## Decision-making is difficult, but Christians have been given great tools to freely make wise decisions.

Christians have clear parameters as well as great freedom – here are some keys to walking in freedom as we make decisions:

**The Bible** (Ps 119:105, Deut 29:29)

Sinful decisions are prohibited

Some decisions are uncontroversial and always right

The commandments can help define parameters (WLC Q. 100-151)

Prayer (for wisdom) 1 Thess 5:16-18, James 1:5

Warning against signs or wisdom 1 Cor 1:22-25

The danger of over-spiritualizing

The bondage of guidance

The value of an inner witness

The danger of relying on human wisdom

Walking by faith

## Over-spiritualizing Walk by Faith Human wisdom

Sanctification: God's program for wise decision making

Transforming our desires

The Conscience: Train your conscience to be captive only to the Word of God

**Godly Counsel** 

Trust (Walk, trust, rest, be free) The decision making of Bunyan's Pliable vs. Valiant