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Many times people come to me in hopes that I can help them solve some problem of life. Others often seek my advice to help with their job, finances, marriage, and other relationships of life. On rare occasions, I find that some people have already made up their minds as to what platform of counsel they will and will not entertain. I find very little success when faced with someone who has already closed the door to effective remedies simply because they don't want to do it. We are often unwilling to hear what we are unwilling to do.

Ask yourself the question: "Am I closed minded to God's Word or to godly counsel no matter its demand?" What remedy are you unwilling to hear? I counsel you, do not refuse your only hope of help ... hear the Word of the Lord and repent.

Prayer for Today

Dear Heavenly Father, open up my mind to Your Word, will, and way. Challenge me with godly counsel so that I may choose you in all I do.

Scriptures for Today

John 6:60, 66 Therefore many of His disciples, when they heard this, said, "This is a hard saying; who can understand it?" From that time many of His disciples went back and walked with Him no more. (NKJV)

Matthew 19:21-22 Jesus said to him, "If you want to be perfect, go, sell what you have and give to the poor, and you will have treasure in heaven; and come, follow Me." But when the young man heard that saying, he went away sorrowful, for he had great possessions. (NKJV)