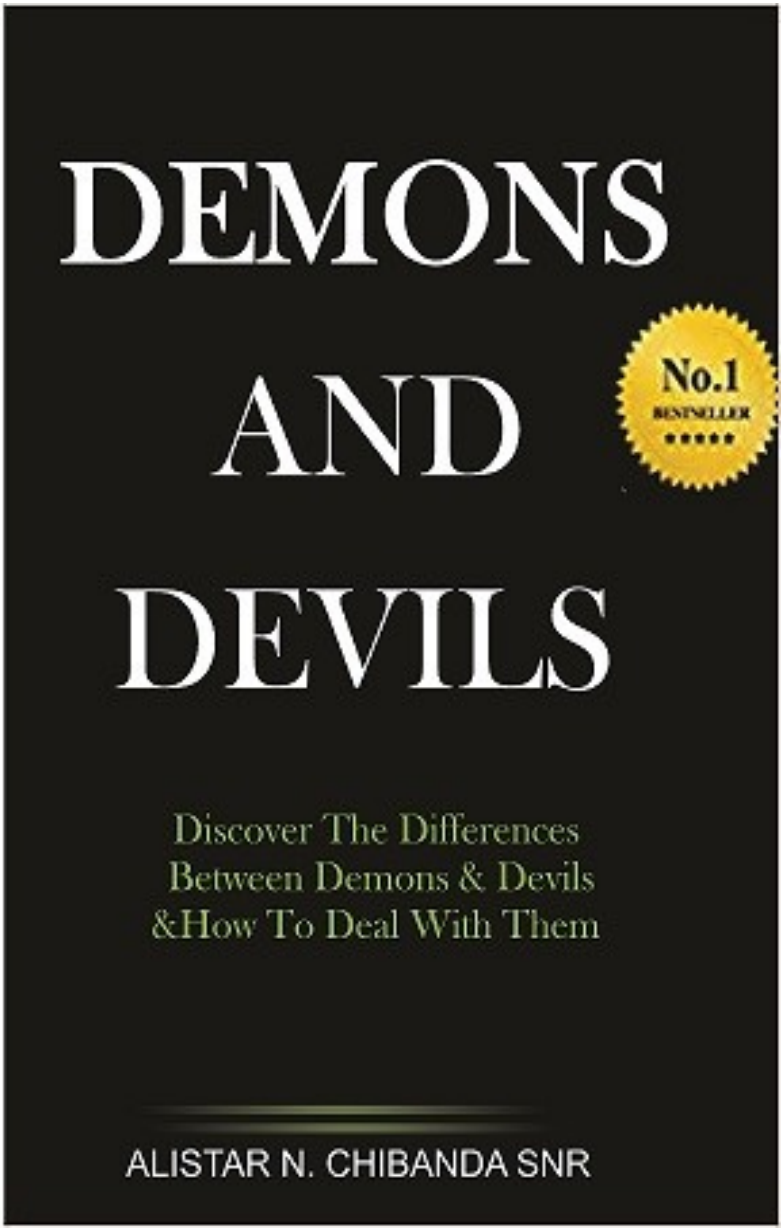
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INTRODUCTION

What is that thing that causes a man to take on the characteristic of an animal or a characteristic that is weired in the society ?

What gives a person such boldness and desire to do heinous acts like killing people for reasons like to have money, pleasure or for rituals ?

This world was infiltrated by a different types of devils and demons that seek to influence human beings to do evil.

Satan is the chief leader of all demons and devils. It is also interesting to note that Satan has levels and a hierarch of evil spirits in operation.

"For we wrestle not against flesh and blood, but against principalities, against powers, against the rulers of the darkness of this world, against spiritual wickedness in high places" (Ephesian 6v12)

He has principalities, powers, rulers of darkness and spiritual wickedness, etc.

There are so many types of demons and devils in operation today and we will talk about them in this book.

This book will cover all the general facts about demons and devils that a Christian needs to know and your authority and power over them!

CHAPTER 1

ORIGIN OF DEMONS

"For my people is foolish, they have not known me; they are sottish children, and they have none understanding: they are wise to do evil, but to do good they have no knowledge.

I beheld the earth, and, lo, it was without form, and void; and the heavens, and they had no light.

I beheld the mountains, and, lo, they trembled, and all the hills moved lightly. I beheld, and, lo, there was no man, and all the birds of the heavens were fled.

I beheld, and, lo, the fruitful place was a wilderness, and all the cities thereof were broken down at the presence of the LORD, and by his fierce anger.

For thus hath the LORD said, The whole land shall be desolate; yet will I not make a full end."
(Jeremiah 4:22 -27)

A lot of prophetic scriptures in the Bible have a double reference. This means they have two meanings or they could be understood in two different ways.

This is the case we have here in the book of Jeremiah 4:22-27.

Though the Prophet meant that the Lord was going to bring destruction to Jerusalem during his time, we also understand that

these events also took place before the flood in Genesis 1:2.

You have to understand that before the creation of Adam and Eve, the earth was inhabited by beings that had physical bodies and spirits.

God had created a perfect earth, a perfect world but the fall of Lucifer caused that perfect earth to be in disarray and chaos, *"without form and void." (Gen. 1:2).*

When Lucifer was cast down to the earth from Heaven he invaded the earth realm where the inhabitants that were created by God in different forms and shapes lived.

Those inhabitants were people who were not in the image and likeness of God like Adam and Eve.

Lucifer began to rule over them and today we now call them demons because they became the sons of Lucifer (Satan) and they are very evil.

In Genesis 1:26 the Bible says, *"And God said, Let us make man in our image, after our likeness: and let them have dominion over the fish of the sea, and over the fowl of the air, and over the cattle, and over all the earth, and over every creeping thing that creepeth upon the earth."*

There are some few points to note here. First, *"And God said, Let us make man in our image, after our likeness..."*

This may suggest that before then there was men who were not in the

image and likeness of God that God created and put on earth.

Second, *"God said,..let them have dominion over the fish of the sea, and over the fowl of the air, and over the cattle, and over all the earth, and over every creeping thing that creepeth upon the earth."*

In short the Lord God said let the men he had created in His image and likeness have dominion over all the living things and over all the earth.

This too may suggest that there were men who came before Adam and Eve who were not in the image of God.

In the beginning of the man who was in the image and likeness of God, the Lord God said to Adam

and Eve,*"Be fruitful, and multiply, and re-plenish the earth" (Genesis 1:28).*

God did not say plenish the earth but replenish. If the earth was not once full it needed not a re-plenishing but a plenishing. But since it was once full but it is now empty, it needed a re-plenishing.

God wanted the new men who were created in his image and likeness to fill up the earth realm again.

Soon after the Lord had destroyed the earth by the flood of waters again during the days of Noah; He told him with the same words:

"Be fruitful, and multiply, and re-plenish the earth" (Genesis9:1).

Did you see God said to Noah re-plenish the earth and not plenish the earth ? He said re-plenish the earth because it was once full but it got empty as we all know.

So, you have to understand that prior to the creation of Adam and Eve, the earth was filled with inhabitants who were not created after the image and likeness of God.

They were not men like Adam and Eve and they joined the camp of Lucifer to fight and to dethrone God and of course they failed.

These inhabitants I believe they were deceived by Lucifer at his fall and they were corrupted and became so evil that God had to destroy their bodies with the flood of waters.

That is why before the creation of Adam we see that, *"the earth was without form, and void; and darkness was upon the face of the deep. And the Spirit of God moved upon the face of the waters. (Genesis 1:2)."* That was the first flood that killed them.

The Lord does not create imperfect things and so He did not create the earth that had no form.

God's creations are perfect therefore for the earth to be void and without form its evident something happened for the earth to be in such a deplorable state.

So, God destroyed the first earth He created before Adam and Eve with the floods of waters and had all flesh that lived that time dead.

The Bible scholars have shown us that there is a gap between the first and second verses of Genesis chapter one. And how many years are there between these two verses we don't know.

Genesis chapter one verse one reads, *"In the beginning God created the heaven and the earth."*

Since God's creation is perfect as we have established above, something happened for it to be formless and void as we see in verse two of Genesis chapter one.

