

What Shall I Do When I Stumble And Sin?

The Bible gives us clear direction ~

- I John 2:1
- I John 1:8
- John 8:11
- Galatians 5:16

I John 2:1

“My little children, these things I write to you, so that you may not sin. And if anyone sins, we have an Advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous.”

Know who He is

- Advocate
- GK. PARAKLETON
- “one who (near you) consoles, helps and intercedes”

God’s heart toward you ~

- I am near you!
- I want to help you!
- I want you to succeed!

I John 1:8

“If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves and the truth is not in us.”

Declare it for what it is

- Don’t rationalize it away!
- Don’t make excuses!
- Don’t minimize its impact!

John 8:10,11

- *“...has no one condemned you? She said, no one Lord. And Jesus said to her, neither do I condemn you; go and sin no more...”*
- Embrace forgiveness
- Grip two realities!

Grace that overlooks!

“neither do I condemn you”

Grace that overcomes!

“go and sin no more”

Galatians 5:16

“Walk in the Spirit and you shall not fulfill the lust of the flesh.”

Walk with the Holy Spirit

- What you feed will lead
- Advancing from freedom to strength
- *“strengthen the hands which hang down and the feeble knees” -Heb. 12:12*