

THE SWORD OF THE SPIRIT

Sin Begins In The Heart

Where does sin begin? Some have excused their sin by saying, "It just happened." Others have made excuses that a sinful act came out of nowhere and they had no choice or that they were born a certain way. Sin does not happen by accident. Sin begins in the heart. In Matthew 5:28, Jesus said, "*But I say to you that everyone who looks at a woman with lustful intent **has already committed adultery with her in his heart.***" Jesus is telling His disciples that sin doesn't just, "come out of nowhere." Sin begins when you start to conceive the possibility in your heart. People do not wake

up one morning and decide to commit murder, cheat on their spouse, or start taking drugs. Men and women engage in sinful conduct after they have already entertained the thought of those activities in their hearts. Just as sin doesn't come about by accident, neither does following God's word. If you wish to start serving God, you have to make a plan to do so. Start by becoming a Christian as God has revealed (Acts 2:37-38). Then, work on storing up God's word in your heart rather than the sinful thoughts of Satan (Psa. 119:11).

Service Times:

Sunday: 10 am,
10:45 am & 5 pm
Wednesday: 7 pm

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