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# A Guide to life

You always have a choice

“There was nothing I could do!”

You have heard it many times before. A guy gets into trouble, he chooses the easy way, and then he says those words, as if there was no choice in the matter.

There is always a choice in the situation. ALWAYS!

Did someone have a gun pointed at you? Did he tell you, “I’ll shoot you if you don’t get in the car drunk and drive home?”

## ✔ Make the difficult choice

1. Has anyone ever put a gun to your head, and made you do something?
2. If by some chance someone does put a gun to your head, guess what, you still have a choice.

Make the difficult choice

Make the right choice

Lets look at the Lord Jesus Christ for example.

He was being tried by Pilate, He had multiple chances to get out of being whipped, tortured and killed.

He could have easily gotten out of the situation but He made the right choice!

The Lord Jesus Christ didn’t take the easy road. He knew what needed to be done, and He died for the truth, saving every one of us in the process.

Even when he was asked one last time:



*Pilate therefore said to Him, "Are You a king then?" Jesus answered, "You say rightly that I am a king. For this cause I was born, and for this cause I have come into the world, that I should bear witness to the truth. Everyone who is of the truth hears My voice."* **(John 18:37)**

## Final Thoughts



You always have a choice. Don't just look for a way out. Instead, try and do what is right.

If all your friends are getting ready to go somewhere and you don't think you should go...*don't go*. You are not stuck. Make the tough decision.

If temptation is creeping at your door and you think you are beaten... run! You still have a choice.

Are you ready to make the tough choice - the right choice?

The Lord demonstrated what it is to do right even when the consequences were death. Most of us haven't been in that difficult situation. For us, the cost is usually something as simple as discomfort, inconvenience, or maybe being teased.

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