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I have researched and read the many scriptures relating to the same-sex issue. Since many people have listed these verses, I will not repeat them here.

My heart is heavy with the knowledge that the Anglican Church of Canada is even asking for input on this question. I have read many of the letters currently posted, and I have yet to see any scriptural support for same-sex marriage. Therefore, why is it even being discussed? I fail to understand that the leaders of the Church Synod could even contemplate such a motion when it is so clearly unscriptural.

We are living in the last days, and, as the Bible says would happen, everywhere around us there is deceit and apostasy in the churches. Where is one to go to worship in spirit and in TRUTH?

If you were unknowingly marching toward a high jagged cliff, and those who were aware of the coming peril did not warn you, would they be showing care towards you? No! In the same way, if the Church were to perform same sex marriage, when God expressly forbids same-sex immorality in His Word, is the Church showing them love? No, because a greater peril than falling off a cliff is God's judgment. The Church needs to show love, truth, and guidance to all, so that they may attain eternal life in accordance with what the scripture teaches.

God has commanded us to show love to our neighbour. Love is encouraging people in the right way, not enabling unscriptural behaviour. The Church that enables is not leading, and is not showing God's love. God is not willing that any should perish. That's why He sent Jesus to die on the cross for our sins. The Church must be very careful not to say that certain things are not sin, as described in the Bible. Even though our world has changed (in a bad way), as more and more evil presents itself, God does not change. God's Word does not change. God does not care about political correctness; He cares about obedience to His Word.

2 Timothy, 3:16-17 "All scripture is God-breathed, and is useful for teaching, rebuking, correcting, and training in righteousness, so that the man of God may be thoroughly equipped for every good work."

Therefore, I pray that this motion will not be accepted.

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