"And the earth was without form, and void; and darkness was upon the face of the deep. And the Spirit of God moved upon the face of the waters."

God does not create chaos; His work is always perfect. But perfection was destroyed by the fall of Lucifer.

The flood of waters destroyed the earth and the first inhabitants who were there.

Those inhabitants were disembodied. Their physical bodies were destroyed by the flood but their spirits did not die because spirits don't die.

Those spirits have no bodies today and they are the ones we call demons.

Lucifer was once an Archangel but because of his pride he fell from Heaven and came down to rule over these demon spirits.

So, the earth was filled with these disembodied inhabitants now called demons and they had a fallen Archangel Lucifer ruling over them.

I strongly believe that demons are the pre-Adamic race that at one time inhabited the earth under Lucifer's rule. After his fall from heaven, these demons are still in this world today.

The only reason the Lord will never destroy the whole earth with the flood of waters again is because of the covenant he made with Noah in Geneis chapter eight. .

"And Noah went forth, and his sons, and his wife, and his sons' wives with him: Every beast, every creeping thing, and every fowl, and whatsoever creepeth upon the

earth, after their kinds, went forth out of the ark.

And Noah builded an altar unto the LORD; and took of every clean beast, and of every clean fowl, and offered burnt offerings on the altar.

And the LORD smelled a sweet savour; and the LORD said in his heart, I will not again curse the ground any more for man's sake; for the imagination of man's heart is evil from his youth; neither will I again smite any more every thing living, as I have done". (Genesis 8:18-21)

This is the covenant God made with Noah after the flood and till today it's still valid and because of this covenant the Lord will never destroy the whole earth with the

flood of waters again.

Since we have established the origins of demons let's now discuss why these demons possess human beings and how they do it.

We will deal with this topic further in chapter three. But now let's establish some foundation.

The first thing you have to know is that Satan is not a demon. He is a devil, a fallen angel and a ruler of devils and demons in his satanic kingdom.

I believe there is a difference between devils and demons.

However, these two words “demons and devils” are used in scripture interchangeably.

Demons and devils are all the servants of the Devil who is also called Satan, and formerly the Archangel Lucifer.

We have never seen the Devil being called a demon in scriptures. Always he is called Lucifer, Satan, the Devil, the prince of this world, the god of this world, etc and not demon.

Precisely speaking, I believe the *devils* are fallen angels that fell from Heaven to the earth with Satan and demons are disembodied spirits of the inhabitants of the earth who lived here on earth before the creation of Adam and we said that their bodies perished in the first flood we saw in Genesis1:2.

But the King James version of the Bible uses the words *"devils and demons"* interchangeably to mean unclean spirits.

Demons and devils are all unclean spirits even though they are of different classes.

So, sometimes you see a demon addressed as a devil because he is a child of the Devil. But even though a demon is a devil he is not in the class of devils called fallen angels.

Satan is not a demon. He is a fallen archangel. He's a devil.

Fallen angels are not demons but devils. They have their own bodies just like Satan the Chief Devil.

These fallen angels are not interested in your human body like demons because they have their own!

Jesus never once said, “You fallen angel, come out of him!” Rather he said you demon come out.

Sometimes Jesus said, “you devil come out” meaning the same unclean spirit called a demon that loves to possess human bodies .

So, the King James version of the Bible uses the words devils and demons interchangeably and you have to look closely into the context to know whether it is a fallen angel, Satan himself or just a demon being addressed.

Demons are also called unclean spirits. *“Come out of the man, thou*

unclean spirit" (Mark 5:8). So it's now clear that demons are spirits that are unclean.

Demons are disembodied spirits that can enter into a body—humans, animals, or otherwise.

They can also try to live in objects like trees but they like to enter human bodies. In fact, demons call human beings *"their house."*

"When the unclean spirit is gone out of a man, he walketh through dry places, seeking rest, and findeth none. Then he saith, I will return into MY HOUSE from whence I came out; and when he is come, he findeth it empty, swept, and garnished". (Matthew 12:43-44)

Notice that the demon didn't say I will return into my room but house.

This means the human spirit is so big that it is considered a house by demons and as we all know, normally a house has several rooms and not just one room.

This tells you why the mad man of Gadarenes in Mark chapter five had a legion of demons who lived in him.

A legion of demons is something like six thousand demons or more and they all stayed in one man!

The spirit of a man is so big that over six thousand demons can all live inside it and yet it lives inside your physical body.

CHAPTER 2

THE FALL OF LUCIFER

"How art thou fallen from heaven, O Lucifer, son of the morning! how art thou cut down to the ground, which didst weaken the nations!" (Isaiah 14:12)

Satan was first called Archangel Lucifer and he was the first ruler of this earth.

Long before he was banished from Heaven, Lucifer ruled this earth realm. The Earth was his kingdom and it was God who gave him that Kingdom.

In Isaiah, Lucifer bragged, *"I will ascend into heaven, I will exalt my*

throne above the stars of God" (Isaiah 14:13).

That was the beginning of his fall. He was not satisfied to rule the earth that God had given him. This was way before the creation of Adam and Eve.

I believe the positions that God placed Lucifer in the earth and in Heaven caused Lucifer to be filled with great pride and arrogance. He was a king on earth and a worship leader in Heaven before Adam was created.

Lucifer wanted to be worshiped as God. He no longer wanted to sing for God or to worship Him anymore, he wanted to be worshiped like God both on earth and in Heaven. He craved for worship and the throne of God.

Lucifer then was a good Archangel of God who had the dominion over the earth and its inhabitants but pride was found in him.

When he was created by God he was called Archangel Lucifer and he was an archangel of God just like Michael and Gabriel.

But Lucifer developed pride and arrogance in himself and he fell and became Satan. He is a star that fell from Heaven to the earth. He was so arrogant that he couldn't be corrected by anyone.

Isaiah 14:13-14 says, *"For thou hast said in thine heart, I will ascend into heaven, I will exalt my throne above the stars of God: I will sit also upon the mount of the congregation, in the sides of the*

north: I will ascend above the heights of the clouds; I will be like the Most High".

Lucifer wanted the throne of God. God had given him a throne on earth, to rule and have dominion on earth but he was not satisfied.

He said, *I will ascend into heaven, I will exalt my throne above the stars of God: I will sit also upon the mount of the congregation, in the sides of the north: I will ascend above the heights of the clouds; I will be like the Most High".*

So, Lucifer had a throne on earth but he wanted to exalt his throne to Heaven. He wanted to be like the Most High God.

This is what happens in most churches where rebels emerge and fight the church leader.

Rebels are not always pleased with where God or the Pastor has placed them. They want the position of the Pastor just like Satan who wanted the throne of God.

When Lucifer was cast down to the earth he didn't come down alone but we are told that *"And his tail drew the third part of the stars of Heaven, and did cast them to the earth..." (Revelation 12:4).*

Lucifer convinced one-third of all angels to turn against God and he was thrown down to the earth with them. Those are what we call fallen angels and devils too.

Just imagine that the angels that God created were convinced by a created being (Lucifer) to leave Heaven with him and form a kingdom of darkness.

With all the goodness of God and Heaven still they found fault in a perfect God and rebelled against him. Thats what pride does!

Lucifer rebelled against his creator and fell down with a third of God's angels and they went to establish their kingdom of darkness.

I believe that's the time Lucifer and his angels deceived the inhabitants of the pre-Adamic world and corrupted them to be so evil that God had to destroy them with the great flood.

I believe this happened before Adam was created and in Genesis chapter two we see this great flood that I believe killed the physical bodies of all these inhabitants of the earth. Remember we discussed this in chapter one.

Let's now read Jeremiah 4:23-28:
"I beheld the earth, and, lo, it was without form, and void; and the heavens, and they had no light. I beheld the mountains, and, lo, they trembled, and all the hills moved lightly. I beheld, and, lo, there was no man, and all the birds of the heavens were fled.

I beheld, and, lo, the fruitful place was a wilderness, and all the cities thereof were broken down at the presence of the LORD, and by his fierce anger.

