

## The Layer Cake

Often are lives look like a layer of problems on top of problems. The children of Israel describe it like this: 'And said unto them, Ye shall not bring in the captives hither: for whereas we have offended against the Lord already, ye intend to **add** more to our sins and to our trespass: for our trespass is great, and there is fierce wrath against Israel.' 2 Chronicles 28:13

We get in trouble when we add one sin on top of another: "**Add** iniquity unto their iniquity: and let them not come into thy righteousness." Psalm 69:27

Then, the icing on top of the cake is the culmination of years of rebellion. The final outcome or result is a layer cake that is not appetizing at all! A real "*devil's food cake!*"

But the Lord offers a different recipe, as found in Proverbs 3:1-4:

"My child, forget not my law; but let thine heart keep my commandments: For length of days, and long life, and peace, shall they **add** to thee. Let not mercy and truth forsake thee: bind them about thy neck; write them upon the table of thine heart: So shalt thou find favour and good understanding in the sight of God and man."

We can faithfully obey God's word and this adds layer upon layer of life and peace to us. The icing on top of this "*angel's food cake*" is eternal life with Jesus!

So what kind of cake would you like your life to be? Making the right decision is "a piece of cake!"

