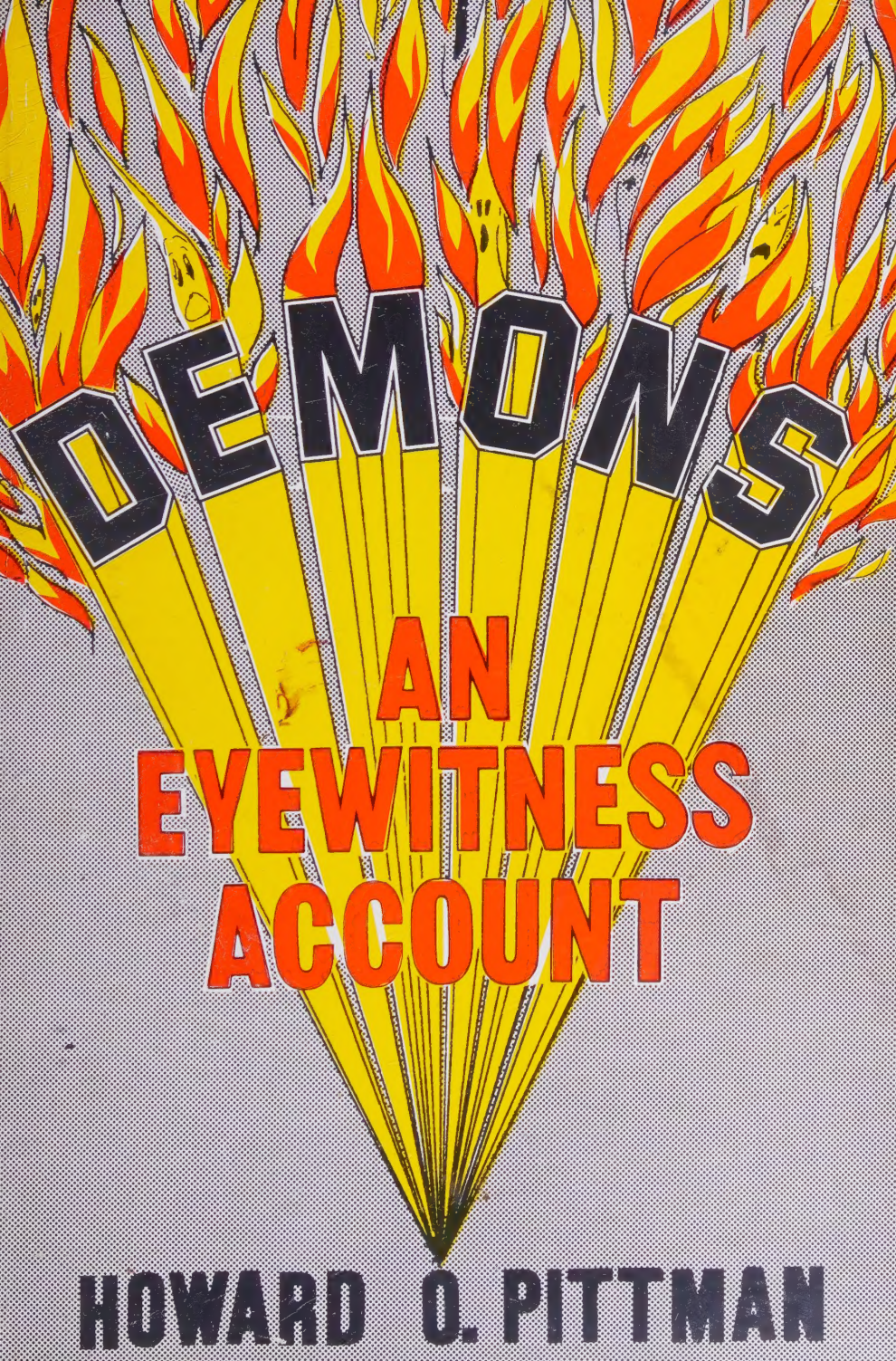

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FOREWORD

On August 3, 1979, the greatest miracle of this age happened to me. That day I suffered what appeared to be a physical death as the result of a sudden rupture of an internal artery. While physicians worked frantically on me in an emergency room, my spirit was separated from my body and taken into the spirit world where I was allowed to see many startling things.

The details of this experience were reported in some depth in my book entitled Placebo. One area I did not cover as fully as I would have liked is the portion that deals with the demons. For this purpose, I am writing this book. It is necessary for me to cover in detail all that I experienced and all that was revealed to me regarding the demons and their entire operations in this physical world.

It is not my intent to re-examine that portion of my experience which I related in depth in my first book but, rather, to cover in greater detail the activities of the demons in this present, physical world. This must be done so that the Christians might be forewarned and forearmed. I was allowed to experience this event so that you might know.

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DEDICATION

I dedicate this book to the Supreme Creator, our Heavenly Father, who was so very merciful to me, and to the faithful congregation of the New Philadelphian Church. I also would like to mention my brother and sister in Christ, David and Joanne Carraway, who have helped me with the editing and distribution of my books.

In addition, I dedicate this book to my wife, Joyce, who stood alone by me in the darkest hour of my physical life; and to the memory of my physical father, Ephram Pittman, who taught me what real love is.

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CHAPTER 1
THE CLONE

"So God created man in His own image, in the image of God created He him; male and female created He them." (Genesis 1:27) With these words the Bible begins telling us what we really are. Throughout the entire Bible that thought is never lost for it is repeated again and again—man is made in the image of God. I am sure that first man knew this fact and remembered it well. Because of that over-riding, repeatedly stated fact of the Bible, present man should know it also; but he does not for man has long lost sight of what he truly is. When today's man sees or hears the creation statement of being made in the image of God, he conjures up, in his mind, a picture of God that looks like a man. By thus doing, man has turned the creation statement around making it to say that God is made in the image of man. This is very sad for nothing could be farther from the truth.

Man in God's image or God in man's image?

To know what we really are, we must know what God truly is. The Bible says three immutable things about God:

1. He is a Spirit.
2. He is invisible.
3. He is immortal.

Therefore, if we are made in the image of God, then we are a spirit, we are invisible, and we are immortal. This is a factual statement because the Bible repeats it throughout its pages.

Man's true image is invisible

If we are to accept the Bible, then we cannot deny that we are made in the image of God. If, then, we are truly the image of God, that physical image we present to the world is not our true image because our true image is invisible. Our physical image is confined to this world only, whereas our true image is invisible to the physical eyes and can only be "seen" when one is in the spirit realm.

Man is Clone of God

If we are made in the image of God, then what are we? Webster's Dictionary defines "image" as "a reproduction or imitation of the form of a person or thing; exact likeness; or semblance." If we are an exact likeness of God then we are CLONES, since a clone is but a reproduction or exact likeness of the one being cloned!

Now that we have established that we are clones and that we are an exact likeness of our Creator, does that mean we are all mirror images of one another? Does this mean that, spiritually, we all look alike? Let us find the answer by looking back to when God created

man. When first created, all spirits were duplications of the Creator. However, God added a second dimension to that clone by giving him a soul. (Genesis 2:7) The soul is that part of our being that makes us, as spirits, become an individual. With the soul came man's ability to exercise his sovereign will. The sovereign will is an attribute that came as a result of being cloned. Without the soul, man could not exercise a sovereign will. In the physical world, we see the soul being reflected through the physical body as a person's personality. There are absolutely no two persons with the same personality or soul. From this we see that man is triune—having a spirit, a body, and a soul.

Man is triune

All other living, breathing animals in this world are not triune. They are only two-dimensional in that they are made up of body and soul, but not spirit. In mankind, the soul belongs to his spirit, and not to his body. When man's body dies, his spirit retains the soul or personality. This, however, is not the situation with the other animals of this world. The animal's soul does belong to the animal's body, and when the animal's body dies, its soul dies with it. Mankind is the only part of creation made in the image of God, therefore, his spirit and soul never die.

Man's soul and spirit are immortal

Just as God is immortal, so is mankind immortal. We shall never cease to exist. The Bible tells us that God has always been, and He shall always be. Since we are His clones, then we, also, shall always be. The Bible tells us this fact, and it also states that there has been a place prepared for this immortal image of God. Immortal man will exist in that prepared place. In fact, there are two prepared places in eternity where immortal man will exist. This fact brings us to the purpose or man's short stay in the physical body which is called "life." (James 4:14)

Man chooses his place in eternity

The spirit of man must make a choice while in this short life as to where he wants to spend eternity. The Bible tells us that these two prepared places in eternity are very different. The immortal spirit of man will spend eternity in one of these places based on his choice made in this life. His spirit will not abide partially in one place and then partially in the other place. When the spirit of man is freed from the physical body by death, the spirit will go immediately to one of these two places. Wherever that spirit goes, it will remain for eternity. (Luke 16:26) The Bible calls one of these places Heaven which, of course, is the best place. (2 Corinthians 5:2) The second place, which the Bible calls Hell, is the worst place. (Matthew 25:41)

The Bible further states that there are only two paths laid out in

Only two paths for man

this physical world whereby man may walk. One of these paths is laid out by God. He tells all people through His Holy Word to follow Him through this path which will lead to that place called Heaven. The other path is laid out by Satan, and God said in His Word that those who follow that path shall end up in Hell. Oh man, no matter what you think, these are the only two choices you have in this physical life. Whatever choice you make will be made with your sovereign will. If you choose God's path, you will know it; however, you can choose Satan's path without even acknowledging his existence.

Man chooses his own path

Invisible spirit beings influence man's choice

The Bible tells us that Heaven is a place of joy, (Luke 15:7) and that Hell is a place of everlasting punishment. (Matthew 25:46) If then, the immortal spirit of man has the choice of spending his eternity in a place of joy or a place of punishment, why would not all choose the place of joy? The answer to this question is not that simple. Why not? Because there is a whole host of invisible spirit beings working day and night, trying to influence the immortal spirit of man in his choice.

Those invisible spirit beings are what we are going to discuss in this book. We shall discuss how they influence man to make the choices he makes. In most of the cases where man has made the choice to follow the path of Satan, man is unaware that he has done so. This is possible because of the great power of deception that Satan possesses. Man has made the choice under the influence of those invisible spirit beings, without being aware of their influence and, in most cases, without even believing those invisible spirit beings exists.

Make no mistake about it. Those invisible beings really do exist. Some are evil and work with Satan, and some are good and work with God. They are real, and they exist on both sides. Those who are there to help us along God's path for our lives are called ministering spirits or angels, (Hebrews 1:14) and those that are there to help keep one on Satan's path are called evil spirits or devils. (Matthew 12:24) It is these evil spirits, or devils, that we will examine in this book.

Now let us look at another aspect of triune man—invisibility. Just as God the Creator is invisible, so is His clone, the spirit of man. Even though the immortal spirit of man has a form and a shape, it is impossible to see this spirit of man with the physical eyes. The spirit can communicate to that which is spirit, but the spirit cannot communicate to flesh, except through flesh as the vehicle. The spirit, when removed from flesh, can see and communicate with

other spirits. It can "see" and "hear" those things of the physical world also, but it cannot communicate to that world except through a physical body.

Spirits contact world through flesh

Not only does the spirit of man need a physical body through which to communicate to this physical world, but so do all the other spirit beings. The only way open for clear, concise communication from spirit beings to physical beings is through physical bodies. Since the spirit of man is the only one assigned a physical body, and all those other spirit beings need or desire one, the fight to control that body is even greater than what one might think. It is impossible for the soul or personality of any spirit to be reflected to this physical world except through a physical body.

Possessed person's spirit is imprisoned

"And when He was come out of the ship, immediately there met him out of the tombs a man with an unclean spirit,." (Mark 5:2) In this scripture the Bible gives us an account of a human being that had been totally possessed by those invisible spirit beings. Those other spirit beings had taken total control of that man's physical body. The man's own spirit was locked up inside his own physical body and had no control over his body. Since his own spirit had been taken prisoner within his own physical body, he could not communicate to this physical world.

If you read the account closely, you will note the personality reflected by the physical body is not the personality of the true spirit within. You will notice that when Jesus cast out the invading demons, the true spirit of that man was then capable of being reflected through that body. The true spirit within that body was such a prisoner that the maniac could not even talk through it. Even the one speaking was one of the invading spirits. After the evil spirits had been cast out, this man appeared to be entirely new. It was, however, the same man; only now the true spirit had total control over his own physical body.

Demoniac's own spirit could not cry for help

The only way that true spirit within the body could have received any help was from the outside. This individual was so totally possessed that he was unable to cry out for help. Here is a very important lesson to learn. Many times it is only by the actions of that physical body that we may know that a person is possessed and in need of help. Jesus recognized the plight of this individual and immediately cast out the demons.

