

GOD'S THOUGHTS! GOD'S WAYS!

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If we *invert the way we spell-*
L- I- V- E: E- V- I- L-
There's little Hope that we can give
If we invert the way we Live!

When God made us - He made us good -
Throughout the age His Laws have stood -
As rules to guide us to His Light
And help to keep our lives upright!

We've all rebelled against God's Call -
We're all a part of "Adam's Fall" -
We fail to trust, fail to obey -
And sing: "I'll do it all my way!"

Our thoughts are where it all begins -
We nourish thoughts which lead to sins.
Lust, greed and thoughts of fame and pow'r-
(Soon we've rebuilt Ol' Babel's Tow'r)!

"My Thoughts are not your thoughts," said God -
(He sees us through our false facade) -
And "Neither are your ways My Way!"
(We're like lost sheep who've gone astray)!

But God has always had His Plan -
The Only Way for sinful man -
He sent His Son as Sacrifice -
For all our sin, He paid full price!

Israel's Best Known Prophet, Isaiah wrote:

"For my thoughts are not your thoughts, neither are your ways my ways, says The Lord!" Isaiah 55:8 from The King James Bible

Jesus told Nicodemus who had visited Him one night:

"For God so loved the world that He Gave His Only Begotten Son, that whosoever Believes ... " John 3:16 from The King James Bible