Luke 17:1



- Jesus reminds his followers that they have a spiritual responsibility towards others.
- This passage of scripture makes us aware that our actions and behaviors can be an influence on others.
- In this instance, we must be cautious not to steer people towards sin.
- Jesus emphatically says, "Pay attention to yourselves!" In other words, <u>think about what you are doing</u>.

Woe to us when we tempt others to sin because of.....

IMMODEST CLOTHING

Eph. 5:3

Gal. 5:19-21

Consider the word "lasciviousness." It means, " "arousing sexual desire."

I Tim. 2:9-10- If you are dressing this way then you are not professing godliness.

Woe to us when we tempt others to sin because of.....

IMMORAL HABITS

Eph. 5:3,5

Paul lists: sexual immorality, impurity, covetousness

1. Pornography

2. Showing that things are more important than God. Lying and cheating to get what you want.

Woe to us when we tempt others to sin because of.....

INAPPROPRIATE CONVERSATIONS

Eph. 5:4

Vulgar language

Gossip

Irreverent references to God

Woe to us when we tempt others to sin because of.....

IRRESPONSIBLE BEHAVIOR

Eph. 5:15-17

Not taking our Christianity seriously enough.

Demonstrating for others by our actions or inaction that full commitment to Christ is optional.

We may try not to do bad but are we pursuing good?

Woe to us when we tempt others to sin because of.....

IMMATURE ATTITUDES

Eph. 5:21

- We are told to submit to one another out of reverence for Christ.
- We demand our wants. We careless what elders say.

Spiritually mature people look for ways to be selfless and submissive.