For thus hath the LORD said, The whole land shall be desolate; yet will I not make a full end. For this shall the earth mourn, and the heavens above be black; because I have spoken it, I have purposed it, and will not repent, neither will I turn back from it".

The Prophet Jeremiah was also speaking of the earth before the creation of Adam here.

A verse can have a double reference. It can mean something that happened and at the same time also mean something that will happen.

Here Jeremiah is telling us that there was a world of men who were not in the image and likeness of God before the creation of Adam.

That race of beings that lived in the earth before the creation of Adam were wicked, evil and lost. I believe they were deceived and corrupted by Lucifer to turn against God.

Their evil and unclean spirits became demons and are still in the world today.

God did not take up their unclean spirits to Heaven. He left them to wonder about on the earth. Maybe because they had no Saviour and they didn't want to do anything with God. They chose to establish a Satanic Kingdom with Lucifer. They rebelled against God.

A very close look will show you that Jeremiah 4:23-28 describes the identical picture we see in

Genesis 1:2 except we are told animals and cities existed before the destruction took place.

And there is no doubt that these cities were inhabited by the race we now call demons and animals that existed in pre-adamic world.

God promised to destroy that pre-adamic world in Jeremiah 4:27 that took place in between Genesis chapter one and two. Remember we already discussed this.

Now I want you to know that Lucifer lost the dominion and rulership of this earth when he rebelled and fell down from Heaven. He began to rule over demons and devils.

God recreated the earth and placed a new king there - Adam.

And he gave him the dominion and authority that Satan once had when he was Lucifer - a good archangel of God.

Later on Satan came back hiding in the body of a serpent and deceived Eve to eat the forbidden fruit and she also gave her husband Adam.

We all know the story that after this sin God banished them from the garden of Eden (Genesis 3:23-24) and Satan took the authority of Adam and became the god and king of this earth again (2 Cor. 4:4).

Satan and his angels also recaptured the second heaven using the Adamic authority and they are operating from there today. They influence the earth

with their wickedness, evils, lusts and arrogance.

When Satan took over the dominion of Adam and Eve, he made them his slaves and the seed after them were under Satan's rule.

Thank God for sending Jesus Christ who came to set us free from the dominion of Satan.

You also have to know that Satan and Sin are synonymous. Sin is the nature of Satan and you cannot separate him from his nature.

And the Bible says, *"For sin shall not have dominion over you: for ye are not under the law, but under grace." (Rom 6:14).*

However, God lives in Paradise, in the third Heavens. (2 Cor.12:2). But Satan and his devils are in the second heaven, the earth, the seas and under the earth.

"For we wrestle not against flesh and blood, but against principalities, against powers, against the rulers of the darkness of this world, against spiritual wickedness in high places". (Ephesians 6:12)

Satan is still operating from the second heaven today till the time he shall be bound by the archangel Michael and be banished into the bottomless pit for a thousand of years.

Revelation 20:1-3: *"And I saw an angel come down from heaven,*

having the key of the bottomless pit and a great chain in his hand.

And he laid hold on the dragon, that old serpent, which is the Devil, and Satan, and bound him a thousand years,

And cast him into the bottomless pit, and shut him up, and set a seal upon him, that he should deceive the nations no more, till the thousand years should be fulfilled: and after that he must be loosed a little season".

Understand that Adam was a king, he was the god of this earth and Satan took that authority from him when Adam fell.

Now today we know Satan is called the Prince of the powers of the air.

Ephesians 2:2 says, *"Wherein in time past ye walked according to the course of this world, according to the prince of the power of the air, the spirit that now worketh in the children of disobedience".* That spirit is the spirit of Satan.

This being now called Satan was both a cherub and an archangel but he has no wings like the four winged cherubims.

Talking about the former state and position of Lucifer the Bible says,

"Thou art the anointed cherub that covereth; and I have set thee so: thou wast upon the holy mountain of God; thou hast walked up and down in the midst of the stones of fire.

Thou wast perfect in thy ways from the day that thou wast created, till iniquity was found in thee."
(Ezekiel 28:14-15)

Satan was once called an anointed cherub probably because of his roles and work he had in the presence of God before the fall.

Lucifer was not a weak archangel, make no mistakes about it, he was so perfect and powerful that he *"walked up and down in the midst of stones of fire" (Ezekiel 28:14).*

Lucifer had the authority to walk in the very presence of the Almighty God but pride was found in him and he was cast down, banished from God's presence for good.

This was no ordinary angel. He was called an anointed cherub because he had a position of praise and worship in Heaven and on earth he was a king.

So, we can see that Lucifer held two positions in Heaven, he was a covering cherub which means he was elevated above all others and he was an anointed praise and worship leader and on earth he was a king.

We also know Lucifer was in Eden prior to the creation of Adam and the first flood that destroyed the earth.

Talking of Lucifer the Bible says, "*Thou hast been in Eden the garden of God; every precious stone was thy covering, the sardius, topaz, and the diamond,*

the beryl, the onyx, and the jasper, the sapphire, the emerald, and the carbuncle, and gold: the workmanship of thy tabrets and of thy pipes was prepared in thee in the day that thou wast created." (Ezekiel 28:13).

Lucifer was in Eden the garden of God. Don't confuse this with the garden of Eden of the times of Adam and Eve.

This was Eden of the pre-Adamic garden which existed before the first flood that came before creation of Adam and it was Lucifer's throne room on earth. It was his domain. (Ezekiel 28:13).

The book of Ezekiel says the covering of Lucifer, his clothes or garments were made of precious stones of topaz, diamonds, onyx,

jasper, sapphires, emerald, and gold (Ezekiel 28:13). He literally glistened as he walked around.

Even though Lucifer was a spirit being, he was adorned with these precious jewels. Plus, he had musical instruments built into him: *"The workmanship of thy tabrets and of thy pipes" (Ezekiel 28v13)*

But in all his beauty and splendor Lucifer was found with sin. The Bible shows us this. In Ezekiel 28:16 it says, *"By the multitude of thy merchandise they have filled the midst of thee with violence, and thou hast sinned."*

Lucifer was filled with violence. He thought he could fight God and win. This was rebellion against a just and holy God, who said to

him, *"Thine heart was lifted up because of thy beauty, thou hast corrupted thy wisdom by reason of thy brightness" (Ezekiel 28:17).*

The vanity of his beauty, wisdom, and perfection corrupted him and God had to cast Lucifer down forever.

Lucifer and his one third of angels now living on a destroyed, void and formless earth. No longer were they welcome in heaven.

It was after this fall of Lucifer and the destruction of the then world by the flood that God came to restore the earth as we read beginning with Genesis 1:3.

So, Adam and Eve were created in the earth that was re-created by God.

CHAPTER 3

DEMON POSSESSION

"For unclean spirits, crying with loud voice, came out of many that were possessed with them: and many taken with palsies, and that were lame, were healed." (Acts 8:7)

I promised you in chapter one that we will discuss this topic on demon possession further more in chapter three. Let's discuss it now.

The Bible declares that, "*where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is liberty (2 Corinthians 3:17).* But where the demons are there is bondage and oppression (Acts 10:38).

There is a question you will always find in the Christians circles: “Can a Christian be demon possessed ?” A thousand time no! But a Christian can be demon oppressed, obsessesd, afflicted and harassed.

I have seen Holy Ghost filled Christians who are demon oppressed, afflicted and harassed in one way to the other. But if Christ is truly in your heart you cannot be demon possessed.

We need to differentiate between demon possession and demon oppression. These two terms are totally different. They don't mean the same thing.

Demon possession means ownership and you cannot be owned by both God and Satan at

the same time. That's the reason I said a Christian cannot be demon possessed!

Demon oppression is not ownership but the demon will just oppress, harass, afflict or suppress your body or mind with different evils or sicknesses.

That is why you see some truly born again Christians manifesting demons. It doesn't necessarily mean they are possesed but they are oppressed in their bodies or obsessed in their minds by a demon.

The person who is demon obsessed is one who is controlled by thoughts—on the mental level. The mental processes are in the realm of the soul or mind—the *psyche.* If these thought processes

are influenced by demons and controlled by them, the person is demon obsessed.

