

THE GOOD & BEAUTIFUL LIFE



***The BIG Idea: Living In The Kingdom Of God
Means Learning To Live Without Lying &
Cursing The Cursers - Matthew 5:33-48***

Learning To Live Without Lying.

(Matthew 5:33-37)

False Narrative – I Need To _____ To Get _____

- I don't want to deal with someone's hurt _____.
- It was just a white lie. I meant no _____.
- If I told the truth, I would get in _____.
- The ends _____ the means.

Two Things That Drive Us To Lie

- Desire – We lie when we think we might _____ something we _____.
- Fear – We lie to _____ something we _____ want.

Jesus Narrative – Under oath or not, those who live in the Kingdom _____ and _____ tell the truth.

**I Must Move From Selfish Fear & Desire
Putting On Kingdom Values
Ephesians 4:29**

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Learning To Live Without Cursing The Cursers (Matthew 5:38-48)

False Narrative – If someone hits you, _____ them
back harder

Jesus Narrative – Put on the _____ of Christ.
Dare to be _____!

Kingdom Jujitsu

I Must Move From Natural Responses To Kingdom
Responses

- I am a “_____ Than Enough” person!
- I refuse to be a “_____ Enough” person!

“More Than Enough” Kingdom People

2. Kingdom _____ –

I am one in whom Christ dwells

3. Kingdom _____ –

I am in the strong and secure Kingdom of God