

To God, the stench of sin is worse than all the foul odours of Earth. When we dishonour the commands of Scripture, it is a stench rising to Heaven. Ecclesiastes 10:1 says: "Dead flies putrefy the perfumer's ointment, and cause it to give off a foul odour; so does a little folly to one respected for wisdom and honour."

Only the Bible tells us how to rid our lives of the foul effects of sin. We must confess and turn from them, letting the Lord 'bathe' us in grace. The apostle Paul said: "Now thanks be to God who always leads us in triumph in Christ, and through us diffuses the fragrance of His knowledge in every place." (2 Corinthians 2:14) When sin stinks up your life, turn in confession to the Lord; He will forgive.

Ephesians 5:2 "...walk in the way of love, just as Christ loved us and gave himself up for us as a fragrant offering and sacrifice to God."