

Put the Devil in His Place

We must not put up with the devil in our lives! When Adam sinned in the Garden of Eden, mankind was doomed to life under the power of the devil. But let us not stop there, because God the Father, God the Son and God the Holy Ghost had a plan to redeem mankind back unto God. Let's look at this verse for more insight.

Acts [10:38](#) KJV How God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Ghost and with power: Who went about doing good, and healing all that were oppressed of the devil; for God was with Him.

So many people have asked the question, "Why do people have so many bad things happen in their life?" Most of these people never 'connect-the-dots' that reveal the devil's take-over of the human race; even after the Bible has been written to show mankind what is going on. Either they don't read the Bible; or they have help from a religious person to misunderstand what the Bible is saying.

In Acts [10:38](#), we see plainly that Jesus came to stop the devil that was oppressing people and making them sick. We are living in a world today that has made the devil out to be just a Halloween character that isn't really real; he is just like all the other fairy tale characters. But God speaks about him in the Bible as the main problem in man's life. I want to show you just a few verses in the Bible that proves he is at work doing all kinds of bad things to man.

Matthew 9:32-33 KJV As they went out, behold, they brought to Him a dumb man possessed with a devil. [33] And when the devil was cast out, the dumb spake: and the multitudes marvelled, saying, It was never so seen in Israel.

Matthew [8:16](#) KJV When the even was come, they brought unto Him many that were possessed with devils: and He cast out the spirits with His Word, and healed all that were sick:

Matthew 15:22,28 KJV And, behold, a woman of Canaan came out of the same coasts, and cried unto Him, saying, Have mercy on me, O Lord, Thou Son of David; my daughter is grievously vexed with a devil. [28] Then Jesus answered and said unto her, O woman, great is thy faith: be it unto thee even as thou wilt. And her daughter was made whole from that very hour.

Luke [10:17-21](#) KJV And the seventy returned again with joy, saying, Lord, even the devils are subject unto us through Thy Name. [18] And He said unto them, I beheld Satan as lightning fall from Heaven. [19] Behold, I give unto you power to tread on serpents and scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy: and nothing shall by any means hurt you. [20] Notwithstanding in this rejoice not, that the spirits are subject unto you; but rather rejoice, because your names are written in Heaven. [21] In that hour Jesus rejoiced in spirit, and said, I thank Thee, O Father, Lord of Heaven and Earth, that Thou hast hid these things from the wise and prudent, and hast revealed them unto babes: even so, Father; for so it seemed good in Thy sight.

All throughout the New Testament, we see the devil mentioned; and his works being stopped by Jesus and His disciples. Unless a Christian recognizes the devil and stops his works, they will not live the God life on the earth. God has never been ruled by the devil, and He doesn't want us to be ruled by him, either.

This Newsletter is to get us stirred up to take it to the devil! We must demand him to leave our lives! Otherwise, he will make his home with us. If we allow him to do so, he will eventually kill us; because that's his job description.

Love you,

Pastor Paul

