

The Deadly Sin of Pride

The 5 P's Series

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CS Lewis wrote "The greatest sin in the modern world is pride.

1. **Pride is Something God _____ .**
 - A. When He tempted Adam and Eve, it was "you will be like God" That's pride
 - B. Ps. 101:5b "*whoever has haughty eyes and a proud heart, I will not tolerate.*"
 - C. Prov. 16:5 "*The LORD detests all the proud of heart.*"

2. **Pride leads to _____ .**
 - A. Prov. 16:18 "*Pride goes before destruction, a haughty spirit before a fall.*"
 - B. Even the ungodly hate a proud and arrogant person
 - C. *Example #1 King Amaziah (2 Chronicles 25)*

3. **Pride Pushes you to do the _____ .**
 - A. *Example #2 King UZIAH 2 Chronicles 26*

4. **Pride is an elusive _____ .**
 - A. it builds up a little at a time
 - B. You don't even see it or notice it
 - C. Do you think Cain just out of the blue one day decided to kill his only brother?

5. **Pride Prevents _____ .**
 - A. God gave both kings a chance God sent a priest to help straighten them out
 - B. Who has God sent your way to help you get rid of your cancerous pride?

So, What can we do about this cancer?

6. **Pride can be _____ with**
 - A. Beware of spiritual _____ .
 - B. Replace your sense of power with _____ .
 - C. Ask God to open your _____ and show you your pride