

Sermon: **The Two Ways**

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Text: Psalm 1 (ESV)

¹ *Blessed is the man who walks not in the counsel of the wicked, nor stands in the way of sinners, nor sits in the seat of scoffers;*

² *but his delight is in the law of the LORD, and on his law he meditates day and night.*

³ *He is like a tree planted by streams of water that yields its fruit in its season, and its leaf does not wither. In all that he does, he prospers.*

⁴ *The wicked are not so, but are like chaff that the wind drives away.*

⁵ *Therefore the wicked will not stand in the judgment, nor sinners in the congregation of the righteous;*

⁶ *for the LORD knows the way of the righteous, but the way of the wicked will perish.*

INTRODUCTION

1. The Practice of the Two Ways, vv.1-2.

A. Find satisfaction in the Lord, v.1.

B. Forsake the way of the wicked, v.1.

C. Fulfill your joy in the Word!, v.2.

2. The Picture of the Two Ways, vv.3-4.

A. Flourish like the tree, v.3.

B. Produce fruit like the tree, v.3.

C. Prosper like the tree, v.3.

OR

D. Be forgotten like the chaff, v.4.

3. The Product of the Two Ways, vv.5-6.

A. Happiness and Life

B. Futility and Death