

Ebenezer Youth Fellowship
Text: Proverbs 6: 16-19 “The 7 Deadly Sins”
Message 3: Hands That Shed Innocent Blood

“These six things doth the LORD hate: yea, seven are an abomination unto him: A proud look, a lying tongue, and hands that shed innocent blood, an heart that deviseth wicked imaginations, feet that be swift in running to mischief, a false witness that speaketh lies, and he that soweth discord among brethren.” Proverbs 6: 16-19

1. Hands that shed innocent blood = Murder

- (a) Satan was a murderer from the beginning (John 8:44).
Why was Satan the 1st murderer?
- (b) Which is the commandment “Thou shall not kill”?
Intentional taking another person’s life - Murder
- (c) Murder in other forms
 - Judas Iscariot is a murderer (Matt 27:4)
 - abortion, suicide
 - Euthanasia (mercy-killing)?
- (d) Murderers have no place in the Kingdom of God now (Gal 5:21) or hereafter (Rev 21:8)

2. Sinful Anger and Hatred = Heart Murder

- (a) The teachings of Jesus in Matt 5: 21-22 of the 6th commandment
 - sinful anger = murder
- (b) 1 John 3:15 “Hating a brother”
 - hatred = murder

3. Example of a Murder recorded in the Bible (Gen 4:1-8)

- (a) The first murder by man
- (b) Am I my brother’s keeper? (Gen 4:9).

To do: Love our brethren fervently as taught in 1 John 3:16