Let us consider how this man became possessed. Demons or evil spirits can only possess man by one of two ways. The first way, which accounts for ninety per cent of demon possession in

Two reasons for possession

humanity, is by mankind willfully allowing the possession. To phrase it more simply, in ninety percent of all cases of demon activity in humans, the person's own spirit residing within his body has given permission for entrance. However, in almost all the cases, the demons or evil spirits used lying and cunning trickery to enter the individual through which they are working. This means that man's sovereign will had to be lowered and he had to allow the demons to enter. Since man is made in the image of God with the same type of sovereign will his Creater has, no one can violate or trangress that will unless there exists very special, rare circumstances which will be discussed later.

Demon possession must come through man's sovereign will

When man has lowered his sovereign will and allowed demon possession, then the good, invisible spirits known as God's angels cannot help him since man willfully allowed this possession. God's angels, who are here to help man, cannot violate man's will in the matter. When the possession becomes complete, as in the Biblical account in Mark 5, man is then a prisoner, unable to even ask for help. Remember that the man in Mark was possessed because he allowed it. Even though these evil spirits lied to him, he was not forced to believe the lie. He made the choice to believe it.

The rare exception to this type of demon possession is found in less than ten per cent of the cases, and then only by special permission from God. This type possession is allowed only in special cases and for special purposes. We shall discuss this in detail in a latter chapter of this book.

We see that invisible man can manipulate and operate in this physical world only through a physical body. This is also true of those other spirit beings in that spirit realm. In order to manipulate and operate any objects in this physical world, these beings must possess or control a physical body to some degree.

Know the enemy

The desire by demons to control a physical body is not just for the purpose of reflecting their own personality to this world. That is just one of the side benefits they enjoy. Their main purpose is to accomplish their master's will. Their master's will and purpose has been cleverly hidden from the eyes of this world. In order for Satan to successfully hide his will and purpose from mankind, he must conceal himself. To direct and manipulate the destiny of man, while at the same time remaining anonymous, is no small feat. So, out of this battle plan has emerged the most skillful deceiver of all time. Mankind can never win this war with those invisible spirit beings without first knowing the nature of their leader, the great unholy spirit, Satan himself.

Before one can prepare himself for this spiritual warfare, he must know, for sure, his own limitations and abilities. Man must be convinced that he is triune, and that he battles with his spirit through the battleground, the mind. Each part of man has a role to play in this struggle. The final outcome of this struggle will be revealed when the true spirit of man shall one day stand before one of the two great thrones of judgment. He will stand either before the Judgment Seat of Christ, or he will stand before the Great White Throne of God. Before what throne you stand shall be determined directly or indirectly by your sovereign will. You may choose to believe God, or you may choose to believe Satan. If you believe God, you will acknowledge Him. You can choose to believe Satan and not even acknowledge his existence. Regardless of your choice, know this and know it well. You are made in the image of God. You are the first clone.

CHAPTER 2
THE ENEMY (SATAN)

"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) From the Holy Bible we get a picture of the original sinner who was the first to rebel against God—the very first in all of creation to turn against his Creator. He is the leader of all who are anti-God. Who is he? What is he? Where did he come from? What is his purpose? We shall attempt to answer each of theses questions from the Holy Scriptures.

Who is Satan?

Question number one: Who is he? Matthew 10:25, Mark 3:22, Luke 11:15, and Revelation 12:7 tell us that he is the prince of demons. John 8:44, Acts 8:10, 2 Corinthians 11:4, and Revelation 12:9 tell us that he is a deceiver and liar. Revelation 2:9 and Revelation 3:9 tell us that he is the patron of false professors. From these scriptures we see that this particular being is the prince of demons, a deceiver, a liar, and the patron of false professors. However, he is all of this and much more.

What is Satan?

Question number two: What is he? Revelation 12:7-9 tells us he is the greatest of the fallen spirits. Therefore, we know he is a fallen spirit, but not just any fallen spirit. He is the greatest fallen spirit, and we know from the Bible that he is the second most powerful being in all of creation. The very names given to him in the Bible indicate his greatness and strength. Some of the names the Bible gives him are:

Abaddon
Accuser
Adversary
Angel of the bottomless pit
Apollyon
Beelzebub
Belial
God of this world
Prince of demons
Murderer
Old Serpent
Prince of the power of the air
Prince of this world
Ruler of darkness
Satan

Serpent
Wicked one

What is Satan's origin?

Question number three: Where did he come from? First Timothy 3:6, Isaiah 14:12 and Revelation 12:3-4 paint for us a picture of this being's fall from heaven. He was once the greatest of all spirits that ministered unto our Lord. We see from the Bible account that he allowed "pride" and "self" to cause his fall, thus leading to a rebellion against the Most High God. We see also that he provoked the angels to rebel and was able to persuade one-third of them to follow him in this rebellion.

What is Satan's purpose?

Question number four: What is his purpose? Mark 4:15 states that his primary purpose is to undo God's work. Job 2:4-5 states that he wants to make man renounce God and John 13:2-27 says that he wants to secure man's worship. If he could accomplish these three things, he would be successful in making himself God.

Now that we know who he is, what he is, his purpose, and from where he came; let us see what he is doing in this present age and how he is doing it to accomplish his purpose. We know from the Bible some of the methods he uses, for example, appearing unto man as God. (2 Corinthians 11:14) He has learned how to appear as the angel of light and he has learned how to speak to man and represent himself as God.

Satan came to me as God

In my own experience with death, while in the emergency room of the hospital with six physicians working to save my life, Satan came to me and told me he was God. He attempted to persuade me to surrender my will to live. In deception, he tried to kill my physical body through my own sovereign will.

The most beautiful voice

Before Satan came to me as God, I had realized that death was upon me and I knew that only God could give me back my life. The physical pain I was withstanding was beyond human endurance and I well knew that without help from God, my physical body could not endure the pain much longer. Each breath I breathed, was by sheer will power only and with all the strength I could muster. Once that breath was inhaled, it would not exhale without my again mustering all my strength to force it out. Realizing that only God could give me back my life, I prayed a simple prayer that asked God to permit me to appear before His Throne and plead for an extension of my physical life. At the conclusion of that prayer, I heard the most beautiful voice. There are no words in earthly vocabulary that could remotely describe the sound I heard. It was the most beautiful thing I had ever experienced in this world and

just by the tone of the voice, the speaker implied he was God.

In all my existence I had never heard a supernatural voice of any kind, much less the voice of God. You can just imagine total captiviation at hearing this supernatural voice which said to me, "Stop. Don't breathe. It will all be over. Stop. Don't breathe. All that you ever wanted, it will be yours. Just don't breathe." Closer and closer, over and over, the voice continued. I was overwhelmed to think that I was actually hearing the voice of God Almighty. Immediately I began to lessen my struggle to live and I started trying to obey that voice. After all, God was telling me to stop breathing and I was certainly going to do what God said.

I resisted Satan—he fled

Then, like a bolt of lightning, it seemed as if I screamed as loud as I possibly could, "No, you're lying to me. I just asked God to extend my life. If I don't breathe, I will die. You're not God." When I had resisted Satan, he fled from me just like is says in the book of James, "Resist the devil, and he will flee from you." Satan had lied to me. I thought he was God. Nothing is sacred to Satan for even there beyond the veil of tears in the valley of death itself, he came to me as God. He lied to me and I believed him for a moment, but how sad it is to say that in many people's lives, only a moment is all Satan needs.

Satan starts with a little truth

Do you see how he accomplished his deception? He began by using a little truth. First he promised no more pain. Next he promised all that I had ever wanted and then he promised that all could be mine if only I would obey and stop breathing.

We see from the scriptures that he insinuates or implies doubts, (Genesis 3:1) that he misuses scriptures, (Matthew 4:6) that he uses wiles, (2 Corinthians 2:11) and that he afflicts believers. (Luke 13:16). We see also that he is the accuser of good men, (Job 1:9-10) that he resists good men, (Zechariah 3:1-3) and that he tempts men to sin. (1 Chronicles 21:1) We know that he has the ability to blind the mind of man so that man may not believe the very gospel of Christ. (2 Corinthians 4:4)

Satan is a worthy adversary

Truly he is a worthy adversary whose ability should be respected. (1 Peter 5:8) We are cautioned by the scriptures to be on guard constantly and we are given the weapons with which to fight him. No other weapons are sufficient. (Ephesians 6:10-18) We are told to be alert and to watch for and be prepared for his attack at any time. We shall discuss the use of these special weapons in a latter chapter.

Now that we have learned who he is, what he is, from where he came, what he is doing, and how he accomplishes his purpose; let us learn where he abides. What is he place of habitation? The Bible called him the god of this world. If he is a god, where is his throne room? From where does he rule?

Satan is not in Hell

Revelation 12:9 states: "And the great dragon was cast out, that old serpent, called the Devil, and Satan, which deceiveth the whole world: he was cast out into the earth, and his angels were cast out with him." From the Bible's account we see that Satan and his angles were cast into the earth, NOT INTO HELL. The Bible plainly states that they were cast FROM Heaven TO earth. This scripture alone proves that Satan and all of his demons were once in Heaven, for in order for them to be cast out, they first had to have been there.

Notice that according to scripture, the earth is Satan's place of habitation and not Hell. Also note that the earth is the demons' place of habitation and not Hell; however, there are some demons already chained in Hell. These demons who are presently in Hell are not Satan's working demons. One day they will all occupy Hell, but that day is not yet. (Matthew 8:29) Satan and the demons know that Hell is and they don't want to go there. We will cover the chained demons in a latter chapter.

The Second Heaven

Satan is presently confined to this world, but in that world beyond that invisible dimension wall through which flesh cannot go. That place of abode is called "The Second Heaven." (Ephesians 2:2) This other dimension occupies the air and the space all around us. Spirit, which is invisible to the physical eye, can pass through that dividing dimension wall. Flesh cannot pass through that dimension wall into that spirit world. Jesus was able to appear and disappear after he arose from the grave by simply passing through that dimension wall. He was no longer physical flesh, but resurrected or glorified flesh. In rooms with windows and doors closed and locked, he would suddenly be in their midst. (John 20:19-26) All Jesus had to do was pass back and forth through that invisible dimension wall. I saw and experienced this same thing when my spirit was lifted from my body and taken into the Second Heaven. The angels took me there by escorting me through that dimension wall.

God is omnipresent

Beyond the Second Heaven is the Third Heaven. (2 Corinthians 12:2) The Third Heaven is where God's Throne is located, however, God's presence is everywhere. (Omnipresent) The Third Heaven is the place from which all the ministering angels

are assigned, and it is the place of abode for all the spirits of the saints who have died on earth. No one can travel from the Third Heaven to the earth without first passing through the Second Heaven. Conversely, it is also true that no one can pass from the earth enroute to the Third Heaven without passing through the Second Heaven.

Satan's power is shown in Daniel 10

We are allowed a little glimpse of Satan's power in the Second Heaven from the account that is recorded in Daniel, Chapter 10. This passage gives the account of what happened when God assigned an angel to travel from the Third Heaven to earth to bring a message to the prophet Daniel. Satan did not want the message to reach Daniel, so he dispatched one of his princes to stop the angel from getting through. The angel was unable to get through alone, so he called upon the archangel to help him. Even with the help of the archangel, the assigned angel was twenty-one days getting through.

If Satan has that much power there, then how can the saved get to the Third Heaven when they are called home? We will find out there are two different ways one can pass through the Second Heaven without Satan's interference. This shall be discussed later.

Satan's command in Second Heaven

Satan has his command set up in the Second Heaven. He has a government, a ruling order, and a chain of command. Apart from the ruling order, there is also a social order. These two are related in that the ruling order comes from the top of the social order. (Ephesians 1:21 and Ephesians 6:12) Even before my experience, I was aware of the Bible's teachings relative to this, but in no way did I imagine it to be as elaborate and profound as it really is. When my spirit was taken from my body, the angels escorted me into that Second Heaven and allowed me to see first hand the workings of that elaborate command.

Holy Spirit's protection

When we passed through the invisible, dividing dimension wall, the first thing of which I was aware was that I was there under special permission of the Holy Spirit and under His special protection. All the spirit beings in that world were also aware of that same fact. No spirit could touch me nor interfere with me or those angels while on this particular mission. This is one of those ways that one may pass through the Second Heaven without Satan interfering, but this way is not the main or usual way.

Satan's social order is discriminatory. There is an established difference between orders of spirit beings in that world which allows some of the spirit beings to reside at a higher level of

existence than others. The closest comparison to this order on the earth is the caste system of the nation of India. The caste system produces "untouchables" in the Second Heaven, just as it does on earth. I now know where the role model for the first real caste system is located.

