LORD is honored by gifts to Him rather than a selfish exchange of gifts (Matt 2:11).
39. Because . . . the LORD teaches us to remember His death rather than His birth (Phil 3:10; I Cor 15:3).
40. Because . . . the LORD gave baptism and His supper to remember His death (Rom 6:3-5; I Co 11:26).
41. Because . . . the LORD resents the hatred of pagans who exchange gifts against His men (Rev 11:10).
42. Because . . . the LORD condemns "the spirit of Christmas" as another spirit He hates (II Cor 11:1-4).
43. Because . . . the LORD condemns a mother and child wearing halos as another Jesus (II Cor 11:1-4).
44. Because . . . the LORD condemns a tradition glorifying sun worship as another gospel (II Co 11:1-4).
45. Because . . . the LORD loves us to give up dear things as proof of our love to Him (Matt 10:37-39).
46. Because . . . the LORD did not come to bring peace on earth but rather a dividing sword (Mat 10:34).

47. Because . . . the LORD blessed giving over receiving, but Xmas is selfish exchanging (Acts 20:35).
48. Because . . . the LORD calls Jewish holy days matters of liberty, but not pagan holidays (Col 2:16).
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50. Because . . . the LORD considers the birth of His Son worthy of honor rather than folly (Heb 1:6).
51. Because . . . only two gospels record Christ's birth, while all four gospels record His death and burial.
52. Because . . . celebrating Christmas sincerely is identical to Jeroboam's two calves (I Kings 12:26-33).
53. Because . . . Aaron led Israel to worship the LORD with a golden calf to their judgment (Ex 32:1-5).
54. Because . . . it breaks the first commandment by having other gods – the sun god Mithra (Ex 20:3).
55. Because . . . it breaks the second commandment by having images – a Christmas tree (Ex 20:4-6).
56. Because . . . it breaks the third commandment by taking His name in vain – “Christmas” (Ex 20:7).
57. Because . . . it breaks the fifth commandment by promoting children's greed over parents (Ex 20:12).
58. Because . . . it breaks the tenth commandment by promoting covetousness to children (Ex 20:17).
59. Because . . . many Baptist martyrs gave their lives to oppose Catholic superstitions and traditions.
60. Because . . . it was a crime to observe Christmas in America, when our country truly feared God.
61. Because . . . it was a crime to observe Christmas in England, when that country truly feared God.
62. Because . . . all the God-hating, Christ-denying, and sin-loving pagans get excited about this day.
63. Because . . . Santa Claus is a pagan mockery of God the Father with white hair, grandfatherly image, eternal, lives in the North, unlimited resources, omniscient of children's behavior, omnipresent for a night, hears confessions, comes as a thief, blesses children, and distributes judgment for works.
