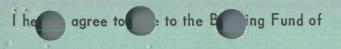
think I'm choosing, it's up to me to make the right choice still.

3. I believe that this Scripture, the Book of Ezekiel, especially ch. 18, and our text within it, reinforces the traditional Methodist view, that we de choose for ourselves our way of life. . Some modern psychological theories of the development of personality claim that personality is developed and choices made simply on the basis of manical laws of stimulus and demand rasponse: what I meed I reach for, without necessarily thinking about it; and what I fear I jump from, etc.. But equating personality thusly makes man simply an animal, a biological mechanism, which is a view of mankind that has long been rejected by believers in God. That man is more than an animal or a mahine is the basis of the Judaeodistin religion. 5. Throughout the whole O.T. & N.T. the idea of judgment keeps popping up.

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