Satan's caste system

I watched as Satan's underlings went about their assigned task of attempting to corrupt man through temptation. (1 Chronicles 21:1) Each assignment was dispatched from Satan's throne room through this chain of command. I watched as special emphasis was placed on the Christians. The Bible shows that Satan does have power over the Christian in such scriptures as Job 1:12, Zechariah 3:1, and 2 Corinthians 11:3; but we also know that his power is even greater over the lost from such scriptures as Acts 13:10, 1 John 3:10, John 8:44, Luke 22:3, 2 Corinthians 4:4, Revelation 20:7-8, 1 Timothy 3:7, and 1 Samuel 16:14. Just because one is a Christian, this in no way makes him immune from Satan's attack.

Satan's power over Christians

The scriptures also inform us of our power over Satan in such passages of the Bible as 2 Corinthians 2:11, Ephesians 6:11, James 4:7, and 1 Peter 5:9. The Bible further states that, in the end, we can overcome Satan. (1 John 2:13 and Revelation 12:10-11) There is no doubt about it. Satan is a mighty foe, but praise God we can overcome!

The Christian's power over Satan

CHAPTER 3
DEMONS (EVIL SPIRITS)

"And the seventy returned again with joy, saying, Lord, even the devils are subject unto us through thy name." (Luke 10:17) This scripture paints for us a word picture of an act of jubilation by human beings because they had experienced some sort of physical manifestation that let them know that certain invisible spirit beings had to obey and respond to their orders.

Demon= evil spirit

We call these spirit beings demons. The word "demon" is derived from a Greek word meaning evil spirit. It is easier to say "demon" than "evil spirit" or "fallen angel" or "evil angel". We could just call them devils, but when we do that, some people get the impression that there is only one being, the Devil. In those cases, they would not know the difference between Satan and his angels. So, for the purpose of this report, we shall call Satan's helpers "demons".

The Bible tells us all about demons

The Bible tells us all about demons—what they are, from where they came, and even their ability. In light of all this information on them in the Bible, I am overwhelmed when I meet Bible scholars who do not even believe in demons. Overwhelmed or not, I understand their plight since I, too, was once like them, a non-believer.

What are demons? They were called angels in 2 Peter 2:4 and refered to as angels in Revelation 12:9. They were also called "evil angels" in Psalms 78:49. They came from that portion of angels who rebelled with Satan when he led his uprising in Heaven. We find from the Bible account of that rebellion that Satan was able to take one-third of the angels of Heaven with him when he was cast down into the earth. (Revelation 12:4) As was previously stated, not all demons remain free to work for Satan. Some of them have been taken and put into chains and are locked up. These are refered to as the chained demons and according to the scripture, they shall be let loose for a specified time in the great tribulation period. These are the demons spoken of in Jude 6 and 2 Peter 2:4.

Satan is limited by God

Satan and his demons are allowed to work within certain time limits and within certain bounds. Anytime they go beyond these bounds, they must have permission. Matthew 8:29 gives us an example of this time limit. We see from the scriptures of Job 1:12 and Job 2:6 that they had to obtain special permission to go beyond the normal bounds. Those chained demons we spoke of

earlier went beyond those bounds without God's special permission (Genesis 6:2) and were immediately taken and put in chains where they are held even unto this day.

I saw the demons in their true forms

I was allowed to see the demons in their many forms and shapes. Each group of demons had to reveal themselves to me in their true form and shape. Their form and shape also indicated their area of expertise. As I traveled through the Second Heaven, I soon discovered that there are no general practictioners in all of that demon world. Each demon is an expert. They have only one area of expertise, and they work this area very well.

Each demon is an expert

Angels can read our minds

While traveling through that world, I was bothered by a feeling of oppression, somewhat like a smothering feeling. While I was pondering this feeling, I found out that the escorting angels could read my mind. They said to me, "This thing you are wondering about is caused by the fact that there is no love here." Wow! Can you imagine that? No love in that world at all! I could see thousands upon thousands of spirit beings in all manner of shapes and forms, and yet not one of them had any love. No love for their master, no love for themselves. Nor did their master have any love for them. What punishment this is in itself, to have to work for an eternity with a companion that you do not love.

No love exists in the Second Heaven

As the escorting angel would point out the demons, each group was named. I saw them in all sizes and shapes. Some looked like humans, some looked like giant humans, and some look half-human and half-animal. Some looked like known animals of this world, but some looked so horrible that it almost produced nausea to look upon them. I saw some in forms and shapes that the human mind cannot imagine. The Bible indicates these weird shapes and forms in Revelation 16:13.

The warring demons

The size, shape, and form of the demon indicated his place in the social order as well as his place in the government chain of command. At the very top of the order was the giant warring demon who is the "cream of Satan's crop". They look like humans except they are giant in stature, measuring about 8 feet tall. Colored bronze and beautifully constructed, they resemble giant soldiers. From this group comes Satan's princes. These warring demons are number one in the chain of command. This order or group supplies all the princes as well as formulates all plans to create wars and rumors of wars upon earth. A small look at history will show how well they do their job. In the past two hundred years alone, over 100 million people on earth lost their lives because of war. Looking back in history we see that in a time span of 3,358

years, only 237 of those years were peaceful years. The remaining 3,121 years were years of war.

A. Skevington Wood says in his book, Signs of The Time, that for a period of time from 1500 B.C. until 1860 A.D., over 8000 treaties of peace, which had been designed to last forever, were broken. Yes, there is no doubt about it. They are experts and they are doing their job well. They well know how to instigate war.

The scripture tells us that pride was one of the causes of Satan's fall. This characteristic of pride is reflected through this particular group of demons. Each group or order of demons reflects at least one characteristic of Satan. The warring demon is proud, beautiful, strong, powerful, cunning, intelligent, and he knows it.

The demon of greed

The next group or order resembled ordinary people. In this group is the demon who is second most powerful of all the demons and who is second in the chain of command. This particular demon's position in the government was immediately under the princes. He was identified to me as the demon of "greed". It has been revealed to me that the assignment of the demon of greed in this last day attack on man is the second most important task of all. He has been given the assignment of destroying the economy of the world.

Satan pulls out all stops

In past history, the assignments of demons have been to targeted areas, for example, the demon of greed assigned to one particular country, the occult demons assigned to a particular nation or continent, and the demon of war assigned to yet another area. However, it is not like that now! For the first time in history, the assignment of all demons is worldwide. Satan has pulled out all stops for this last great attack on mankind. His last day plan has already been put into motion. Today the entire world is under attack by all areas of expertise. Some of the things which we found confined to one nation in the past, are no longer confined to one area For example, in the past, belief in reincarnation was confined mostly to those nations that practiced the Eastern, mystic religions. Now we find this belief mushrooming world wide.

Satan is ready to rule in this world

Satan has turned all the fury he can muster against this world. He believes that the time is right for his great master plan to take effect. He has planned from the start to move his throne from the spiritual side of that invisible dividing dimension wall to the physical side. He has always wanted physical man to openly worship him, and his great dream is to put his throne in the City of Zion. (Daniel 12) The Bible calls this period of time the "rule of the antichrist"

Demons making straight the path for the coming of Satan

This great, worlwide attack by the demons is part of Satan's great plan. These demons are making straight the paths of the coming of their lord, Satan.

Destroy the world economy

The objective of the demon of greed for this end-time is to destroy the economy of the world. This is necessary in order to allow the people of the world to accept the antichrist. He will bring them a good-looking but false economy. In turn, the warring demons must totally destroy peace from the earth. The antichrist will be accepted because he is bringing peace to the earth, but this peace will also be false. The demons from the third order must trample down God's true religion in order for the antichrist to bring a one-world religion into existence. This religion will also be false.

Runaway inflation

To understand how effective the demon of greed has been in the present day assignment, let us look at the financial markets of the world. Look at the world-wide price of gold. Gold is the metal on which most of the currency of the world is based. A few short years ago, the price of gold was around $30.00 an ounce. Presently, that price is over $400.00 an ounce. If the gold itself is in trouble, what do you think about the currency of the nations? Not only is gold phenomenally priced in the market places of the world, just look at the prices of basic staple items such as food and clothes. We see from these indications that runaway inflation is worldwide.

Greed in every level of society

We find that the influence of the demon of greed is not limited to the market place of the world, for this greed is found in every level of our society. It seems that we are hearing more and more people say, "Everybody is getting theirs. Why shouldn't I?" So many people are openly displaying this attitude until we are hearing little or no public condemnation of it. the attitude is so widespread and has so much support that few, if any, churches are condemning it. In fact, we find less and less teaching in our churches today about the very existence of those demons who are the source of this greed.

Devil's doctrine is to deny their existence

"Now the Spirit speaketh expressly, that in the latter times some shall depart from the faith, giving heed to seducing spirits, and doctrines of devils; Speaking lies in hypocrisy; having their conscience seared with a hot iron;". (1 Timothy 4:1-2) In this passage of scripture, we are told that in the last days the devils would have their own doctrine. We know that if the Bible tells us that devils would have their own doctrine, then, most assuredly, the Bible would tell us what these doctrines would be. Evidence of what the devils will be teaching is found in the following passage of

scripture: "But he knowing their thoughts, said unto them, Every kingdom divided against itself is brought to desolation; and a house divided against a house falleth. If Satan also be divided against himself, how shall his kingdom stand? Because ye say that I cast out devils through Beelzebub." (Luke 11:17-18) From this very scripture, it is clear what the devils will be teaching as doctrine. They will be teaching that THERE ARE NO SUCH BEINGS AS DEMONS! Where are these demons teaching their doctrine? They are teaching it in the churches to the Christians! They are teaching their doctrine to the very ones who have the potential to believe that these demons are real and can expose these beings. If Satan did try to reveal himself and his helpers, then his house would be divided.

Devil's doctrine taught in Christian churches

From congregation to congregation, from one church to another church throughout all this land, we find preacher after preacher playing down the existence of demons and even the existence of Satan! Then, there are others who, when they admit that Satan and his demons are real, de-emphasize their importance and capability. Not only are local ministers doing this, but many Christian authors are doing this through their books. A look at the books which line the shelves of the Christian bookstores quickly shows how effective Satan's last day doctrine of his own non-existence is.

De-emphasizing the importance and capability of Satan and his demons

The false doctrines of devils are intended to enhance the anonymity of Satan and his angels. Much of this misteaching is spread through good Christians who have been sold a lie and really believe what they say. Many are honest when they say, "It is worse to over believe in demons, than not to believe in them at all." They are sincere in such teachings, but they are just as sincerely wrong as Paul was. Many are teaching that man does not need Satan to sin, that mankind would sin without the help of the demons. This is in error! Look at your Bible and you will see that all sin comes from Satan. NOT ONE SIN EVER ENTERED INTO THIS WORLD WITHOUT SATAN. To say that mankind will sin without Satan is one of those doctrines of devils. The angels who rebelled with Satan did not do so until they were tempted by him. I now make an emphatic statement: EVERY SIN COMMITTED BY MANKIND, EVEN DOWN TO THE SMALLEST, IS THE RESULT OF THE INFLUENCE OF SATAN AND HIS DEMONS IN THE LIVES OF THE PEOPLE WHO COMMIT THE SINS!

Satan wants to remain anonymous for now

All sin is from Satan

I cannot over emphasize the important role Satan and his demons play in our lives today. Satan and his demons are only able to do this because they are experts at remaining anonymous. If

they bring their work out into the open, it will serve to defeat them. That is why I say to you that there is no way one can over emphasize Satan and his demons.

Demons have a social order

As I continued my escorted tour of the Second Heaven, the social order and grouping of the demons became even clearer. I could see that the demons of one order would have nothing to do with a demon of a lesser order, unless they were working on an assignment together. The only contact made between demons of different groups came when the different demons were on assignment working in the lives of humans. Unassigned demons who were reposing in the Second Heaven conducted social activities among themselves. I noticed laughter and what appeared to be merriment coming from the group engaged in social activity. This was strange to me since I had always associated laughter and merriment with happiness and happiness with love. The angels had already informed me that there was no love in all that world.

Laughter and merriment in this dreary Second Heaven

Chain of command

The chain of command on each project was explained to me. On each project, the demon from the highest order is in command. The demon from the second ranking is next in line and so on down the order. This chain of command is always the way it works with possibly one exception. That exception would be a project which involves what I call the "mystery" demon. It seems in all cases where the mystery demon is involved, he supercedes all others, except the prince. I will discuss the mystery demon in greater detail in another portion of the book.