Demon obsession is also a form of demon oppression were the demon is not possessing you but just oppressing your mind.

A demon may oppress the mind of a Christrian and cause depression, anxiety, worry and even headaches and other sicknesses.

The fact that the demon is oppressing the mind of a Christian it doesn't mean its possessing his heart.

Your heart is your spirit and your spirit is the real you and demons cannot possess it if you are born again.

You don't need to keep on receiving Jesus Christ into your heart after every deliverance session.

If you are born again Jesus is in your heart and a demon can not possess that heart but it can oppress your mind and body.

During a deliverance session, the Pastor may command the demons oppressing your mind and body to come out and they may take over your mind and speak out using your tongue.

However, you don't need to allow these demons to oppress your body and mind as a Christian.

You don't need to go for deliverance sessions and

counseling every week. That's not right.

Get rid of the demons oppressing your body and mind once and for all and never let them come back again to you.

Jesus said if you know the truth it will make you free (John 8:32). Usually if you have little to no knowledge of who you are in Christ you may be oppressed by demons time after time.

There are so many Christians who are oppressed by devils because they lack knowledge.

The Bible says, *"My people are destroyed for lack of knowledge: because thou hast rejected knowledge,..." (Hosea 4:6).*

God's people are destroyed for lack of knowledge. Who is the destroyer ? Satan! *"The thief cometh not, but for to steal, and to kill, and to destroy..." (John 10:10).*

What is to destroy ? One of the definitions of the word destroy is to damage beyond use or repair.

This is what Christians who commit suicide do. They let the demon to oppress their minds for long and take over their minds completely until those demons convince them to kill themselves.

All those who committed suicide it was not because they all wanted to intentionally kill themselves. Some of them were destroyed through demonic oppression of the mind

and such will not go to hell if they were born again.

The Bible says medidate on the Word but you find someone busy meditating on his problems and some suicidal thoughts. That's dangeraous!

At one time Satan, *"..brought Jesus to Jerusalem, and set him on a pinnacle of the temple, and said unto him, If thou be the Son of God, cast thyself down from hence:*

For it is written, He shall give his angels charge over thee, to keep thee: And in their hands they shall bear thee up, lest at any time thou dash thy foot against a stone.

And Jesus answering said unto him, It is said, Thou shalt not tempt the Lord thy God." (Luke 4:9-12)

In other words Satan was trying to convince Jesus to commit suicide. He even quoted the scriptures to Jesus and twisted them to deceive Him into committing suicide but the Lord Jesus did not succumb to that. He refused to throw himself down.

Imagine if Jesus had said, “Yes, My Father will give His angels charge over me to protect Me as He said in scriptures so let me throw myself down from this pinnacle of the temple,” Do you think angels were going to hold him in their hands before he smashed his head against the ground floor ?

Satan knew they were not going to do that because it was tempting the Lord God with evil and God cannot be tempted with evil

(James 1:13). But Jesus knew better, He didn't allow the devil to take over his mind to control Him to commit suicide.

This is an example of how Satan is getting more Christians to commit suicide around the world.

For exmple, the Devil may oppress the mind of a suffering and struggling Christian and tell him to die is better.

He can even go on to quote scriptures of the beauty of Heaven and so forth until one is convinced to die.

The devil may say, “Why are you suffering here, you can as well end your life and go to Heaven where there is no suffering like this!” And

the ignorant Christian will terminate his life.

You may ask me this question: "What does Satan benefit in the death of a Christian who when he dies he goes to Heaven ?"

Well, Satan will benefit more because the death of a Christian is a minus one problem to his kingdom of darkness.

Christians hinder Satan to operate in families, companies, churches, and places freely so their death is a benefit to the devil.

Satan will seek to oppress every mind of a Christian and he speaks to their mind through thoughts. Thoughts of suicide, thoughts of stealing, killing and evil are all from Satan.

Get me right. There are those Christians who intentionally kill themselves without any involvement of a devil.

They are just selfish and only think of themselves. They have backslidden. Such will go to hell if they kill themselves.

But its not every Christian who committed suicide who went to Hell; some went to Heaven as I said above.

I believe some were oppressed long enough in their minds by the devil and they gave in and ended their lives. The devil deceived them and unselfishly terminated their lives because a demon controlled it. I strongly believe such will go to

Heaven as long as they were born again.

Imagine if Jesus had a lack of knowledge while on top of the pinnacle of the temple and Satan is busy quoting scriptures to Him in His mind to persuade Him to commit suicide. He was going to be destroyed.

But we all know Jesus knew the Word and He was the Word that became flesh. He couldn't be deceived by Satan!

We have some Christians who think that Satan cannot tempt them or try them but the Bible says, *"Wherefore let him that thinketh he standeth take heed lest he fall." (1 Cor. 10:12).*

If Jesus was tempted what about you a man or woman in mortal flesh ?

Satan will tempt you one way or the other. Satan will drop thoughts in your mind, that's why the Bible says guard your heart and mind with all diligence.

To differentiante the thoughts of God and those of Satan the Bible told us what to think. It says,

“Finally, brethren, whatsoever things are true, whatsoever things are honest, whatsoever things are just, whatsoever things are pure, whatsoever things are lovely, whatsoever things are of good report; if there be any virtue, and if there be any praise, think on these things.” (Philippians 4:8)

I remember some time ago we used to live in town in a flat. Our apartment was in the last floor up above the rest.

So, in those days my daughter was still very young about one month old.

But I noticed that each time I took her up in my hands and went outside to our balcony to view the Harare Gardens, the devil would say to me throw her down from the balcony to the ground floor. That was a great height.

You see, Satan wanted me to kill my baby. I told Satan get away, in the Name of Jesus and he would flee. But after some time he would come back with the same thoughts "throw her down!"

How in the world the devil thought that I was going to listen to him and kill my baby ? I don't know. But Satan tries people and he doesn't give up easily.

But the Bible says, *"Submit yourselves therefore to God. Resist the devil, and he will flee from you." (James 4:7)*

"Be sober, be vigilant; because your adversary the devil, as a roaring lion, walketh about, seeking whom he may devour:
9 Whom resist stedfast in the faith, knowing that the same afflictions are accomplished in your brethren that are in the world. (1Peter 5:8-9)

CHAPTER 4

TYPES OF DEMONS

"And when he had called unto him his twelve disciples, he gave them power against unclean spirits, to cast them out..."
(Matthew 10:1)

In the scriptures we see our Lord Jesus dealing with different types of demons and devils that oppressed and possessed people.

As I have said in the beginning of this book, the words “demon and devil” are used interchangeably in the Bible to mean disembodied spirits – demons, or to mean fallen angels. Both are all unclean spirits of Satan.

In fact, the King James Version of the Bible uses the word "devils" to mean demons a lot of times.

A demon is a disembodied unclean spirit that seeks to possess the human body.

Fallen angels are devils which do not seek to possess human bodies because they have their own bodies. E.g Satan is a fallen archangel who has his own spiritual body.

In His ministry, Jesus dealt with a lot of demons and we are going to look at some examples below.

 # 1
The Demons of Violence

"And when he was come to the other side into the country of the Gergesenes, there met him two possessed with devils, coming out of the tombs, exceeding fierce, so that no man might pass by that way."
(Matthew 8:28)

Here Jesus met certain two guys who had the demons of violence.

They lived in the cemetery and they were so violent that no man was able to go that way.

Jesus delivered them. And let them go back to their families.

But the unfortunate thing is that we have people with the demons of violence in many homes. They

quickly get angry with anyone and beat up people.

I have heard about men who beat up their wives. Most of them are victims of the demon of violence.

This demon also seeks to possess leaders of organizations and even nations.

If a leader is possessed with a demon of violence he will cause mayhem in the societies.

The demon of violence does not only manifest through beating up people but even through any actions which cause destruction, emotional pain, physical pain, and sufferings.

May God deliver those who are under this demonic spirit.

