

RESOLUTION

Whereas Eastside Baptist Church formed a committee to investigate whether Freemasonry is a heretical religion, and if so, to draft a resolution stating our position regarding Freemasonry and all heretical religious organizations.

Whereas Eastside Baptist Church believes the Holy Bible to be the supreme standard by which we measure all human conduct, creed and religious opinion; have incorporated in its constitution the 1925 Baptist Faith and Message, and said constitution denies membership in the church to one who is a member of a different faith.

Whereas Eastside Baptist Church believes in the deity of Jesus Christ and His salvation as the only way to heaven, and are in complete agreement with the “Great Commission” and its mandate to go into all the world and preach the gospel to all people. Thus, we invite people from all races, creeds, religions, lifestyles and backgrounds to attend our services and functions to provide them the opportunity to hear the preaching of the truth only found in God’s Holy Word.

Whereas Freemasonry, according to its own highest authorities is a search after light, which is not to be found in Christ or the Bible, its revelation is nature, its god is a nature god the same as that of the Hindu, Egyptian and Syrian, equates Jesus Christ with the pagan Krishna, and will not allow Christ’s name to be mentioned in a well governed lodge.

Be it resolved that Eastside Baptist Church recognizes Freemasonry as a religious order that practices heresy in the sight of God.

Be it further resolved that any religious organization that denies the deity of Jesus Christ and/or denies His salvation as the only way to heaven is heretical.