Only the top ranking demon may speak

All demons working on a project know the chain of command and cannot bypass it. The demon in charge is the only one authorized to speak for the project. When a human being is totally possessed by demons, like the man from Gadara with legions of demons, only the leader of the demons can speak for the entire group. (Luke 8:30) Rarely, if ever, is a human being possessed by just one demon. In most cases of total possession, there are many different demons from many different groups or areas of expertise. Usually there are many demons involved in total possession with even legions of them being possible. However, no matter how many are involved, only one is in charge. When a project has to be abandoned, the command demon is always the last to leave. It is somewhat like the "law of the sea" which requires that the captain be the last to leave the ship.

Possession usually involves many demons

As I continued my tour and observed the demons, I noticed that certain emphasis was placed on some demons that was not placed on others. I began to notice a pattern developing. Although

Certain demons were emphasized

the angels were showing me all the different groups of demons, they were emphasizing just five of the different groups. It seems that in this last day attack of Satan on the people of earth, five different groups of demons have been given the primary role of preparing the world for the coming of the Antichrist. It seems that all other groups of demons are playing the support role.

Five groups were emphasized

These are the five groups that were emphasized to me. Number one, of course, was the giant, warring demons. This group also ranks number one in order. In the number two group there are the demons of hate, lust, strife, and a few other demons; but the primary member of this group is the demon of greed who is being used greatly in this last day attack. This group also ranks number two in order. The third group is the group that possesses skills in the area of the dark arts, such as witchcraft, false religion, self-destruction, fear, magic, sorcery, occult, ESP and related psychic phenomena, and others. Important in this group is the demon of necromancy (speaking with the dead). This group also ranks third in order.

The mystery demons

The next group shown me was what I call the mystery demon group. I was not permitted to retain all that was shown me about this group of demons and I don't know why. They are the ones that are always involved when Satan wants to work in a person and has to ask special permission from God. These are also the ones used in children and must be handled in a different way. (Matthew 17:21) Over ninety per cent of all demon activity in humans is limited to those humans who are at or over the level of accountability. When demon activity is involved in those under the level of accountability, it is done so on a permission basis only. When this type possession occurs, this mystery demon is the one involved. He has the ability to manifest himself in humans as epilepsy. I was not permitted to retain in my memory the shape or form of this demon and I cannot remember if they even told me his place of rank or order. One thing I do remember about him is that his power over flesh is far greater than the other demons because of his great anonymity.

Level of accountability

Lowest ranking demons

The fifth group emphasized was the last in rank and order. The shapes and forms of these demons were so horrible to look upon that it almost produced nausea. They were in shapes and forms so despicable that the mind of man could not imagine them. They possessed skills in the areas of perversion. Every perverted act committed by man since the garden of Eden is a testimony to the effectiveness of these demons. These are the ones charged with the responsibility of lowering the morals of mankind. These

demons appear to man as something beautiful and desirable, but I saw them for what they are, ugly and horrible. If all who practice perviersion could but look upon these creatures who promote it, they could never enjoy that perversion again.

All the demons are important to Satan and his work, and each one is powerful in his own way, even the untouchables of that world. These five groups do NOT make up all the different groups of demons, but these were the groups emphasized to me, and these are the ones I shall discuss in detail. If at times I seem to be repeating myself, it is only my way of emphasizing the importance of a particular group. It is important that you, the reader, do not let the false doctrine of unbelief deter you from hearing what I am saying in this book.

The Bible supports this

First know this: What I am saying here is the truth. It is not something I dreamed up or something out of Greek mythology. I was there and I saw and heard all of what I am stating. Besides this, all that I say is supported by the Bible. I know some of it may be hard to believe in light of what we have allowed Satan to feed us over the years through some of our "churches." You do not have to take my word alone. The Bible supports all that I say. Read from the Bible what is being said about Satan and his demons. The Bible has much more to say about Satan and his demons than it does about the elect angels, and yet there is not a single Christian who would deny the good angels and their roles. Remember this: Any doctrine that lowers the demons to a minor role, is a false doctrine. This is a truth of the Bible itself.

CHAPTER 4
THE GIANT WARRING DEMONS

Travel at the speed of thought

When the escorting angels took me through that invisible dividing dimension wall that separates the physical and spiritual world, I carried with me my own personality. All the faculties that I had in the physical world, for example, memory and ability, were carried with me into the spiritual world. I was able to know all that I knew in the physical, only much more enhanced. As soon as I arrived there, I knew where I was and even knew it was called the Second Heaven. I knew where the Third Heaven was and I knew how to communicate with spirit. We did not communicate there like we do here because, there, we communicated with our minds. It was somewhat like projecting thoughts by use of mind waves. We could travel at the speed of thought. The angels could tell me where we were going and we would be there. There would be no sensation of movement at all. Still, at other times, we would travel as if floating. Our mode of travel depended on what the angels wanted me to experience. I found that while I was in the spirit, I could not communicate with anyone in the flesh. I found that all spirit communication to flesh must be done through a physical body for clear communication. Some spirits have the ability to give indications to flesh that they are present without using a physical body, but these spirits cannot give clear communication without that physical body.

Once, when the angels took me back through that dimension wall, I stood about three feet from a human, and he was unable to hear any of my communication. I could hear him, but he could not hear me. I proved to myself that spirit can hear flesh, but flesh cannot hear spirit. The only way spirit can have clear communication with flesh is through a physical body. I communicated with the angels in the presence of humans not three feet away and these humans were unable to detect any of that communication.

Holy Spirit's protection

As we moved about, I was aware that we were under the protection of the Holy Spirit, and I was also aware of the fact that all spirits in that world knew we were under the protection of the Holy Spirit. Because of His protection, I was never afraid.

When the angels turned from taking me toward the Third Heaven and started in a different direction, I knew something was going to happen, but I did not know what. I never questioned them. I had no desire to go with them and see what they were showing me, nevertheless, I dared not protest. I wondered where and why

they were taking me, but they never said. They began to point out different groups of demons to me and allowed me to watch their activity. We stopped in front of one group of demons who were engaged in social activity. The angels were in the process of explaining what was going on and then, I could suddenly hear a great noise that sounded like an army marching. Looking up, I saw this column of giant soldiers marching toward me. I noticed the demons stopped what they were doing and began to move out of the way of the approaching soldiers. Fascinated with the appearance of the approaching giants, I suddenly felt my escorting angels stiffen, as if they were turning to stone. I stiffened also and did not move a muscle. It seemed that the marching army would walk right over us. When they reached a point approximately eight to ten feet from us, they suddenly swerved and went around us. One of the giants broke ranks and came up to me. Leaning down, he put his face eyeball to eyeball with mine and leered at me. Had I not been there under the protection of the Holy Spirit, there would have been some sort of confrontation. Needless to say, had this same kind of event happened to me while in the physical world, I would have been shaken up somewhat. However, because of the Holy Spirit, I never feared.

The sound of marching

Eyeball to eyeball with a warring demon

It was obvious that these beings hated me and the angels with me. It was also obvious that, if they could have, they would have torn us apart. I noticed this same resentment in all the higher order of demons. Those demons in the middle of the rankings went about their business as if we were not there. They seemed to be trying to ignore us. Those in the lower ranks acted as though they were afraid of the angels with me.

It was revealed to me that the warring demons are the "cream of Satan's crop," so to speak. They are his ruling order and from this group comes all his princes who are the rulers of darkness, (Ephesians 6:12) and who are the rulers of principalities. They control spiritual wickedness in high places. (Luke 22:53)

"Cream of the crop"

When a principality is determined by Satan, he sets a prince over it. The prince is then authorized to use as many demons as necessary from all orders and ranks to perform Satan's works in that specified principality. The prince of that principality then establishes a chain of command among his demon workers, with the highest ranking demons coming from the highest order. The chain of authority follows the order of the demons all the way to the lowest group. The only exception to this would be the involvement of the mystery demons, whose true order was not made known to me.

Principalities

Demons from one principality may be used in another principality when their particular expertise is needed. An example would be in the case of necromancy. The demon of necromancy is responsible for the false belief of reincarnation.

Role of warring demons

The role of the warring demon for this last day attack is an important one. He must cause war conditions to exist and fill the people so full of fear of wars that they cry out for some one to save them. He must make conditions to appear so severe that people would think that no single world leader could bring peace. He must make world war so potentially devastating that man will be willing to compromise all principle to avoid that war. At the same time, he must create conditions between nations that make the nations feel that war is absolutely necessary. In order for him to do this, he must divide the world into two camps and then bring them together in war.

Their success is phenomenal

The success of this plan today is phenomenal. It is staggering for us to realize that the whole world is divided into two camps today. If you put the United States and her allies on one side and Russia and her allies on the other, you can clearly see the two camps.

Oh mortal man, whose fault is this? Had man only believed the truth of the Bible and preached it to the world, then maybe the world would have repented. Then, this tragedy would not have had to come upon the world.

Unbelief

How deceitful is the heart of man. Man would not believe Jesus; he will not believe the Bible, and he will not believe me. There are those, now, whose eyes pass on this paper only for the purpose of trying to find fault with what I say, in order to disprove what I say. Most assuredly, there are some who are not trying to prove it, but to disprove it. At the same time, these unbelievers do not realize that they are being manipulated by the same spirit being that they are trying to prove does not exist. Our Lord wept for these unbelieving prisoners. I beg our Lord to be merciful and open the eyes of these unbelievers and let them see. Not because I said it was so, but so that they may escape the awful catastrophe that awaits those same spirit beings.

The Antichrist

When the world conditions are ripe and it appears that no man can save the world, there will appear one who claims he can. He will bring with him a good-looking but false peace. With this false peace he will fool the people and they will rush out to him and call him their savior. This super individual is now standing in the wings

waiting for his grand entrance. It won't be long now before he steps onto the world's stage. When the warring demons plunge this world into war, the great world savior will come forth to save the people. He saves them not for their own benefit, but for his benefit. Yes, by the time you read these words, he may be on the scene. That is just how close the appearance of this individual is. He is coming, the great unholy savior himself, the Antichrist.

His time is so close!

James gives us the key as to how the warring demons are able to create conditions between nations to cause these wars. He said in his book, chapter four, verses one and two that greed is the key word. From this we can see that the demon of greed is one of the big allies for the warring demon. The greed put into the hearts of men will lead to these wars. This is the unbeatable combination, the warring demon and the demon of greed working together.

Appearance of warring demons

The form and shape of the warring demon portrays a very handsomely built being. With an appearance resembling a well-proportioned giant athlete, they seem to be perfect in design. Their coloration is light bronze, somewhat like beautiful, polished brass. Their uniforms were similar to what I'd always thought the Roman soldier of olden times had worn. The helmet, which was also similar in design to those used by the Roman soldier of the Bible days, was constructed of a dull colored metal or material. A plate-like object extending down from the head piece between the eyes served as a nose cover. On the back of the helmet was a shield-like ledge extending at an angle from ear lobe to ear lobe around the back of the neck. This shield served as a neck cover and protector, yet it allowed for maximum movement of the head. At the top of the helmet was a ridge-row of coarse hair-like material. On the upper portion of his body he wore a chest cover that was held in place by straps which looped over his shoulders, crossed down his back, passed under his arms, and reattached to the chest cover near his waist. Except for the crossing straps, his back was bare.

The garment on the lower portion of his body resembled a skirt of pleated metal-like material with one pleat being dull in color and the other being bright. The skirt ended at the knee. Around his waist was a wide belt. On each side of the belt was a holster containing some sort of object. I do not know what those objects were. The boot was constructed of the same material as the rest of the uniform. The front of the leg was covered from the knee down with the back of the leg opened except for straps that wound around and connected back to the front of the boot. The boot totally enclosed the foot. The arms of this demon were naked.

I don't know if the design of his uniform has anything to do with the warring demon or his area of expertise. I was allowed to view it in detail, so this is why I am reporting it in detail.



The warring demon portrays a very handsomely built being.

CHAPTER 5
IN THE LIKENESS OF MAN

After my encounter with the warring demons, my escort went on to show me the number two or second most powerful demon in the order of rank. I was surprised at his appearance. After having viewed the impressive warring demons and hearing about the number two demon, I was expecting something more than what I saw. When we came to his group and he was pointed out to me, I was shaken because he was not at all what I had expected.

Appearance of demon of greed

It seemed as though I was looking at an ordinary man. One could have walked into any small business office in the world and met such an one as this. He was, indeed, most ordinary looking, like the sort of average person one would meet on main street in any small town in America. There was nothing outstanding about him that indicated his great power. Even his apparel was ordinary. I don't know what his garment was, but it appeared to be a common, inexpensive, charcoal gray business suit.