#2
Dumb and Deaf spirit

"When Jesus saw that the people came running together, he rebuked the foul spirit, saying unto him, Thou dumb and deaf spirit, I charge thee, come out of him, and enter no more into him."
(Mark 9:25)

The other type of demons Jesus dealt with is a dumb and deaf spirit.

This demon causes its victims to fail to talk and hear. But I have to let you know that not all speech impediments, dumbness or deafness are caused by demons. Some are simply scientific or medical problems.

When one is possessed by the dumb and deaf spirit it will not just cause him not to hear or speak but it will also torment him heavily.

A man with a child who had this spirit explained how it operates. He said,

"Teacher, I brought my son to you, because he has an evil spirit in him and cannot talk.

Whenever the spirit attacks him, it throws him to the ground, and he foams at the mouth, grits his teeth, and becomes stiff all over. I asked your disciples to drive the spirit out, but they could not."
(Mark 9:17-18 GNB)

Did you see how this spirit works ? It torments its victim *"wherever it takes him, it puts him down violently, streaming at the lips and twisted with pain; and his strength goes from him..." (Mark 9:18 BBE)*

#3
Blind and Dumb spirit

"Then was brought unto him one possessed with a devil, blind, and dumb: and he healed him, insomuch that the blind and dumb both spake and saw."
(Matthew 12:22)

This demon causes its victims to be physically blind and and dumb.

Not all who are unable to see are demon possessed. Some are unable to see or speak due to physiological or neurological factors.

However, in this case they brought to Jesus a man who was blind and could not talk because he had a demon in him. Jesus healed the man, and then he was able to talk and see.

This blind and dumb spirit also torments and causes deep grief and sufferings in the life of its victim.

So, if someone is possessed by this demon, he can start talking and seeing once the demon is cast out.

#4
The spirit of affliction

"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."
(Matthew 15:22)

This Canaanite woman told Jesus that her daughter was grievously vexed with a devil.

To vex is to trouble, to harass, to annoy, to irritate or to afflict.

This woman's daughter was harassed, irritated, afflicted and troubled by a demon of affliction.

This spirit seeks to cause pain through afflicting the mind and the body of its victim.

Sicknesses, diseases, distress, discomfort, poverty and sufferings are all forms of affliction that are caused by this demon.

#5
The spirit of epilepsy

"Lord, have mercy on my son: for he is lunatick, and sore vexed: for ofttimes he falleth into the fire, and oft into the water. And Jesus rebuked the devil; and he departed out of him: and the child was cured from that very hour."
(Matthew 17:15,18)

This child had a demonic spirit of epilepsy. This is also a very bad and evil spirit.

The Amplified Version of Matthew 17:15 (AMP) says,*"Lord, do pity and have mercy on my son, for he has epilepsy (is moonstruck) and he suffers terribly; for frequently he falls into the fire and many times into the water."*

This spirit makes the victim to suffer terribly, to frequently fall into the fire and into the water.

This means each time it sees the fire or the water, it throws its victim into it either to burn him to death or to drown him.

#6
The spirit of murder

"Ye are of your father the devil, and the lusts of your father ye will do. He was a murderer from the beginning, and abode not in the truth, because there is no truth in him. When he speaketh a lie, he speaketh of his own: for he is a liar, and the father of it."
(John 8:44)

It is amazing that the spirit of murder is also the spirit of lying and hatred.

The Bible says, *"Whosoever hateth his brother is a murderer: and ye know that no murderer hath eternal life abiding in him." (1 John 3:15)*

So if you are full of lies and hatred, its a sign you may have this spirit of murder. Get delivered today!

There are people who can lie and still tell you the same lie five years later. It's not that they have a good memory but most of them are demon possessed!

Not everyone who makes a lie has this demon. But usually those who hate others and lie about them or falsely accuse them have this demon. They are called murderers by the Bible.

#7
The spirit of sorcery

"But Elymas the sorcerer (for so is his name by interpretation)

withstood them, seeking to turn away the deputy from the faith." (Acts 13:8)

This is the spirit of witchcraft. Witchcraft is the practice of witches and wizards; it is sorcery or the use of supernatural powers of darkness to manipulate, harm and afflict others with pain or death.

This spirit also manifests through jealous and envy. Its a very wicked spirit. In Africa, witchcraft is a big problem in many families.

Most of the strife, fights, cruelty, division of homes, church divisions, hatred, competitions, divorces, abortions and miscarriages are caused by this spirit of witchcraft.

To constantly hate and wish someone to fall into some evils and badluck is witchcraft.

Many have practised witchcraft unawares. Don't invite this demon into your life by your evil deeds or actions.

#8
The spirit of infirmity

"And certain women, which had been healed of evil spirits and infirmities, Mary called Magdalene, out of whom went seven devils (Luke 8:2)

The spirit of infirmity is the evil spirit that causes various evil afflictions and illnesses too. It is

also the demon that causes allergies.

It also causes one to be in a condition quality of being frail, physically, mentally, or morally.

People who are under this spirit have weakness of resolution; and they are easily deceived or seduced.

The spirit of infirmity makes the victims to be liable to fall from virtue and be easily led into sin. They are not strong against temptation. They are weak in resolution and unchaste.

Most women are victims of this demon. They are not resolute in their determination to resist romantic advances of every men who comes along their path!

Further more, in Luke 13:11 we see this spirit operating in one of its ways. Remember it also causes afflictions.

"And, behold, there was a woman which had a spirit of infirmity eighteen years, and was bowed together, and could in no wise lift up herself."

This woman was crippled by this spirit for eighteen years. She was bent over and could not straighten up at all. It was a painful condition.

The Amplified Bible calls this demon a spirit of sickness. It can cause physical sickness, mental sicknesses or emotional pain.

Many sicknesses that doctors can't figure out what is wrong are caused by this demon. Cancer, Diabetes, Heart diseases, Fevers, Hypertension and most female problems are also caused by this devil.

The woman which had an issue of blood for twelve years in Mark 5:25-34 was afflicted by this demon of infirmity.

This demon also launches attacks on masculinity and femininity of human beings. It makes a woman to love to be a man, and a man to love to be a woman.

Homosexuals and lesbians are products of this demon. It is the one that makes them homosexuals and lesbians and tells them there is nothing wrong with being gay.

#9
The spirit of divination

"And it came to pass, as we went to prayer, a certain damsel possessed with a spirit of divination met us, which brought her masters much gain by soothsaying."
(Acts 16:16)

This young servant girl had an evil spirit that enabled her to predict the future. She earned a lot of money for her owners by telling fortunes.

This demon is at work in most churches today and yet there is no one who can discern and cast it out.

Most of the fake prophets, fake pastors and fake brothers and sisters use this spirit to prophesy or to predict the future.

Also most of the white garments churches have leaders who use this spirit.

It prophesied accurately about Paul and his team so even though it lies a lot, it also speaks half truth in order to deceive people.

There was a white garment sect prophet who had a very large following that assembled every week near Mukuvisi river here in Harare.

I asked how he pulled such a crowd to his church and certain brethren who knew him said he

pulled a crowd through his prophetic powers.

I was interested to know how he started to prophesy. They told me that he was once a mad person who stayed in the streets and ate food from bins.

But one day his family members took him from the streets and through the help of a witch-doctor he became normal and from then he started hearing voices and seeing visions about people.

And people flocked to him to hear prophecies of their lives and the future. That's how he started his white garment church.

This is obvious he didn't use the gift of the Holy Spirit to prophesy because a witch-doctor cannot

impart a gift of the Holy Spirit but a demon.

So, this white garment prophet was possessed by a demon of divination.

The spirit of divination is also called *a familiar spirit, a demon of necromancy or python.*

It is a very rebellious and stubborn spirit that manifests false signs and wonders through the art of white witchcraft.

White witchcraft is magic performed with the intention of doing good or giving aid. But we all know the devil has no free gift but you pay with your life and soul one way or the other!

There is a story in the Bible when King Saul went to a woman that practiced divination and requested for Samuel to be brought up, though he was dead.

The question most Christians ask is: "Was it really Samuel that was brought up and if so, how, since Samuel was a man of God?"