64. Because . . . the name Christmas came from “Mass of Christ,” and Christians hate the Catholic mass.
65. Because . . . every sincere birthday party honors the one born that day rather than all the mere guests.
66. Because . . . a gift exchange dictated by a calendar is not a message of love but a ritual of obligation.
67. Because . . . a gift exchange at the winter solstice was invented by pagans to celebrate the sun god.
68. Because . . . Christianity is giving gifts unexpected without obligation to reciprocate (Luke 14:12-14).
69. Because . . . secular encyclopedias will gladly tell you that Christmas came from pagan sun worship.
70. Because . . . the first state in our Bible-oriented country to make it a holiday was Alabama in 1836.
71. Because . . . a little drummer boy did not travel to the manger to play his drum for the infant Jesus.
72. Because . . . for the two centuries following the Pilgrims, Christians in America called it “popish.”
73. Because . . . English parliament under Oliver Cromwell outlawed it in 1644 and punished violaters.
74. Because . . . loving Jesus Christ is keeping His commandments, not decorating a tree (John 14:15).
75. Because . . . you cannot do unto the LORD what the LORD has condemned (Deut 12:1-4; 12:29-32).
76. Because . . . Christmas is not a matter of liberty left up to our consciences and/or heart preferences.
77. Because . . . true followers of God will not follow a multitude or majority to false worship (Ex 23:2).
78. Because . . . Xmas is most adored by women, whom God calls silly and weak (II Tim 3:6; I Pet 3:7).
79. Because . . . a time of unbridled greed, covetousness, and materialism cannot honor Jesus Christ.
80. Because . . . this unique holy day in the Roman Catholic calendar is exalted by three profane masses.
81. Because . . . the world loves a Jesus helpless in a manger, but God's Christ is the LORD and Judge.
82. Because . . . on Christmas Eve the Pope of Rome conducts a special mass seen by much of the earth.
83. Because . . . godly parents don't lie to their children about a Roman Catholic myth named Nicholas.
84. Because . . . the Bible is totally silent about using this day or any such celebration to honor Christ.
85. Because . . . the gospel according to Christmas tradition, cards, and plays corrupts the Bible facts.
86. Because . . . the Pilgrims in 1620, seeking to worship God in truth, formally banned the holiday.
87. Because . . . the Puritans in 1659, seeking to worship God in truth, set a 5 shillings fine for keeping it.
88. Because . . . the modern Christmas tree was not introduced to this country by Germans until 1821.
89. Because . . . Jesus was not born in December, for one-half year back from Passover is rather October.
90. Because . . . Jesus was not born in December, for shepherds did not stay in the fields during winter.
91. Because . . . Jesus was not born in December, for taxation would not have been in the dead of winter.
92. Because . . . Jesus was not born in December, for wise taxation would have been shortly after harvest.
93. Because . . . Jesus was not born in December, for careful calculation of the priest's courses exclude it.
94. Because . . . the Roman feast at the winter solstice was to the sun god Mithras from the Persians.

95. Because . . . the Roman, extended feast prior to the winter solstice was to Saturn, god of agriculture.
96. Because . . . so many consider Christmas a “sacred cow” and beyond questioning or condemning.
97. Because . . . our past lives suffice us for lusts, excess of wine, revellings, and banquetings (I Pet 4:3).
98. Because . . . Emperor Aurelian picked December 25 for this holiday in 274 to worship the sun god.
99. Because . . . pagan sun worshippers had a great festival to the sun at the winter solstice before Jesus.
100. Because . . . it would be wrong to have a golden calf with candles to worship the Lord our Strength.
101. Because . . . the public schools in Boston were still open for classes on December 25 as late as 1870.
102. Because . . . the “birthday of the invincible sun” (dies natalis Solis invicti) was this date in Rome.
103. Because . . . December 25 was chosen by being the date of the winter solstice in the Julian calendar.
104. Because . . . Satan uses this pagan feast to steal glory from the Son of God for ignorant sun worship.
105. Because . . . Christmas American-style is oppression of parents by greedy children (Isaiah 3:1-5,12).
106. Because . . . Jesus promised that the majority are on the wrong road leading to death (Matt 7:13-14).
107. Because . . . Charles Spurgeon, the most popular Baptist minister, preached against it as late as 1871.
108. Because . . . all the unique customs of Christmas may be traced individually to pagan religious rites.
109. Because . . . Hindus, Jews, Mormons, Pagans, and other cults celebrate it while despising Jesus.
110. Because . . . it perverts Scripture’s silence to justify anything not expressly forbidden i.e. Coke and chips for the Lord’s supper, male strippers for fundraisers, and ouija boards for difficult decisions.
111. Because . . . it creates the most foolish, hectic, stressful, guilt-ridden, and unproductive time of year.
112. Because . . . the LORD is a jealous God and will judge any playing with other gods (Ex 34:12-16).
113. Because . . . New Testament charity may accommodate weakness, but it cannot error (Romans 14:1).
114. Because . . . the moderation taught in the New Testament is temperance or self-discipline (Phil 4:5).
115. Because . . . it would be identical to offering incense to the brasen serpent of Moses (II Kings 18:4).
116. Because . . . the only day observed by the apostles was the Lord’s day (Re 1:10; Ac 20:7; I Cor 16:2).
117. Because . . . we choose to emulate Jacob, who put away family idols to worship God (Gen 35:1-5).
118. Because . . . we choose to emulate Jehu, who defiled Baal worship to please God (II Kings 10:26-28).
119. Because . . . we choose to emulate Josiah, who defiled all pagan worship to please God (II Kings 23).
120. Because . . . we choose to emulate Asa, who defiled his mother’s favorite idol (II Chron 15:12-16).
121. Because . . . we would also reject our wives from keeping pictures and birthdays of past boyfriends.