Eyes as cold as steel

This particualr demon resembled an average, portly caucasian. What appeared to be hair on his head was sandy in color and somewhat thin. As I studied his face, he glared at me through eyes as cold as steel. I noticed a faint smile at the corner of his mouth and I found it hard to believe that one so fierce could look so mild.

A "good old boy"

It began to dawn on me that I was looking at the deputy commander, the second in chain of command directly under the prince. Here was the one charged with the responsibility of putting the world in ripe condition for Satan's picking in these last days. Yes, I was shaken when I met the demon of greed. As I look back now, I can see how this mild-looking spirit being operated. His image presented that of a "good old boy." Remember now, their shape and form indicate their area of expertise. "The good old boy" finds it easy to perform his task since his image is so readily acceptable to society. Some demons have to work hard to create a false image that would be pleasing to man, but not this one. No sir! He is the original "good old boy." I know as I look back at my own life and how I considered myself "a good old boy" that this demon was working there.

Me and mine first

In my own past life, this demon had sold me a false bill of goods. He had made me believe that me and mine came before anyone else. This was my attitude toward my church also. My tithes were not even paid until my rent was paid and my food was purchased because my family obligations came before God. In

fact, me and mine came before anything or anyone. As I look back, I can see the selfishness in my life which is the by-product of greed.



The demon of greed resembled an ordinary man dressed in a business suit.

The demon of greed had sold me on the idea that I was entitled to live as high as my neighbors and that my family was entitled to the same things of this physical world as my neighbors' families. To get all those worldly goods, I had to take an extra job or work overtime. I did not have money. Since I was professing to be a Christian, I could not steal it. So, the only way I could get it was to work extra for that extra money. For many years I worked eighty to one hundred hours a week in order to maintain my income at a level where I could enjoy my high standard of living.

Satan soothed my conscience

When my conscience would bother me about this, Satan would give a ready-made excuse, "God understands. He knows I have to do this so that I might pay my bills." However, my conscience kept telling me, "This is wrong. Your children are growing up and you are not there. You are always working." But that old demon kept telling me,"God understands. He knows that you have to work. You must pay your bills." The only flaw with that excuse was that when I stood before God, He did not understand! In fact, He told me that this kind of life which I lived and called a life of worship was an abomination unto Him!

An abomination unto God

Many people do not understand this part of my testimony. I am not trying to tell you how God will work in your life. I am only telling you what He did in mine. It was wrong for me to live that kind of life. As for you, you will have to settle with God on this matter for yourself.

Demon of greed must destroy world economy

As I have previously stated, the primary function of the demon of greed is to destroy the economy of the world. He is also used in conjunction with the "untouchables" in their work to destroy the morals of the people. I see a little of his success when I look at the market places of the world. As we look at the price of consumer goods worldwide, we wonder where will it all stop. I don't think it will stop in this world we know today because I think the scripture is plain in relation to this.

The economy of the world must be in such despair that the people from the grass roots level will cry out for some one to save them. The world must be ripe before the Antichrist can pluck it. It must be filled with terror, violence, crime, and wholesale immorality. Then, it will be ripe. To him that hath an ear to hear, let him listen. Look at all those same signs on radio, television, and in your newspaper. Where do you think we stand in relation to the world being ripe for the Antichrist?

The other demons in the same group with the demon of greed

Other demons in second group

are the demons of hate, lust, strife, and a few others of like order. Do we see evidence of the work of the demon of hate? We see people killing one another and profess to do it in the name of Jesus. In the nation of Ireland, we see people tossing firebombs into homes and shooting women and children in the name of Jesus. Now I ask you, what spirit provoked this? It certainly was not the spirit of Jesus. In Iran we see the firing squads shooting hundreds each month and they are doing this in the name of God. Is this the work of the Holy Spirit? No, I say to you it is the work of the spirit of hate.

Strife

What about the demon of strife? Do we see evidence of his work? To see this evidence, all one has to do is pass the local jail. There we see many that have been brought in because they could not get along within their own family. Even greater evidence of his work is found in most congregations of our churches today. When church members cannot get along, what chance do you think the rest of the world has?

Immorality

What about immorality? The demon of lust working in conjunction with the untouchables has brought low the morals of the people of the entire world. How sad to see that not even organized religion is making an outcry about this condition. Why won't seemingly good Christians make public outcries about such gross immorality? It is because they have been stifled by Satan through public opinion. When a group attempts to speak out today against immorality, they are blitzed by a well-organized public media. Satan is well prepared for today. Are you as prepared?

Satan is well-prepared

For those who think these demons are not real, you know not what you say. Even more so, you are not familiar with the prophecies of the Bible relating to them in this last day attack. They are very much on schedule. There are many people today who acknowledge demons, but say we spend too much time dwelling on them; that to talk about them only glorifies them, and that they are not important in our lives. That, in itself, is one of the false doctrines of devils, trying to downplay demons to Christians and trying to make them not appear real to the rest of the world. If we spent all our time trying to expose them, we would still fall far short. The Bible says Satan can take any man at will, who does not have the knowledge of the truth of God's Word. (2 Timothy 2:26) Knowledge of the truth of God's Word includes the knowledge of the workings of Satan and his demons.

Knowledge of God's Word

The knowledge of the truth of God's Word is important in this fight against Satan. So many people seem satisfied to just go to

church and listen to the few words the preacher reads from the Bible, and then go away thinking they know the truth of God's Word. If you don't know from the Bible about Satan and his demons, and how to battle them, then you don't have knowledge of the truth of God's Word. It would do you well to invest a little in learning the truth of God's Word.

Of course the object of this all-out, last day attack by these demons is simply to make straight the paths of the coming of their lord. The scripture tells us that when the Antichrist arrives, he will declare himself to be God, and he will demand that flesh worship him. The scripture also tells us, "Let no man deceive you by any means: for that day shall not come, except there come a falling away first; and the man of sin be revealed, the son of perdition; Who opposeth and exalteth himself above all that is called God, or that is worshipped; so that he as God sitteth in the temple of God, shewing himself that he is God." (2 Thessalonians 2:3-4) We learn from the scriptures some important facts. First, the great falling away must come so that the man of sin may be revealed. This great falling away is now in progress and is the result of the all-out attack of Satan and his demons. They are making preparations for the next fact, for the Antichrist to declare himself to be God while ruling from this physical world. The only reason his appearance has been prevented thus far is the fact that the Holy Spirit is standing in his way. Soon the Holy Spirit, as He was freely given on the day of Pentecost, will be taken out of the way. (The catching away or rapture, 2 Thessalonians 2:7) The work of the Holy Spirit will then be restricted much as He was in Old Testament times, for the freely given, outpouring of the Spirit upon all flesh was for the period of the Church Age. Thus, Satan will have more freedom to try and accomplish his objective.

A great falling away

Rapture

Beware of "good old boys"

In closing this chapter, I give you a word of caution—Be wary of the "good old boys."

CHAPTER 6
PARAPSYCHOLOGY

Foretelling of death

There is a man who resides in the state of Florida who asserts that he can foretell anyone's death. He states that he can do this by seeing a "black aura" around the head of the person who is about to die. He claims to detect this black aura even in photographs.

Beverly Janus, director of the Institute for Parapsychological Studies in Toronto, tested the claims of this man by using photographs. Some of the photographs were of living people while the remaining photographs were of people who had already died. All the photographs were of people from a different section of the country. None of the people were known to the tested subject.

Test results rule out "chance"

Forty photographs were used. In the first twelve photographs the tested subject scored one hundred percent. In the remaining twenty eight, he scored seventy two per cent. The conclusion of the test was that the over-all result was far beyond the possibilities of random chance.

Tulpas

Researchers say that living beings are actually being created by the power of the human mind. These beings are called "tulpas." Former U.S. Army Lieutenant Colonel Thomas Bearden authored a book on the subject, and he stated that this is done in Tibet. Bearden said that the mystics of Tibet have unbelievable powers of concentration. Bearden also stated that old, scientific research papers report this kind of experiment being conducted at the University of Paris by a Doctor Charles Richet sometime around 1917-18. In this test, stated Bearden, a certain Madame Weaspe Carriere, who was a student of ancient Tibetan religions, successfully materialized a full-grown woman. This was a "tulpa" that breathed independently from Carriere.

Mystics in Tibet

Encounter with alien beings

"There's a fantastic being standing in front of me. He has golden hair and olive-bronze skin. He has golden eyes with little, silver flecks in them. He's very trim and muscular, perfect features." These were the words spoken by a thirty-six year old housewife from Phoenix, Arizona. She was being regressed under hypnosis by Doctor Leo Sprinkle, Director of Counseling and Testing at the University of Wyoming. This housewife had claimed to have had minute flashbacks for the past ten years about a kidnapping of which she was the victim. She was supposed to have been kidnapped by giant aliens and taken to another planet to an underground city. When she was released and brought back to earth, all of this was taken from her conscious mind. After the

testing, Doctor Sprinkle stated that he was satisfied that the woman did encounter giant aliens.

Reincarnation

Little Sunita Sharma was just two and one-half years old when she attended a village meeting with her grandmother. Suddenly her smile flew from her face as she pointed in terror at the woman who had just passed by. She cried, "She will kill me again." The little girl then told her grandmother that she had lived before and in her other life she had been murdered by a hoodlum hired by the woman who had just walked by.

Four year old Ram Prakash was playing with his older brother when the older brother called him "Ram." The little boy replied, "I am not Ram. I am Mr. Jain." He then went on to tell all about a past life in which he was a wealthy business man named Mr. Jain who had died just ten months before little Ram was born.

Malta Shanker was only two years old when she claimed the family with which she was living was not her real family. She described another family living in a little village just four miles from her home as being the family to which she belonged. She stated that as a member of the other family, she had gone to the well to get water, fallen in and had drowned.

Verified by Dr. Pasricha

These three accounts of reincarnation were all verified by Doctor Sawant Pasricha, a leading psychologist at India's prestigious National Institute of Mental Health and Neurosciences in Bangalore. Doctor Pasricha conducted a complete investigation in the claims of all three of the children.

Bionic woman

Lindsay Wagner, the movie star who starred in the TV program "Bionic Woman", was scheduled to be aboard a Chicago-to-Los Angeles jet flight in 1979. Just prior to boarding the plane, the actress said she started to shake and had a terrifying moment. Her mother was with her and later stated that since Lindsay had experienced psychic occurrences in the past, they took this as a warning not to board the plane. The two watched the giant DC 10 take off and witnessed the worst air disaster in American aviation. The jet crashed moments after it was in the air, killing all two hundred seventy-two people aboard.

Spirit of Errol Flynn?

Movie star Ida Lupino and Errol Flynn were good friends and often discussed psychic events. Several months after Errol Flynn died, Ida and her husband, Howard Duff, were at a party. All of a sudden, Ida said she felt as if Errol Flynn was beside her and was telling her that her mother was in danger. Ida and her husband

rushed home just in time to answer the phone and receive a message that her mother had been in an automobile accident. Her mother died that night.

Brad Steiger, in his book entitled Unknown Powers, tells the story of how ghostly voices from invisible spirit beings gave advice and helped manipulate situations in order to turn an Indiana farm boy into a railroad tycoon who became the father of one of the busiest port cities along the Gulf.

Arthur Stillwell

This man was Arthur Edward Stillwell and he had his first encounter with those invisible spirit beings when he was fifteen years old. He stated that, in his encounter, they told him that he was going to marry a girl named Genevieve Wood. At that time he did not know anyone by the name of Genevieve Wood. Four years later, just months past his nineteenth birthday, Arthur E. Stillwell married a girl named Genevieve Wood.

The next time they talked to Mr. Stillwell they advised him to go west and start a railroad. He protested because he had no ability and no money. Moreover, he didn't know anything about railroads. He said those voices would not leave him alone until he agreed to go west. He went to Kansas City and got a job there paying $40.00 per month. By the time he had reached his twenty-sixth birthday, he had started his first railroad.

Railroad tycoon

When he had finished in this line of business, he had built the Kansas City Southern Railroad, The Kansas City Northern Connecting Railroad, The Kansas City Omaha and Eastern, The Kansas City Omaha and Orient, The Pittsburgh and Gulf Railroad, and The Port Arthur Ship Canal. He had been responsible for the laying out of over 2,500 miles of double track railroad and had founded forty towns. This vast empire employed over 250,000 persons His businesses run the gamut from railroads, to pecan farming, to banking, to land developing and other interests. He also wrote and published thirty books, nineteen of which were novels.

The largest city he founded was Port Arthur, Texas, which was developed from a vacant cow pasture. He connected the great midwestern farmers and cattlemen to ship users of the Gulf by way of the Kansas City Southern Railroad.