Let's go over to where the story is in the Bible - 1 Samuel chapter number 28 from verse 7 to 23.

At this time Samuel, the prophet of God, was dead and King Saul didn't know what to do, because he always heard the Word of God from the prophet Samuel.

"Then said Saul unto his servants, Seek me a woman that hath a

familiar spirit, that I may go to her, and enquire of her.

And his servants said to him, Behold, there is a woman that hath a familiar spirit at Endor.

And Saul disguised himself, and put on other raiment, and he went, and two men with him, and they came to the woman by night: and he said, I pray thee, divine unto me by the familiar spirit, and bring me him up, whom I shall name unto thee.

And the woman said unto him, Behold, thou knowest what Saul hath done, how he hath cut off those that have familiar spirits, and the wizards, out of the land: wherefore then layest thou a snare for my life, to cause me to die?

And Saul sware to her by the LORD, saying, As the LORD liveth, there shall no punishment happen to thee for this thing.

Then said the woman, Whom shall I bring up unto thee? And he said, Bring me up Samuel.

And when the woman saw Samuel, she cried with a loud voice: and the woman spake to Saul, saying, Why hast thou deceived me? for thou art Saul.

And the king said unto her, Be not afraid: for what sawest thou? And the woman said unto Saul, I saw gods ascending out of the earth.

And he said unto her, What form is he of ? And she said, An old man cometh up; and he is covered with a mantle.

And Saul perceived that it was Samuel, and he stooped with his face to the ground and bowed himself.

And Samuel said to Saul, Why hast thou disquieted me, to bring me up ?

And Saul answered, I am sore distressed; for the Philistines make war against me, and God is departed from me, and answereth me no more, neither by prophets, nor by dreams: therefore I have called thee, that thou mayest make known unto me what I shall do.

Then said Samuel, Wherefore then dost thou ask of me, seeing the LORD is departed from thee, and is become thine enemy?

And the LORD hath done to him, as he spake by me: for the LORD hath rent the kingdom out of thine hand, and given it to thy neighbour, even to David: Because thou obeyedst not the voice of the LORD, nor executedst his fierce wrath upon Amalek, therefore hath the LORD done this thing unto thee this day.

Moreover the LORD will also deliver Israel with thee into the hand of the Philistines: and to morrow shalt thou and thy sons be with me: the LORD also shall deliver the host of Israel into the hand of the Philistines.

Then Saul fell straightway all along on the earth, and was sore afraid, because of the words of Samuel: and there was no strength in him; for he had eaten no bread all the day, nor all the night.

And the woman came unto Saul, and saw that he was sore troubled, and said unto him, Behold, thine handmaid hath obeyed thy voice, and I have put my life in my hand, and have hearkened unto thy words which thou spakest unto me.

Now therefore, I pray thee, hearken thou also unto the voice of thine handmaid, and let me set a morsel of bread before thee; and eat, that thou mayest have strength, when thou goest on thy way.

But he refused, and said, I will not eat. But his servants, together with the woman, compelled him; and he hearkened unto their voice. So he arose from the earth, and sat upon the bed. ” (1 Samuel 28:7-23)

Many people believe that Samuel

actually was permitted by God to show up at this time. But the most important thing here is, God was not happy about what Saul did.

God was still mad at Saul for going to the witch of Endor, which means whether it was Samuel that was brought up or it was a familiar spirit that came up, it made no difference to God at this time.

God was saying, “Saul, King of Israel, you are wrong for going to the witch at Endor,” and I want to show that to you.

So, whether or not it was Samuel, it was not pleasing to God, because what was important to God was that Saul went to the witch of Endor to consult a familiar spirit.

What King Saul wanted was a familiar spirit; he knew he was going to a woman who could bring up to him a familiar spirit.

The Bible tells us, from verse 7, *"Then said Saul unto his servants, Seek me a woman that hath a familiar spirit,"* so he was not expecting for Samuel to come up; he wanted a familiar spirit.

A familiar spirit is an evil spirit, a demon spirit that understands the language of a particular person; he knows the mannerisms of that person, knows the character of that person and can feign that character.

A familiar spirit can even speak about the future and sometimes what they say could come to pass.

Why? Because sometimes they can arrange it and because these are demonic activities and not of God, it cannot be absolutely certain.

So, God doesn't want us to depend on them. In 1 Chronicles chapter 10 from verse 13 we are told, *"So Saul died for his transgression which he committed against the LORD, even against the word of the LORD, which he kept not, and also for asking counsel of one that had a familiar spirit, to enquire of it; And enquired not of the LORD: therefore he slew him, and turned the kingdom unto David the son of Jesse."*

God was angry with Saul, and Saul died for not obeying the word of the Lord and for going to the witch to consult a familiar spirit.

See that, *"For asking counsel of one that had a familiar spirit, to enquire of it."* So, he was slain by God.

Now, in Exodus chapter 22, verse 18, to show you how bad Saul's actions were the Bible says *"Thou shalt not suffer a witch to live."*

God commanded them: "don't permit a witch to live," and Saul, being the King of Israel, should have actually killed this woman because she was a witch, and God said *"you must not allow a witch to live."* This was a commandment He gave to Israel.

In Isaiah chapter 8 from verse 19: *"And when they shall say unto you, Seek unto them that have familiar spirits, and unto wizards that peep, and that mutter: should*

not a people seek unto their God? for the living to the dead?"

That means, "Why should the living seek information from the dead?" That's necromancy.

Necromancy is a method of divination through alleged communication with the dead!

"To the law and to the testimony: if they speak not according to this word, it is because there is no light in them." (Isaiah 8:20)

So, God always let us know He was not in support of His children going to consult with familiar spirits or listening to messages from the spirits of the dead.

So, whichever way, Saul was wrong and that's what's important.

Divination is not right in any form, whether you're consulting with familiar spirits of those who are alive or you're consulting with familiar spirits of those who have died or you're just consulting with demons; it's wrong!

Don't try to find the future by consulting spirits of the dead, whether that dead person was a man of God or not; you're not supposed to do that. It's wrong.

You must consult with the Holy Spirit and those whom the Lord has appointed over you.

The Bible says, *"...if they speak not according to this word, it is because there is no light in them."*

Lastly, according to 1 Chronicles

10:13 we clearly see that Saul did not talk with Samuel but with a familiar spirit that imitated Samuel.

1 Chronicles 10:13 says, *"So Saul died for his transgression which he committed against the LORD, even against the word of the LORD, which he kept not, and also for asking counsel of one that had a familiar spirit, to enquire of it;*

The witch of Endor did not bring up Samuel's spirit from the dead because she couldn't but she brought up a demon called the familiar spirit that imitated Samuel. This is how she deceived King Saul.

#10
The spirit of the world

Ye adulterers and adulteresses, know ye not that the friendship of the world is enmity with God? whosoever therefore will be a friend of the world is the enemy of God.
(James 4:4)

The spirit of the world can be understood in one of three ways. In one interpretation, the spirit of the world is a demonic spirit or perhaps Satan in particular.

Elsewhere in Scripture, Satan is called *"the ruler of this world" (John 12:31; 14:30; 16:11)* and *"the god of this world" (2 Corinthians 4:4).* He is *"the spirit who is now at work in those who are disobedient" (Ephesians 2:2).*

The phrase the spirit of the world is a term the apostle Paul used in 1 Corinthians 2:12, where he contrasts the spirit of the world with the Spirit of God: *"What we have received is not the spirit of the world, but the Spirit who is from God, so that we may understand what God has freely given us."*

It's clear the spirit of the world is first of all Satan himself and second his demons that work in his department of lust and pride.

The Bible says, *"Love not the world, neither the things that are in the world. If any man love the world, the love of the Father is not in him. For all that is in the world, the lust of the flesh, and the lust of the eyes, and the pride of life, is not of*

the Father, but is of the world." (1 John 2:15-16)

This spirit influences one to have the lust of the flesh, the lust of the eyes and the pride of life. It makes its victims to appear perfect externally but internally they are full of lust and pride.

People with this spirit do not acknowledge or give God praise but they take all the glory. They believe they have achieved everything they have by hardwork only and not by God.

