## TRUE NORTH

God loves truth because He IS truth. He is the goal. The target, the destination.

God hates sin because it is a lie. It leads you away from truth (true north)

You get off course, off target, you get lost.

TRUE: being in accordance with the actual state of affairs. Not what is perceived by others. Accurate, legitimate, without deviation or variation.

"true love" - - "dreams do come true"

Verb - to make level, square, balanced to a desired mechanical accuracy.

True in a scope when shooting, true up an engine cylinder.

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3 John 1:4 - I have no greater joy than to hear (love to hear) that my children are walking in the truth.

Prov 6:16 There are six things that the Lord hates,

seven that are an abomination to him:

Mal 2:16 - For I hate divorce, says the LORD the God of Israel

Prov 8:13 - The fear of the Lord is hatred of evil. Pride and arrogance and the way of evil

CAN my FEELINGS Lie to me? 2 Cor 5:7 - "For we walk by faith, not by sight."

"Mostly Christian" = faith or works? / relationship or religion?

Rat poison...

John 5... Matt 22...

Cults often call themselves "christian". They smell a little like, look a little, like, sound a little like... BUT... People who don't know the scripture or listen to the Holy Spirit, don't know the difference.

True north (also called **geographic north**) is the direction along Earth's surface towards the geographic North Pole or True North Pole. N of Oklahoma on a map is Kansas, Nebraska, s Dakota, N Dakota. Straight to north pole you go through Missouri, iowa, Wisconsin.

But determined with reference to the earth's axis rather than the magnetic poles.

A compass uses magnetic north – ½ mile away from true north

Without a compass, you must face east at sunrise.

The word north means "to the left". South is behind you.

Astronomical north is in the sky, also called Polaris (north star). This is within about 1° of the position of Polaris

When traveling in space, you need thruster rockets to stay on course, making small adjustments along the way.

44 million horsepower required to get off the ground. 11,000 pounds of fuel per second.

Thrusters need only 130 horsepower to stay on course. Like a vw or a fiat car.

American air-rifle shooter Matt Emmons. At the 2004 Games, Emmons competed in the three-position event, in which participants shoot from their stomachs, knees, and feet at a target fifty metres away. Going into his final shot, Emmons was in first place and needed only a mediocre score for gold. Instead, he shot at the wrong target, one lane over, and got no score at all. He finished eighth. Four years later, in Beijing, Emmons again had a large lead on the final shot: he needed a score of 6.7 in a sport where anything below 8.0 is amateurish. Each time Emmons shoots, he aims above the target, lets his sight fall into the bull's-eye, then pulls the trigger. This time, his finger slipped and he fired early, scoring a 4.4. Emmons called the shot a "freak of nature." He finished fourth.

Matt 22:29 - Jesus replied, "You are in error because you do not know the Scriptures or the power of God.

10 commandments –

Whats best for you? Why? "truly" living with blessing, protection, and provision.

What a lie does to you -

Murder? Hate is the door

Adultery? Lust is the door

Lying? self preservation is why we lie

Coveting? do you want others to covet your stuff?

False gods? pretend they (false gods) exist

John 10:10 – The thief comes only to steal and kill and destroy; I have come that they may have life, and have it to the fullest.

Hebrews 12:1-2

Therefore, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us also lay aside every weight, and sin which clings so closely, and let us run with endurance the race that is set before us, fixing our eyes on and looking to Jesus, the founder and perfecter of our faith

Phil 3:13 - forget what's behind, press on toward the goal.

Acts 20:24 But I do not account my life of any value nor as precious to myself, if only I may finish my course

Prov 4:25 Let your eyes look directly forward, and your gaze be straight before you.