Advice from spirits

When he started building his railroad, Galveston, Texas was the target city where the railroad could end He stated that one day after the railroad had been started, those invisible spirits came into his room and told him not to end his railroad in Galveston. They told

him if he did, he would be wiped out financially. Through these beings projecting a vision on Stillwell's bedroom wall, Stillwell saw a city next to water with a giant wave coming out of the sea and covering the city. It was then that he promised the spirits that he would build his own city where the railroad would end. He then laid out the city of Port Arthur, Texas, even though his critics said he was crazy. They said that it couldn't be done. Only four days after his railroad was finished and on the day of dedicating it, a giant tidal wave hit the city of Galveston, Texas, and almost totally destroyed it.

Could this be true?

Could these things really happen? Could they be true? Are there people who possess psychic powers and are able to look into the future? Can a human create living beings? Are there really invisible spirit beings out there who can advise people in business matters? Are there spirit beings who can, through advice and communication, help one to become a millionaire?

If you have asked yourself these same questions or if another person has posed these same questions to you, what is your answer? Have you found the truth about it? That is exactly what I am going to do—tell you the real answer based on my experience and on the revelation received while experiencing this event.

Witchcraft demons

After leaving the group of demons which contained the demon of greed, we came to the third group or order that was emphasized to me. This is the group which I call the witchcraft demons. This group possessed skills in the area of the black arts, such as sorcery, false religion, magic, self-destruction, psychic phenomena, occult, necromancy, Satan worshipers, and all the other related areas of expertise. It was from my study of this group of demons that I am able to answer questions about that thing we call psychic phenomena.

Make no mistake about it. In each of those cases I reported, something more than ordinary was occuring. The events in the life of each of those persons were real, not imagined. Let us learn how they happened.

All three of the little children involved with reincarnation were tested by experts in the field. The tests were designed to probe for and discern facts that would have exposed anything fake. Make no mistake about it. The three children honestly believed what they said.



Demons from the third order appeared to be part man—part animal, resembling figures of Greek Mythology.

There are thousands more of these same kind of reincarnation cases on record. The phenomena known as reincarnation is not confined to the nation of India, but has been established here in America also. Each of these cases has been well documented by experts with many scientific experts dedicating their lives to finding the truth of this matter.

In the case of the three children I reported, the experts stated that the facts brought out while the children were under hypnosis could not have possibly been known to any of them or their family members. Then, information gathered from the test was further investigated and proven to be true.

Conclusive evidence

This sort of procedure is carried on in each case the experts study, not only in India, but America as well. As the result of these scientific investigations by true scientists, many have drawn the conclusion that REINCARNATION IS REAL. These learned men, most of whom were educated in the great universities of the world and many of them educated in America, have amassed tons of evidence to support their conclusion. In each case the evidence comes from actual case history studies. Many of these experts are medical doctors, trained in our best medical schools. In fact, most have medical degrees. Yes, these experts have proven beyond a doubt, in their own minds, that reincarnation is real. The only problem with their conclusion is that REINCARNATION IS NOT REAL.

Reincarnation is not real

These astute men have been duped! They were skillfully and cleverly sold a lie. Reincarnation is just another one of Satan's big lies used to confuse man and distract him from his true immortality. This is the major role played by the demon of necromancy, although it is not his only role.

Eastern mystic religions

Satan long ago introduced reincarnation to the people of the world who practiced the Eastern mystic religions. The people of that part of the world had years and years to convince many experts of the validity of reincarnation. Satan manipulated this so that in the last days, when reincarnation was going worldwide, reincarnation would already have many converts, believers, and supporters. The Eastern mystic religions were one of the first vehicles Satan used to expose the people to the psychic powers that are under his control. Although he knew this was a good vehicle, it would not spread rapidly enough for the fast moving world of the last days.

Satan knew that in the last days the pace of man would be so

fast that men would not have the many hours needed for meditation. Deep meditation and encantation were originally needed by the mystic religion in order to reach the state of altered consciousness. It was only in this state that Satan could be most effective with the mind of man where Satan's own psychic powers are utilized. Satan knew that he would have to utilize faster vehicles to accomplish this purpose in the fast pace of the days in which we live. He did just that, and he did it very well. Consider the psychedelic drug culture.

Psychedelic drugs

Psychedelic drugs were a stroke of genius. These drugs could produce in moments what it might take meditation months to do. Just as Satan started his Eastern mystic religions in one part of the world and has now moved them worlwide, this has been his strategy with the drugs. The psychedelic drug culture started in America and has now reached throughout the entire world.

Hypnosis

Meditation, psychedelic drugs, Eastern mystic religions. These are not the only vehicles Satan has found that places man in an altered state of consciousness whereby Satan might infiltrate man's mind with his demonic psychic abilities. Hypnosis is one of the better vehicles. Even some of our church groups are using hypnosis, they say, in an effort to help relieve the stress in the life of some of their members. We must be careful of any such technique regardless of the integrity of the source because anytime the consciousness of an individual is altered, there is a potential danger of which Christians must be wary.

These are not the only methods used by Satan to set people up for total possession, but just some of them. Total possession by demons is not necessary for an individual to be used by Satan because a person may only be demon oppressed and thereby influenced so as to accomplish Satan's purpose.

How "reincarnation" works

In the matter of reincarnation, the demon of necromancy comes to the targeted victim and plants into that victim's mind information about the past life of an individual who is deceased. This information is always true and so private that only the dead person or his very close of kin would know it. Because all this information comes from out of the mind of the victim, he is convinced of its truth. The best lie detection machine in the world could not discern the lie because the person telling it believes it to be the truth.

When all the scientific tests are run—the lie detection, hypnosis, and other methods experts use—the experts

Reincarnation is a lie of Satan

themselves begin to believe because of the correctness of the tests. However, the only "reincarnation" that exists is but in the mind of the victim and the mind of the experts who have been utterly deceived by the demons that pedal such a lie. The Bible, itself, exposes reincarnation for what it is, a lie.

Demon of self-destruction

The demons of the third order also include the demon of self destruction whose work we see exposed in the lives of those who belong to the drug culture also. If you have noticed, it is often when these people are high on drugs that this demon can prompt an individual to kill himself. While the person's mind is under the influence of drugs, the demon sometimes convinces the individual that he can fly. Thus, many of these people throw themselves off tall buildings, bridges, and other places that, in most cases, proves to be fatal.

Demon of false religion

The demons of false religions are most often exposed in the lives of the people of the drug culture also. We know of cases of people who claimed no religion, some of whom did not even believe in God, yet when they would come out of a high produced by drugs, they would be expounding one of these Eastern religions. They, themselves, were surprised to learn that what they were proposing had been taught for hundreds of years as an Eastern mystic religion. Many of these people who had this sort of experience had never even heard of the Hindu religion, so they were not able to recognize it when they were advocating it.

Necromancy

We talked earlier about the demon of necromancy. Necormancy is defined by the dictionary as "An act of conversing with the dead." This is strongly prohibited by the Bible. (Deuteronomy 18:10-11) Beside being responsible for the reincarnation phenomena, this demon is also the one used to supply information to the spirit mediums and is the demon who mimics the departed spirits of humans. He can sometimes manifest himself as ghosts, apparitions, or spectres to the physical world.

Ghosts?

As far as ghosts are concerned, when a person dies their spirit goes immediately to that place which is prepared for him based on the choice that he made in this life. If that person is saved and belongs to God, he will go immediately into the Third Heaven and stay there until God shall bring him back. After the physical death, man's spirit has no more contact with the physical world. Man's spirit, freed by death, is not even aware of what is going on in the physical world. (2 Chronicles 34:28 and Job 14:21) For those who are not saved and go into hell, it is IMPOSSIBLE for them to leave from there even for a short period of time. (Luke 16:26)

Beside the fact that the Bible tells us this, I can also testify to the truthfulness of that fact. After the escorting angels had finished showing me the different demons, they took me to a place and allowed me to see the saints going home. I was allowed to follow alongside and outside of the tunnel in which those saints were traveling. When they reached the gates of the Third Heaven, I was made to watch as they were admitted. After the saints were allowed to enter, I was told by the angels that when one entered those gates, he may NOT come out until our Lord Jesus brings them back at the first resurrection. (This was covered in detail in my book Placebo.)

Ghosts are really demons

Since at the moment of death, man's spirit goes immediately to the place prepared for it, what would be the cause of all those ghost stories? The mastermind behind this charade is the demon of necromancy who has the ability to mimic the spirit of a departed individual. The only ghosts seen in this world are those demons who are mimicing a deceased person. These demons are so good at appearing as ghosts that they have convinced hundreds of so called experts that ghosts are real since it is a real spirit being that is seen; but they are not real in the sense that they are actually the spirit of that deceased person. It is interesting to note that the word "ghost", itself, means spirit.

Satan has used this same spirit or demon, working with the spirit of fear, to conquer thousands of people. Look how many people have a morbid fear of the dead.

Have nothing to do with these

Reincarnation, ghosts, mind-produced living beings, advice-giving voices, messages received from unknown sources, physical objects being moved by no visible force, Satan worshipping, false religions, magic, assorted witchcrafts, and other related fields of expertise are controlled by this particular group of demons. We see an indication of their strength in these matters by the strong condemnation given by the Bible of any of these practices. (Deuteronomy 18:10-12) The Bible prohibits God's people from any participation in any form of astrology, magic, sorcery, necromancy, or any form of witchcraft. God's people are instructed not to have any part in any of these things, even in fun.

Familiar spirits

When we read the scriptures which condemn these heathen practices, we notice the term "familiar spirit." I thought it would be wise to give an explanation of the "familiar spirit" which we find in many different scriptures. Many people I know have the wrong impression of what a familiar spirit is. Webster defines a familiar spirit as "an intimate associate, a companion's spirit often

embodied in an animal and held to attend and serve or guard a person."

When dealing with demons, it is important to know the identity of the "command" demon on each project. We see from the scripture in 1 Samuel 28:7-14 that Saul was seeking to converse with Samuel through a woman who had a familiar spirit. The Hebrew word used in the Old Testament identifies her familiar spirit. The word used is "owb" (pronounced obe) which means necromancer or one who converses with the dead.

In Isaiah 19:3 the word used to identify the familiar spirit is "ruwach" (pronounced roo-akh) which simply means a spirit. It could have been the same kind of spirit as was listed in 1 Samuel 28:7-14, but it could have also been other kinds of spirits. However, there was no possibility that the spirit listed in 1 Samuel 28:7-14 could have been any spirit other than the necromancer.

Familar spirits can come from different ranks or orders

Therefore, from the scriptures come the proof that a familiar spirit need not be just one kind of spirit. The familiar spirit can come from all the different ranks or orders of demons It is true that most of our dealings with what we call a familiar spirit will be with the demon of necromancy of the third order. Like the witch of Endor, most of the spirit mediums of today are attended by the demon of necromancy, who is responsible for relaying any information about a dead person.

Isaiah 29:4 makes reference to the necromancer type familiar spirit. Though the references in Leviticus 20:6 and 27, 1 Samuel 28:7-14, 1 Chronicles 10:13, 2 Chronicles 33:6 and Isaiah 29:4 deal with a familiar spirit of necromancy, there are other scriptures about familiar spirits which could mean spirits from any group. Some of these scriptures are found in 2 Kings 21:6, 2 Kings 23:24, Job 19:14, Psalm 41:9 and Isaiah 19:3.

Based on all the information of my experience and from the Bible, I have concluded that the familiar spirit is not a proper name but simply an identification of a function of many different spirits. It is also true that in ninety-five percent of all cases in this physical world involving familiar spirits, the spirit of necromancy will be the familiar spirit involved.

Satan worship demons

The demons of this third order group who control the Satan worshippers of the world are also gaining headway in the music industry, particularly in the area of rock music. The evidence of the captivation of rock music is seen each time a famous rock band

performs. The crowds number up to the hundreds of thousands and the fans pay anywhere from sixteen dollars to thirty-five dollars per ticket to see the performances. Satan is cleverly using this rock music to capture the minds of the young people of the world with the majority of the people unaware of what is happening. He has a slick new trick to influence the unconscious mind without the conscious mind even knowing about it. You see, Satan knows that contact is made with the human spirit through the unconscious mind. This is why anything that alters a person's consciousness could be potentially dangerous.

Rock music

In an attempt to influence the unconscious mind, many of the rock groups will implant a backwards message on their records. These messages are not discernible to the conscious mind, but will be understood and retained by the unconscious mind. This is accomplished by putting the lyrics of the Satanic message on the record backwards. Whe the record is played in the normal manner, the conscious mind does not detect the backwards message, but the unconscious mind does detect it.