In Deuteronomy 8:17-18 warns that you shall not say in your heart, your power and the might of your hand has gotten you this wealth. But you shall remember the LORD your God: for it is He that gives you power to get wealth,

that He may establish His covenant which He sware unto our fathers, as it is this day!

Also people with the spirit of the world are very selfish.

A selfish person is only concerned excessively or exclusively with oneself. He seeks or concentrate on one's own advantage, pleasure, or well-being without regard for others.

Then lastly those with this spirit worship positions and they idolize things like money, sex and fame. In fact, the love of money rules them. Appearance is more important to them than the spirit man.

#11
Spirit of Antichrist

"And every spirit that confesseth not that Jesus Christ is come in the flesh is not of God: and this is that spirit of antichrist, whereof ye have heard that it should come; and even now already is it in the world." (1 John 4:3

I believe you have met or heard people with this spirit talking. Most of them write nonsense on social media and some even go further to write books.

How do you recognize this spirit of the antichrist ? The Bible says, *"every spirit that confesseth not that Jesus Christ is come in the flesh is not of God: and this is that spirit of antichrist."*

This spirit manifests in different ways. It is against Christ and His Word, it harasses and persecutes the saints and twists God's Word and say it doesn't mean what it says.

They twist the word of God to Satan’s advantage. It is a spirit of deception.

Atheists are possessed by this spirit that is why you hear an atheist or a person with this demon trying to explain away the power of God and miracles.

Traditionalists also have this spirit. This is the spirit that functioned in the hearts of the Pharisees. They made the word of God of none effect through their traditions (Mark 7:13).

Most traditionalists say Jesus is the God of the whites, and some say the blacks will have their own black Jesus, etc. They have all types of heressies that the antichrist spirit has taught them.

But we all know Jesus is not the God of the whites but He is the Lord of all (Acts 10:36).

The people with this demon also blaspheme the gifts of the Spirit of God.

This spirit also causes them to be full of all kinds of bad habits and iniquities like immorality, sexual perversions, homosexuality, deviant behaviour and lawlessness.

#12
Spirit of Error

"We are of God: he that knoweth God heareth us; he that is not of God heareth not us. Hereby know we the spirit of truth, and the spirit of error." (1 John 4:6)

The spirit of error works with the antichrist, the false prophet, false teachers and false brethren. They deceive and teach error. This was also the spirit that was in Jezebel.

"Notwithstanding I have a few things against thee, because thou sufferest that woman Jezebel, which calleth herself a prophetess, to teach and to seduce my servants to commit fornication, and to eat things sacrificed unto idols." (Rev. 2:20)

This spirit exalts names of leaders other than Jesus and it is bound more each time to defend error and intellectualism. Most cults are formed through the work of this spirit.

Some of the people with the spirit of error manifest as racists. They hate other races because they think that they are the better race, superior or better than others. Its a spirit of error.

Hitler had this evil spirit that supported the spirit of the antichrist that was also in him.

Adolf Hitler was not “the antichrist” who shall come and sign a peace treaty with Israel (Daniel 9:27). But he was an evil

man full with the spirit of antichrist.

#13
Spirit of Fear

"For God hath not given us the spirit of fear; but of power, and of love, and of a sound mind."
(2 Timothy 1:7)

This is one of the best demons of Satan that he loves to use before he strikes his victims with evil.

For you to please God you must have faith "*for without faith it is impossible to please Him" (Hebrews 11:6).*

Through faith God will do miracles, signs and wonders in your life and in this world.

In the same manner fear is negative faith. It is faith in the ability of the enemy.

Satan uses the spirit of fear to do evil in peoples lives. People who are attacked by this demon are timid, shy and they are easily frightened. They have no faith in God. In other words they are faithless!

Job was attacked by this spirit long before Satan came to strike him with evil (Job 3:25-26).

Without fear Satan couldn't do anything because Job was surrounded by God's hedge of protection (Job 1:9-10).

Through yielding to the demon of fear over time, Job destroyed the hedge of protection that was around him and the devil had a field day in his life.

Job almost died as Satan was destroying everything he owned and he was even made sick with sores all over his body.

The spirit of fear also causes insecurities, anxieties and worry.

The moment you yield to it the demons of all kinds and types will see it and come rushing to oppress and afflict you with one thing to the other.

Let me tell you a few things about me and also something that I learnt a long time ago.

I learnt that Satan uses fear to work in people's lives and God uses faith so I began to resist fear and I started practising to walk by faith.

Many Christians walk by fear unawares. That is why Satan does not leave their compounds and lives.

How does faith come ? *"So then faith cometh by hearing, and hearing by the word of God." (Rom 10:17).* Faith comes by hearing the Word of God.

Fear also comes in the same manner. Fear comes by hearing the words of Fear and the words of Satan.

You have to resist, reject and delete the words of fear or devils. Don't process them in your mind if they come to you through TV, people, dreams, visions, or thoughts.

The Bible says, *"cast down imaginations, and every high thing that exalteth itself against the knowledge of God, and bringing into captivity every thought to the obedience of Christ"(2 Cor 10:5)*

Every thought, every imagination and every knowledge that is against the knowledge of God about you, your place or your things must be cast down. Don't meditate on it.

In my life there are scriptures that guide and lead me . If you come to me with a word that is not inline

with those scriptures I will not be afraid. Either I will dismiss your words or simply ignore them.

The first scripture is 2 Corinthians 5:17 that says, I am a new creation in Christ Jesus.

The second scripture is Proverbs 4:18 that says, my path is as a shining light that shines brighter and brighter unto the perfect day. You see there is no destruction along my path.

And the last scripture is Jeremiah 29:11 where God says, *"I alone know the plans I have for you, plans to bring you prosperity and not disaster, plans to bring about the future you hope for." (Jeremiah 29:11 GNB).*

You see, God has no evil plans to bring me disaster so if you come to me telling me about disaster I will ignore. I don't process or meditate on the plans of disaster that the devils has for me. I ignore!

If you are a person who loves to be led by dreams and not by the Word of God then Satan will give various people scary dreams about you in order to make you afraid so that he will have an opportunity to strike you.

Let me tell you a short story. Some time in 2016 I was invited to preach in a certain church in Cape Town, South Africa.

I went and stayed there for about three weeks preaching the Word in that church. It was great. The

power of God was moving mightily in every church service we did.

The time came when I was to leave and go back home so the resident pastor there bought me an air ticket. So I was to fly back home from Cape Town to Harare on a specified date.

In that church there was a certain lady who was feared by the whole church because she always had dreams that came to pass.

Each time she had a dream about someone in the church she went and told them and they all happened.

None of her dreams failed and everyone thought that she was a great prophetess.

So, she came to where I was staying and requested to see me together with the resident pastor who was my host.

She had a dream about me and she wanted me to hear it and also to obey her warning and instructions.

She was not aware that I was to travel by air back home that night. But hear what she said to me that morning, “Man of God, last night I had a dream in which you were involved in a plane crash. It was so severe that everyone including you died in that crash so if you are expecting to fly back home anytime soon please cancel your flight!”

I looked at her and laughed. I wasn't laughing at her but at the

devil. I said to her, “I am not canceling my flight, am flying back home tonight!”

When I said that my host (her pastor) began to narrate to me all the dreams of this woman that happened. All she dreamt came to pass.

For example, she dreamt of a praise team member having miscarriage and sure she did.

She had a dream about three accidents of church members and all happened. In another instance she had a dream of a young girl dying and surely she died.

I was told one testimony after the other of all the dreams she had in order to convince me to cancel my flight.

My host said, “Man of God, if you refuse to listen and go ahead with your flight tonight you'll die in a plane crash according to this dream.”

I looked at them and laughed again. They wondered why I laughed.

I told them that my life is not led by dreams people have for me but by the Word of God and that the dreams of this woman are just revealing the plans of the devil against me and I was not afraid of them.

I also showed them that all the dreams that woman ever had were negative dreams and the reason they came to pass is that her hearers believed them and got fear.

I told them I am a child of God who is led by the Word of God and not by negative dreams therefore I am not afraid of anything.

