

1 Timothy 2: 5-6

FOR there is one God, and one mediator also between God and men, the man Christ Jesus, who gave himself as a ransom for all, the testimony given at the proper time.

We are in a time of lockdown, we are shut in: let us not shut Jesus out.
Let Him in, allow Him to be your companion, comforter, healer and provider in these uncertain times.
We need Him more now than ever before.
We will need Him more tomorrow than today.

1 God
1 Mediator
The man Christ Jesus
1 Mediator between God and men.

He is the man Christ Jesus.
He lives to represent us.
We are not without representation.
He intercedes on our behalf.
He sits in the Holy Place and represents you and me.
That is why when we are in a relationship with Him our representer/mediator, we are protected, our lives, marriages, homes, children, work and many more are all protected.
Jesus became the offeror and the offering for us.
He did not offer an animal to redeem you and me.
He offered Himself.

Roman's 12:1

Therefore I urge you, brethren, by the mercies of God, to present your bodies a living and holy sacrifice, acceptable to God, which is your spiritual service to worship.

How can we be a holy sacrifice to God when we drink, smoke, speak bad about others and when we come together we do not glorify Him in everything we say and do.
Paul is saying: BE LIKE JESUS
A lawyer in court represents you.
He needs to know everything about you.
He cannot mediate for you when you hide things from him.
When your name is read out in court your mediator/lawyer stands up with you.
You don't stand alone.
All the issues referred to is addressed and handled by your lawyer/mediator.
It's the way Jesus Christ stands with us.

DO YOU REALLY KNOW THE MAN CHRIST JESUS?

The disciples said, "*What kind of man is this, that even the wind and waves obey*".
He took the sting out of death.
He had victory over the grave.
When He entered heaven there was a man in glory and Glory in a man.
That is the man who is our mediator.
Will your mediator be able to give a good account for you?

Jesus died on the cross so that we could receive everlasting life.
The tomb could not hold Him - He rose on the third day, He is seated in heaven to represent us before the Father.
May you have a blessed weekend in His presence.
May the grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, be with you all.
Amen