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DOES THE BIBLE SPEAK ON SOCIAL DRINKING?

LIFE | IN 140 CHARACTERS – PART 11

Proverbs 20:1, 23:29-35, 31:4-7

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Wine occurs 231 times and strong drink occurs
22 times in the Bible.

THREE QUESTIONS WE NEED TO ANSWER

1. IS DRUNKENNESS A SIN? Always

1 Cor 6:9-10, Gal 5:19-21, Pr 23:29-35

What is drunkenness?

2. IS DRINKING IN MODERATION A SIN? Not necessarily

Ps 104:14-15, Deut 14:26

3. WHAT IS THE WISE THING TO DO?

Pr 20:1, Pr 31:4-6

FIVE PRINCIPLES WE NEED TO FOLLOW

1. DON'T JUDGE.

Rm 14:1-4, 10 (NLT)

2. DON'T VIOLATE YOUR CONSCIENCE.

Rm 14:14 (NLT)

3. DON'T CAUSE OTHERS TO STUMBLE.

Rm 14:13, 15 (NLT), 1 Cor 8:9 (NLT)

4. DON'T BE ENSLAVED.

1 Cor 6:12 (NLT)

5. PUT THE GOSPEL ABOVE PERSONAL FREEDOMS.

1 Cor 9:19-23 (NLT)