



The word **Hallowe'en** is an abbreviation of Hallow even, meaning holy night. The name itself shows this is a “religious day” that is considered holy for some. To our dismay, many so called Christians observe this day without researching the historical meaning or the scriptures for guidance. You should ask yourself, what’s holy about it? Did God sanctify or blessed this day to make it holy? **1st Corinthians 10:20** “*But I say, that the things which the Gentiles sacrifice, they sacrifice to devils, and not to God; and I would not that ye should have fellowship with devils.*” **Verse 21:** “*Ye cannot drink the cup of the Lord, and the cup of devils: ye cannot be partakers of the Lord’s table, and of the table of devils.*” **Verse 22:** “*Do we provoke the Lord to jealousy? are we stronger than he?*” Even if you do not study the Bible, anyone could see that Halloween is obviously rooted in paganism (worshipping of false gods/devils and witchcraft). What it shows is that this night is really for Satan and not for the children.

### Trick or Treat?

Have you been tricked into worshipping Satan or is this a treat for the children? You have been tricked! The origins of Halloween could be traced back as a “religious day” in honor of the dead (spirits). In fact the Celts made this day popular with the celebration of the Festival of Samhain (considered day of the dead and evil spirits). Today it continues to be a pagan religious day for instance, it is considered the New Year for Wiccans (witches). Does this sound like a holy day to you? Amazingly the evil roots of sacrificing to the dead of Halloween, Day of Dead in Mexico, and the Catholic holiday All Saints Day (Allhallows) go further back than the Celts and it could be found in the Bible. **Psalms 106:28** “*They joined themselves also unto Baal-peor [false god], and ate the sacrifices of the dead.” **Verse 29:** “*Thus they provoked him to **anger** with their inventions: and the **plague brake in upon them.**” When our people observe a “holy night” that God didn’t sanctify (make holy) it angers him. That past generation was destroyed with a plague likewise destruction will brake upon you if you participate in Halloween. **2nd Thessalonians 1:7** “*... when the Lord Jesus shall be revealed from heaven with his mighty angels,*” **Verse 8:** “*In flaming fire taking vengeance on them that know not God, and that obey not the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ:*”**

### Evil is Good?

Some dismiss the Scriptures and say, “it is a day to have fun, to get candy, dress up in costumes, to have frightening stuff, and to scare people with it; that is why I enjoy this holiday”. **Proverbs 16:25** “*There is a way that seemeth right unto a man, but the end thereof are the ways of death.*” So you plan to knock on doors to ask for candy? That ritual started with Druid (Celtic) priests and the people that went from house to house asking for fatted calves, black sheep, and human beings to be sacrificed. Those who gave were promised prosperity and those who refused to give were threatened with curses. Besides the sin of Idolatry (worshipping of false gods/Satan) that was mentioned there are many other transgressions (sins) done with the observation of Halloween. **Isaiah 5:20** “*Woe [DESTRUCTION!] unto them that call evil good, and good evil; that put darkness for light, and light for darkness; that put bitter for sweet, and sweet for bitter!*” On this day people give **sweet** candy to children for the **bitterness** of sin. Making it seem like as if witches, devils, murderers, etc.; are good. You are not supposed to find joy in sin. **1st Corinthians 13:6** “*Rejoiceth not in iniquity [sin/evil], but rejoiceth in the truth;*” You might think it’s harmless to dress up as a witch, monster, etc... The scriptures say otherwise, **1st Thessalonians 5:22** “*Abstain from all appearance of evil.*” The tradition of dressing up for this day also originated with terrible Druid death rites, as people and animals were screeching in agony while being burned to death. The observers would dress in costumes made of animal heads and skin. Today when you dress your child as a witch you are promoting to them lies. Also when your child has a knife in his hands with fake blood all around him you are teaching him to have fellowship with the works of darkness. **Proverbs 14:9** “*Fools make a mock at sin...*” A person of such mind forgot the sternness of the most High’s laws. What happens if your child decides that witches are cool? **Exodus 22:18** “*Thou shalt not suffer a witch to live.*” Much revelry (parties) in sacrifice to powers of darkness involves fornication (immoral sexual acts such as orgies). Idolatry, witchcraft, fellowship with darkness, reveling, fornication, and many more sins will prevent you from entering the kingdom of God. You will only have to look forward to destruction! See, **Ephesians 5:10-11**, **Galatians 5:19-21**, and **1st Peters 4:2-6**. You can’t have two masters, so then who are you going to worship, God or the Devil? There is only one God the God of Israel, REPENT!