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In Trust With The Gospel

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The Old Paths

Thus saith the LORD, Stand ye in the ways, and see, and ask for the old paths, where [is] the good way, and walk therein, and ye shall find rest for your souls. But they said, We will not walk [therein]. [Jer 6:16 KJV]

Our forefathers who escaped the persecution and corruption of the churches in Europe knew all too well about the merits and origins of this unholy observation of Christ Mass. When they had opportunity they fled from it as fast as they could.

Alabama was the first state to legalize Christ Mass in 1836.

That's right, because of a much more pure religious atmosphere (one educated and experienced with truth) in the early days of the colonies, Christmas was outlawed, right here on the soil of America, The land of the free.

Louisiana and Arkansas followed suit in 1838 making it legal to observe and the rest is history.

Every subsequent generation since then has been raised with this man-made pagan tradition in their home and do not question it and only a few ever investigate.

We would all do well to bring ourselves up to date on church history.

Multitudes died before they escaped these man-made entrapments.

And it is interesting that people today give the same answer when pointed to the old ways when they say "We will not walk therein."