In the music trade this is called a "subliminal message" and is reffered to as "backward masking." This masking is evident only to the conscious mind when the record is played backwards. When the record is played in the normal manner, the message, of course, is not discernible to the conscious mind. You may prove to yourself the truth of what I say. Take one of the records with a subliminal message on it; put your phonograph in the neutral position and turn the record backwards with your finger. The message will then be loud and clear.

Backward masking

Astoundingly, these Satanic types of subliminal messages have even been implanted on records that, superficially, appear to be of a religious nature. One of the first rock groups to use this method in an attempt to influence the minds of the young people was the Beatles. Tom Gondolf, chief engineer for Goodnight Audio, said, "The Beatles used to put backward voices on their records all the time."

In today's modern rock groups, Mick Jagger is considered to be the leader of the Satanists. By those in the business, he is known as "The Lucifer of Rock." The Stones' song, "Sympathy for the Devil", has become the unofficial national anthem for the Satanists.

"The Lucifer of Rock"

Another of the groups, The Black Oak Arkansas, has a song entitled "The Day Electricity Came to Arkansas." When played

backwards the song says, "Satan, Satan, Satan, He is God, He is God, He is God." This group, along with others such as The Led Zeppelin, Fleetwood Mac, The Eagles, and The Rolling Stones are all into the occult.

Rock groups into the occult

In the cases where the rock groups are really trying to subvert the minds of the young people, this is their out-right attempt to destroy the youth's morals and lead them into drugs and open sex. Sometimes, even the name of the group will give an indication of the motives of that group, for example, the group known as "AC-DC." AC-DC denotes bisexuality and the dash between the AC-DC is a Santanic "S." AC-DC has songs entitled, "Hell Ain't Such A Bad Place To Be," "Highway To Hell," and "Hell's Bells."

Led Zeppelin has a song called "Stairway to Heaven" and that song, when played backward, says in part, "I will sing because I live with Satan." Another part of the same song, when played backward, says, "There's no escaping it, my sweet Satan. The one will be sad who makes me sad, whose power is Satan." Played normally the song says, "If there's a bustle in hedgerow don't be alarmed now. It's just a spring clean for the May Queen. Yes, there are two paths you can go, but in the long run there's still time the change the road you're on."

When the forward message and the backward message are put together in the unconscious mind, one could be influenced to believe that the path to choose would be the path to Satan

"Another One Bites the Dust"

Near the end of Queen's song entitled "Another One Bites the Dust," the title is repeated over and over as the record plays normally. When this song is played backwards, however, there is a backwards message in that same spot which says, "Decide to smoke marijuana." This message is repeated over and over.

One of the leading ministers in the fight to expose Satan's use of rock music by these groups is James "Gibby" Gilbert. James is a minister of youth for The Church of Christ located in Kaufman, Texas. Gilbert has done tremendous research in this field and he says that there is much more of the subliminal message technique in use than most people who are fighting it even suspect. He says that the youth in his area who buy these records don't realize that they are messing with their minds. While the youth are listening with their conscious minds to a record playing normally, Satan is putting a message into their unconscious minds with the backwards masking on the same record. He is able to do this because the mind is like a computer storing and retaining

everything heard. The unconscious mind has more potential than man realizes.

"Satan's Attack"

Gilbert presents his research in seminars for church and school groups. These seminars are called "Satan's Attack." Gilbert, who once played drums in a high school rock and roll band, says that he is not out to destroy all rock music and burn all albums. He says that what he wants to do is to make the young people aware of what is going on and then let them decide if they want to be manipulated by Satan.

Gilbert claims that before the parents can help the youth in this matter, the parents, themselves, have to clean up some of their own acts. He says that Mom will have to cut down on some of the "soaps" that she watches daily and Pop will have to choose more wisely the country songs he plays around the house. In other words, he is saying to the parents to look at the subliminal messages that their own lives display to the young people.

God's Word is only defense

Personally, I have found enough indication in the Scriptures to make me believe that Satan was once in charge of praising God with song and music before his fall. I believe that Satan's use of music is far more widespread than even Gilbert thinks. Satan is a skillful expert in all areas in which he works, with his wiles being far above the detection of the human eye. It is only through the knowledge of the truth of God's Word that we can expect to defeat him and it is only with God's help that we can expect to escape the snares he sets for us daily. If even the saints have to do battle every day in order to keep from being overcome by Satan, in what kind of situation are the people of this world?

Satan well knows music and its effect on humans. He knows music is a tremendous element in the human life, and he has learned how to use it for his benefit. It is only logical that Satan is working in this area because there is nothing in this world that has any power to influence humans that Satan has not found a way to use for the furthering of his kingdom.

Satan always takes more than he gives

Satan rewards the one he uses, but not always in the manner one would think. Sometimes he brings riches to the ones he uses in this world, then, sometimes he destroys them. There is no rhyme or reason to the way Satan works. It is my contention that no matter how good a job one does for Satan, and no matter how great the rewards given by Satan, Satan will find some method to detroy that individual before he is finished with him. That is Satan's way or nature. He will "bless" for a while, but before that person's

life is over, Satan will have taken much more than what he gave.

On Monday, January 11, 1982, a New Orleans newspaper, The Times Picayune, carried an article by Kurt Loder and Steve Pond. In this article the two writers reported on the financial triumph of a recent tour of the United States by the rock group known as The Rolling Stones. These writers reported the tour lasted only twelve weeks with the group grossing over FIFTY MILLION DOLLARS!

The two reporters broke down the tour into parts and gave detailed information to show how it was possible to gross this much money for one twelve-week tour. Ticket sales alone were thirty-four million. The merchandising area with the sale of Rolling Stones' shoes, T-shirts, jerseys, bumper stickers, badges, and tour programs grossed more than twenty million of which ten million was the group's share.

Next on the money-making list came the sales of their records which were somewhere in the neighborhood of four and one-half million. Revenues from two single records released during the tour totaled one point two million. In the area of sales to video, their tours sold to cable T.V. companies for re-releases for a total of five million. In the are of sponsorship, Jovan Incorporated, a major perfume manufacturer, paid as a promotional donation approximately four million.

The writers stated that the actual money that would finally be realized by this tour would be far in excess of the fifty million reported. Loder and Pond refered to the Rolling Stones as the rock world's longest-running, money-making machine.

KISS

In spite of this claim, one of the biggest money making rock bands is the group known as KISS (Acronymn for Knights In Satan's Service). Although they have been relatively quiet for the past year or so, they have a new release now that is expected to be their all time money maker This latest release has all new songs based on the KISS legend called the "Elder." Elder is supposed to be a "group" that has always watched over mankind, and whose presence has always been. In this album, the musical story is told of Elder who trains a young orphan boy to battle the forces of evil.

This whole album has a theme similar to "Star Wars" with the exception of no lasers or spaceships. If you remember, "Star Wars" also had the mythical forces of good and evil constantly fighting.

Good and evil reversed

Satan does not come in his own name, even to those who do his bidding. The idea to fight "evil" has always appealed to the people of the world no matter how dead they are spiritually. Satan has the uncanny ability to make "evil" seen good and "good" seem evil. We as Christians should know that in the last days the majority of the world will have this reversed perception of good and evil. Some of those very same rock groups who have been instrumental in Satan worshipping are now attempting to masquerade their deeds of darkness by appearing as an "angel of light". (2 Corinthians 11:14-15)

When the rock group KISS got started, their antics depicted Satanic-like nature; for example, guitarist Gene Simmons' snake like tongue flicking and fake blood spitting. All of the members still use the outrageous makeup and they still charge around the stage like maniacs. No, time has not changed the rock group known as KISS because they are still KNIGHTS IN SATAN'S SERVICE.

Cult

The demons of the third order are the ones who control the false religions and they are just as busy as the other demons. Their involvement in Satan's last-day attack plan is evident when we take notice of the many cults across our land. When the word "cult" is used in reference to a group of Christians, most people are reminded of the Jim Jones ordeal. Webster defines "cult" as "a religion regarded as unorthodox or spurious." Of course, we know the "spurious" means false. Therefore, a cult would be any group that teaches a false religion.

One does not have to be like Jim Jones to teach a false religion. Satan knows that mankind is hopelessly religious. It doesn't matter to Satan what god man worships as long as that god is not the real, Most High God. It is the nature of man to worship God. The Bible tells us about that real God, and the Holy Spirit makes Him personal to us through Jesus.

Deceived

To stop man in his relentless search for the true God, Satan gives him a false god. It is a fact that most Christians don't read and study their Bible, and many depend on the preacher to tell them what the Bible says and how they are to worship. Satan knows that a preacher that he can control is a very valuable asset to his kingdom. If that preacher has a good story with evidence of some kind of supernatural power, then the people will believe and become his followers. In reality, they are following Satan in their quest to follow God, and are so skillfully deceived that they can't see wherein they are trapped. As a result, we have many false religions that appear to be a perfect, Bible-based, God-fearing religion.

We find that the big denominator for cults, then, is the leader. The leaders of these cults are gifted with tremendous oratorical powers of persuasion. (2 Corintians 11:15) The demons will sometimes go to the point of producing miracles through this leader because they must keep him believable and clearly in charge of the flock.

Atheists, humanists

These same demons are also responsible for what one might call the opposite extreme of involvement in a cult, the atheist. They cultivate and influence people who claim that there is no God. Most of the atheists of today are humanists. Humanism is, in itself, a religion. So these same atheists who claim not to be religious are, in fact, worshipping a god by denying the existence of a real God. They serve their own god and don't even know it. Their god's name is Satan.

Cults abound on every hand. They exist in many of the so-called denominational churches. Therefore, it behooves the individual to know and understand what the Bible tells us about who to worship and what to believe.

CHAPTER 7
THE MYSTERY

We moved along on the tour of the Second Heaven, and I began to notice for the first time that the shape and forms of the demons were taking a drastic change. In groups number one and two, all the demons were in shapes and forms which were similar to man. In group number three, the shapes and forms were mixed. Some had the appearance of men; others had the appearance of animals; and yet others appeared in forms similar to half-animal and half human.

In the group which was number four in ranking, all the shapes and forms were like animals or unknown beings. This fourth ranking group was not one of the five groups emphasized to me. By this fact alone, I knew they did not play a lead role in the last day attack. They are important, however, because of their major supporting roles. In this group were the demons of murder, brutality, sadism, and others related to carnage. Seeing their area of expertise, it is easy to imagine how important their support role is to the leading demons.

Mystery demons—the fourth group

Next, we came to a group of demons that I call the mystery demon, simply because I do not know what else to call them. This was the fourth group that was emphasized to me. This was one of the leading groups, and just may be the most important one. Many of the things I was permitted to see involving this particular group were not retained in my memory. I do not recall their shape or form, and I don't even know the name of their group or any of the individual demons within the group. These demons remain aloof from all the others, and their area of expertise is most important to Satan's last day attack plan.

Great power over flesh

These demons have great power over flesh, even much more power than the other demons. Part of their great strength rests in their anonymity. I also recall that they operate differently from the other demons. When a human is demon possessed, there are certain classic symptoms which indicate demon possession. This is not true with the mystery demon. It is a mandated fact that demons must indicate their presence when they totally possess a human. All demon possessed people display certain symptoms which indicate demon activity in that person.

A classic example of demon possession is an individual displaying a split personality. It is a FACT that all humans who have more than one personality ARE demon possessed. It was shown to

Dual personality = demon possession

me that all spirit beings have only one soul or personality. That includes the spirit of man that lives in the physical body. If that physical body starts to show more than one personality, then that body has more than one spirit living in it. There are no exceptions, ifs, ands, or buts about it. In such circumstances this would be demon possession — plain and clear. Another fact is that it is impossible for a spirit to live in and control a physical body without revealing himself in the form of a personality to others. This is true of the spirit of man as well as the spirit of demons.



Artist's concept of the form and shape of the mystery demon.

Hidden personality

However, when the personality of the mystery demon is displayed, it is not always obvious. When the mystery demon exhibits his personality in a human he has possessed, it is usually revealed as a hidden personality in that possessed human. For example, there was once a man who lived a good, clean, Christian life. He was a good husband, a good father, a law-abiding citizen, and he took an active part in his church. After this man died, his wife of forty years found some things he had kept hidden from her throughout their entire married life. He had prepared a little room hidden away in the back of his workshop. This room was private and when he was not in it, he kept it locked. After his death, his wife found many obscene objects and pictures hidden in that room. This man had a hidden personality that not even his life-long mate knew about.

