

WHO IS GOOD TO BE AROUND?

If someone says they love you, yet after you have been around them you need time to recover, then something ain't right. The righteous are good to be around, but be careful, there are two types of righteousness: self-righteousness and righteousness of God by faith in Christ Jesus. The self-righteous are the religious or the Godless that trust in themselves that they are righteous. They are proud. They are not good to be around. The righteous by faith in Christ Jesus are those who know they cannot stand before Creator God because of their sin. They know they have no hope except that Jesus substituted for them in bearing the punishment for their sin. They know Jesus was raised from the dead so by faith in the Blood of Jesus, Jesus' sacrifice could be applied to them...their only hope. Those who have believed, repented of their sins, called upon Jesus as Lord, been baptized are saved. They humbly live for righteousness; they are good to be around. So if you have trouble being around yourself, you now know what to do. (PHILIPPIANS 3:9)