My host couldn't believe it and she couldn't believe it too. From there I went shopping in preparation of my flight and later on that night I flew back home safely. There was no plane crash. Glory to God!

Imagine if I had feared her dreams and still flew back home that night. I was going to have a plane crash.

Listen, the devil had planned it, he wanted me to perish with the rest of those I was going to fly with to Harare but I didn't have fear, in fact I quoted my scriptures 2

Corithians 5:17, Jeremiah 29:11 and Proverbs 4:18 to them and to myself and the negative dream was canceled just like that! I didn't pray or fast. I just resisted the demon of fear by the Word.

Imagine how many have had miscarriages, accidents, divorces, sicknesses, diseases, death, poverty or some ills simply because they believed a negative dream, permitted and opened a door for Satan to strike them ? They are so many.

In church you have to be very careful of such people who prophesy negative things to you or about you everytime. Don't be afraid of them.

#14
The spirit of whoredoms

"Harlotry and wine and new wine take away the heart and the mind and the spiritual understanding."
(Hosea 4:11 (AMP)

The spirit of whoredoms is the spirit of harlotry or prostitution

This is the spirit that justifies all forms of sexuals sins, incest, adultery, bestiality, orgies, fornication, lust, impure thoughts, pornography, seduction and every sexual perversions and idolatry.

People with this spirit walk in deep lust and the love of money. They don't dress properly but they love to exhibit their bodies to lure customers.

If this demon gets into the church you'll have church members sleeping with one another everywhere.

I know a Pastor who was very innocent and faithful to his wife. One day there came a lady to church who had this demon.

At first the Pastor resisted her and even rebuked her each time she seduced him.

But one day this faithful man of God fell prey to this demonic woman and he slept with her right in church when everyone was not there. Believe me, this Pastor told me this story himself.

He said from the day he slept with that woman he began to feel

uncontrollable urges to sleep with more ladies.

At this point I have to let you know that this Pastor was not possessed by a demon of prostitution but he was obsessed and oppressed by it.

Through sexual intercourse with that lady demons of lust, demons of prostitution and perversions began to oppress this man of God until he gave in to their demands.

He began to sleep with women in his church. He slept with all the Praise team members, the wives of the Deacons and Elders and even with women who were much older than him. It was a total disaster!

In many churches this demon is responsible for destroying pastors

and church elders. Its a very wicked spirit.

Most church members will stop coming to church when they fall into the hands of this demon. You must deal with it and pray for those members.

#15
The spirit of bondage

"For ye have not received the spirit of bondage again to fear; but ye have received the Spirit of adoption, whereby we cry, Abba, Father."
(Romans 8:15)

The characteristics and manifestations of this demon are numerous. This demon oppresses

and keeps its victims bound and in captivity.

People with the demon of bondage sometimes they are forced to do the things they always regret after.

And most of them who are bound by this spirit struggle with one addiction to the other. Addictions like over eating, smoking, drinking, drug abuse, excessive playing video games or watching tv, masturbation and sex, etc are all indications of this spirit.

The person with this demon thinks he can't live without a certain bad habit or substance. They have to abuse drugs, or have illicit sex with every woman, etc for them to be satisfied for a season.

#16
Demon of Stinginess

"For who makes you differ from another? And what do you have that you did not receive? Now if you did indeed receive it, why do you boast as if you had not received it?"
(1 Corinthians 4:7)

There is a demon of stinginess, a spirit of darkness that causes people to boast as if they have not received all they have in life.

Everything we have we have received from the grace of God.

Be it life, money, clothes, cars, houses, lands, etc we all got them from God's grace. If God didn't give

them you wouldn't have had any of them.

He gave you life to begin with which is very important otherwise you wouldn't be existing or alive today.

The Bible says, *"For who makes you differ from another? And what do you have that you did not receive ?"*

Everything we have we received it from God. And God does not give evil gifts but only the good and perfect gifts you have (James 1:17).

For example Jesus said, *"...God makes His sun rise on the evil and on the good, and sends rain on the just and on the unjust." (Matthew 5:45 NKJ)*

God gives both the Christian and the heathen sunlight and rain. These are good gifts that if both are utilized you will have great harvests, food and lots of money, etc.

Imagine if God only sends rain to the fields of the Christians what will become of those who are not born again ? They will suffer lack, hunger and poverty.

But God gives both the just and the unjust rain because of His love and grace.

I am trying to prove to you that no matter who you are and no matter your religion or what you think, all you have you have received it from God directly or indirectly!

The children you have are good and perfect gifts from God. The Bible says, *"Children are a blessing and a gift from the LORD." (Ps.127:3 CEV)*

Amazingly God gives children to both the just and the unjust, to the wicked and to the righteous, to the Christian and to the non-Christian.

So, all you have is from the Lord God. Don't boast in yourself but boast in the Lord.

You don't need to be stingy. There are lots of people who are motivated by stingy devils and demons in churches who openly don't support their pastors.

They can't be blessed too much because they are motivated by demons to be stingy.

.People wonder why God isn't in some church and why He isn't blessing them. He can't bless the stingy people.

If the spirit of stinginess is controlling the church it will grieve the Holy Spirit.

I once had a son who was so stingy. He didn't give even if he had some money.

For years he was there in church but never improved. He was oppressed by a demon of stinginess.

He watched his friends upgrading and prospering in life through

giving tithes, offerings and seeds but he felt I wanted to crook him and rob him of his money.

But the more he didn't give it, the more it didn't multiply because God didn't bless it and his life became miserable!

CHAPTER 5

AUTHORITY OVER DEVILS

"Behold, I have given you authority to tread upon serpents and scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy: and nothing shall in any wise hurt you".
(Luke 10:19 ASV)

If you are born again it means you are a child of God and you have power over the devil and all of his demons. There is no need to fear them.

In the King James Version of the Bible our opening scriptures reads, "*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.*"

Jesus is saying I have given you power and authority over all (not some) the power of the enemy and over all demons and devils and nothing shall by any means hurt you.

This scripture has kept me protected from the onslaught of

the devil for many years. Through reading and meditating on it I understoond that the devil cannot harm me.

The only place the devil can harm me is when I get out of the Word of God. But why should I expose myself to the enemy ? I'd rather stay in the Word forever.

An understanding of who you are in Christ gives you the authority to command Satan to flee and nothing shall by any means hurt you.

In Mark 16:17 we are told that a believer has the power and authority in the name of Jesus Christ to cast out devils.

Jesus said,*"these signs shall follow them that believe; in my*

name shall they cast out devils..." (Mark 16:17).

The Bible says, *"greater is he that is in you, than he that is in the world" (1 John 4:4).*

This means you are not alone. You have God the Holy Spirit in you and devils will come out if you command them.

Your authority over the devil is unquestionable. It is absolute authority and power that no demon can overcome.

However, stay away from sin; stay away from pornographic materials. They bring you into demonic lusts, evil, fornication, adulteries and grievous bondages.

The devil rules and controls on earth. In Ephesians 2:2, Satan is called *"the prince of the power of the air."*

As such, he spreads his rebellion and evil into every corner of mankind, including family, business, social, political, and even religious life.

But the good news is that even though Satan rules in the hearts of heathens he doesn't rule over the Christians, or the church. Jesus is the Lord and God of the Christians.

In 2Corinthians 4:4 the devil is called the god of this world. Which means the systems of this world are under the control of the devil and he manipulates them at will anytime he wants.

But in your world, don't allow the devil to occupy your space and to do what he wants. You have absolute power over him and you can bind or cast him out any time, in the Name of Jesus!

Here on earth we must deal with a persistent adversary who is out to make war on the saints, but please don't be discouraged. The devil is a defeated foe.

I am happy to report that the day is coming when *"the devil that deceived them was cast into the lake of fire and brimstone...and shall be tormented day and night for ever and ever" (Revelation 20:10).* Glory to God!

Thank you for reading this book but the information, knowledge

and revelation you got from this book is not enough - there is more to be acquired.

I want you to go further and read my book called “THE NAME OF JESUS” to complete the subject we have started in this book. God bless you.

THE END