

# GOD'S HIGHWAY



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I'm sitting here in north Georgia writing this article and watching the snow fall. Just a few weeks ago the snow was heavy and falling in places that hardly ever see snow. That little snow covering left eight inches of the pretty white stuff sitting in my yard. The heavy snow also shut down roads and forced airlines to cancel flights, which made traveling very challenging for many folks. Looking around the country you see some major ice/snow storms happening in places where this is not the norm. This cold stormy weather can be aggravating

and a little depressing for those of us who like to ride. Having a few clear and ice free roads would be nice during this time, at least I could assure my bike that I haven't disowned it.

Something as equally aggravating as these winter storms to me are those know-it-all folks who try to tell us that all this strange weather is caused by "Global Warming". You know the folks I'm talking about, the ones who say the earth is melting and it is our fault. These folks tell us that we should stop riding around burning up all the fossil fuel because it spouts out emissions that destroy the ozone and heat up our planet. Of course, some of these influential folks fly around in their jets and hold big press conferences to pass their views on to us. Can you imagine how many miles your bike would go with the fuel used by one of those jets? I just have to wonder how many ozone depleting particles one of those babies spit out.

In no way am I against planes or other modes of transportation, it just seems somewhat hypocritical to me when these folks criticize us and then don't follow their own expert advice in this area. If they really believed or cared about what they are telling us couldn't they set an example that shows it? If they were out making their case on a bicycle or roller skates that might prove something to me.

Even now, the weather forecasters are telling us that more cold storms than ever are coming and record low temps are on the way again this year. Call me crazy but where is all the global warming when you really need it? Besides, if this global warming thing is true, why isn't the globe warmer? Oh well, you get to decide what you believe on global warming.

In the area of religion you can get all kinds of advice from all kinds of people. Some of the folks out there are quick to tell you everything that you are doing wrong without offering you any help or truthful advice. There are even some religious or church folks whose actions or lives set a poor example for others to follow. I'm not saying this is right, but it is important in that you realize no one lives a sinless or perfect life. Each and every person has fallen far short of God's expectations according to His Word, the Bible, and ultimately we are each accountable for our own actions and decisions.

The good news is that God has provided a way for us to make things right with Him. Jesus came down to this earth as a sacrifice for our sins and shortcomings. It doesn't matter what you've done in your past, where you are right now or what other people say about you. If you ask Jesus to come into your life and take care of your past, you can live eternally in Heaven instead of spending it in a place called Hell. This is not about any religion or church; it is all about a relationship with Jesus. Do you have that personal relationship with Jesus? If not, all you have to do is ask for

The important thing to remember is that you make your own decision on this.



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