These same demons may mainfest themselves as physical deformities, sicknesses, or many other ways which are not so obvious. When dealing with these demons, a different approach is needed. (Matthew 17:21)

Level of accountability

As previously stated, ninty percent of demon activity in humans involves those humans who are at or above the level of accountability. Their activity in humans below the level of accountability does not exceed ten per cent. When I use the word "accountability", I am referring to those humans who are able to make a choice. When I refer to those under the level of accountability, these are the individuals who are not free to make that choice.

In all cases where demons work in humans, the sovereign will of that human must be taken into consideration. When a human has a choice, he is exercising his sovereign will. Man is made in the image of God. His sovereign will is part of that image. When man is not able to make a choice, then he is not responsible for what he does unless he gives up that choice willfully. For example, willfully taking himself into a state of altered consciousness by use of drugs, TM, hypnosis, or some other such way.

Demons in children

When demons work through an individual who had no choice, then that individual has no blame. This is the case in demon possession of children who are under the level of accountability. Demons can and do work through children. Demon activity below the level of accountability is limited to no more than ten per cent of their total work and is closely regulated.

All demon activity in those below the level of accountability is

done so on a permission basis. Even then, before that permission will be granted, certain circumstances must be present. This is divine permission and is obtained by one of only two ways. One way of securing divine permission is that Satan must seek it. (Job 1:12) The second method is that God must decree it for divine punishment. (Psalms 78:49) It appears that in the case where demon activity in children in permitted, the circumstances in the child's life that are necessary for this permission to be granted are produced by the parents.

Hardest to deal with

The mystery demon is the only group of demons allowed to work in that individual who is below the level of accountability. This is the only group of demons who have such a wide range of capabilities or areas of expertise. These demons are also the hardest with which to deal and must be dealt with in a special way. (Matthew 17:21)

The mystery demon is able to mimic epilepsy in humans and much more. I was allowed to remember how important he is, but many of the other things were taken from my memory. Those things I was allowed to remember, I have reported to you. One thing that is really prominent in my mind about the mystery demon is the fact that his great strength seems to depend on his remaining anonymous in the life of the human.

When I state that the mystery demon was the only demon used when work was done through humans below the level of accountability, I did not mean to imply that he is limited only to those cases. No indeed! He is free to work in all humans, just like the rest of the demons.

Insanity

Although I don't know where this particular demon ranks, I do know that he is well respected by the other demons. I also remember that he has something to do with what we call insanity in humans. I don't know how he does it, but it appears that he interferes with the control line between the spirit of man and the physical organ called the brain. The spirit of man, which is also called the mind, controls the physical brain which, in turn, rules the physical body through some sort of invisible line of communication. We know that the line of communication of the brain organ to the body is through the nervous system. The communication line between the mind (spirit) and the brain is invisible and not known. When that invisible communication line is distorted or disrupted in some manner, it produces an unstable reaction in the physical body called insanity. In light of these revelations I experienced, I am convinced that our mental institutions are filled with people who

are demon possesed, and I believe that many of these same people would be normal if they were only delivered.

Deliverance

However, deliverance, itself, is no guarantee of the complete recovery of the physical body. The Bible gives us overwhelming evidence that deliverance is just the first step to putting the human back where he should be. Jesus likened it to a house that was cleaned out and the old, filthy tenant evicted. The old, filthy tenant could not find another home, so he brought seven of his friends with him and returned to the same house. After that house had been cleaned, the door was not locked. So the last state of that person was seven times worse than his first state.

It's all in the Bible

We have much to learn about demons, but all we need to know about them is in the Bible. Somehow mankind has a way of overlooking what the Bible has to say about this topic. One of the reasons man overlooks that portion of scripture is because these demons have been successful in remaining anonymous, and convincing man that demons do not exist. The Bible gives account after account of demon activity. All one has to do is look up all references made in the Bible on this subject, then one would see how real they are and how much coverage is given them by the Bible.

In no way do I intend for this book to replace the Bible as a tool in the daily fight of the life of the Christian. It is only intended as an aid and, in no way was designed to produce strength to fight the demons, for that strength must come from the only source, the Holy Spirit.

In times past, most demon activity in children was confined to those nations that were pagan or practiced Eastern mystic religions. I am not sure to what extent the connection really is, or even if there is a connection. I do know that demon activity in children is far greater where large populations believe in and practice false religions. This is one reason why we in America have not seen so much of demon possession in children.

False religions foster demon activity

Because of the large number of cults that have sprung up in the modern day, and due to the invasion of Eastern mystic religions; America is fast becoming a nation of people who believe and practice false religions. As we see more and more false religions, we see more and more demon activity in children.

The psychedelic drug problem in this nation today is one of our biggest problems. The use of drugs is no longer limited to the

young people, but whole families are partaking of them together. Only a few days ago, I read a report of a poll on drug use that was conducted in one of our larger states. The results were that over fifty per cent of the adults of that particular state had used drugs and saw nothing wrong with their children using them. Wow! What a fertile field for Satan and his demons to cultivate!

CHAPTER 8
THE FROG

From time to time while on the tour, I would notice some demons in such forms and shapes that they were unbelievable. Each time I noticed these demons, they were off to the side, by themselves. As I was being shown all the other demons, I would see some of these odd-looking beings in the many different places that we went. They seemed to display some sort of fear or distrust of all the other demons and were always off to themselves, as if they were just lurking about or spying.

The "untouchables"

Finally, my escorting angels brought me to a group of these odd-looking beings. They began to explain to me that this group was the "untouchables" of the Second Heaven, and it was the fifth group to be emphasized to me, so they ranked last in order of command. They may be last in the Second Heaven, but I found out what an important part they have to play in our world today.

This group of demons had the most despicable shapes and forms of any in all the Second Heaven. In many cases, the forms of some of them were so repulsive that just to look upon them produced nausea. Some of their forms were so odd that they defy description. Others were so small in stature that they were almost overlooked. I was astounded to learn that these were the creatures who held all the expertise in the area of "perversion". This group of untouchable, despicable, odd-looking spirit beings had been given the important assignment of destroying the morals of modern man.

Of course, these demons do not work alone. They simply have the responsibility of making certain the job is done. The success of their undertaking is very evident as we look at runaway, worldwide immorality.

While I was viewing this group, the angels told me that I was going to be permitted to see a human being actually being possessed by one of these demons. At that point, I was escorted back through that invisible dividing dimension wall from the Second Heaven to the physical world.

I witnessed demon possession

When we crossed through the dimension wall, we came out in a different room in the same hospital where my physical body was. We were not in a patient's room, but what appeared to me to be an employee lounge of some sort. In that room were two people, a young man and young woman. We entered the physical room through the dimension wall at a point about three feet from those

two people, being close enough to reach out and touch them. I could "hear" and understand each word they said, however, they could not see, hear, or feel me or the angels. The couple had no idea that we were there and, apparently, thought they were completely alone.

Standing between them was the most despicable looking of all creatures, of which they were totally unaware. He looked like an overgrown, stuffed, green frog that was all out of shape. The man and woman were talking and laughing as though they had just exchanged a joke. The demon, however, was between them and moving slowly toward the man's face. His every movement was calculated, much as a cat's movement is calculated when he is stalking a little bird. The man could not see him and he did not realize what was about to happen. I was just a few feet from the man and could not warn him because he could not hear me. I could not communicate to him because I was totally in the spirit.

I could not warn him

When the demon reached the man's face, suddenly, like a puff of smoke, he disappeared into the man's face, appearing to have penetrated the pores of the skin. The angel said to me, "There. It is finished. He is possessed." As I was turned away from the two, the angel began to tell me about the sovereign will of man and how this demon made himself look beautiful and desirable to this individual. (This was his area of expertise.) The angel stated that this individual, by his own sovereign will, had openly invited this thing to enter. To the man, the demon looked so desirable and beautiful, but I got to see him for what he truly is—ugly, despicable, and nauseating. How long, oh how long will mankind not believe? If only he would realize the truth of the Bible! How subtle, how cunning are the wiles of our adversary, the devil.



When the demon from the fifth order reached the man's face, suddenly, like a puff of smoke, he disappeared into the man's face. Possession completed.

At this point the angel told me that I was going to be permitted to witness the activity of the demons as they worked in the physical world. I was then escored right through the physical wall of that room out into the streets of the city. While traveling through that city, we did not travel at the speed of thought, but moved about as though we were floating.

Demons stalked their victims

I watched in amazement as the demons went about their business stalking their human victims. It was obvious that his stalking was not done on a random basis, but was a very personal thing with each person already having been targeted The Bible had once again been vindicated for it teaches that Satan is a personal devil. He leaves nothing to random chance.

This spectacle was similar to a hunt, although not like a man's hunt for animals. In this hunt the individual had been carefully targeted. All the victims had already been skillfully searched with their weaknesses precisely cataloged. The tempters in the areas of the victim's weaknesses were assigned their task. They followed and waited for the moment when the victim would be the most vulnerable and step into their prepared trap. They waited for the moment when the victim would arrive at the place where he would be weak and receptive to the temptation that they would spring on him. Their victim was never left alone, for once the assignment was made, the demon would never leave the targeted individual. No matter where that person would go, he would have an unseen traveling companion. In many cases, he would have an entire host of unseen traveling companions. Oh, physical man! If only you could see who travels with you!

Unseen companions

Man does not have to yield

The next statement I would like to make is very critical and most important. In spite of all the preparation and temptation of these spirit beings, man does not have to yield! If he does so, it will be because he does so by his own sovereign will. Man yields to temptation to satisfy the lusts of his flesh. Man wants, for his own selfish reasons, those very things with which the demons tempt him.

I found heavy demon activity to be much more profound in some places in the physical world than in other places. It was not explained to me why this was so. I was taken to what seemed to be an ordinary service station of modern design that sold a popular brand of gasoline. Overwhelmed, to say the least, at what I saw, I could not believe the number and different types of demons around that service station. The angels said nothing but just allowed me to look. We remained there for some time and watched the demon activity which was so thick that I could not tell what their activity

was all about. As demons would arrive from different directions, others would leave.

Concentrated demon activity

To this day, I still don't understand what that was all about. However, this was not the only place that had such a heavy concentration of such activity. I noticed more than normal activity around the hospital, and I know that none of the things I was permitted to see was just by random chance either. Each event had a designed purpose and was carefully orchestrated. I have not as yet received an understanding of the trip to the service station. It possibly has something to do with the part that oil and gas is playing in this last day.

After our allotted time at the service station, I was taken downtown through the streets of the city and allowed to watch as the demons went about their business. Traveling about as if floating, I noticed no resistance, as if even the air could not touch me for it took no effort to move and no strength was required. I was not even aware of the air itself, and I don't know if spirit even breathes.

People unaware

It seems impossible that all these spirit beings can be working among the people and the people not even be aware of them. When I thought about it, it seemed even more inconceivable that those same people did not even believe that such beings exist. I realized that most of those people would have laughed at me if I had appeared to them and told them about the spirit beings who are their constant companions. It is incredible and bewildering that man can claim to believe the Bible, and yet not know of these spirit beings and their tremendous influence on man's daily walk.

No doctrine on demons.

However, I really can't condemn man for this attitude because I was once in the same boat. I had read and studied the Bible almost all of my life, and, somehow, skipped over those pertinent scriptures about demons and their influence. Jesus was aware that this would happen because He warned us in His Word that Satan had the ability to steal the word. The church in which I was reared had no official doctrine on demons. It was, more or less, left to the individual. He could believe what he wanted to believe about those matters. The preacher never preached on them and never said that they were real or not real. Therefore, most of the people in my church did not believe they existed because they thought if they did exist, the preacher would certainly be telling the congregation about them.

When I grew up and became a preacher, I found out why the

Stock Answer

preachers did not talk about them. I attended a denominational college and a denominational seminary and never did I hear a single word spoken about demons. Not once did a single one of my teachers even attempt to deal with those verses of scriptures in the Bible related to this subject. The whole thing was completely, utterly ignored. Thus, I indirectly received the impression that if this matter was not important enough for the teacher to deal with, then it was not important enough for me to think about. So, I never thought about it unless I was compelled to do so. When I would have people ask me to explain those verses to them, I would pass it off with the stock answer, "That's one of the mysteries of the Bible that we can't understand in this life." This does not alter the fact that Christ knew how real they are If you will study His teachings in the Bible, you will note that He never failed to warn the people about the attacks of these beings.

Headed for Third Heaven

After the angels determined that I had had enough of seeing the demonic activity, they took me back through that invisible dividing dimension wall into the Second Heaven. This time, as we started our trip in the Second Heaven, I knew we were going to the Third Heaven. I don't know how I knew, but I did and became extremely excited. This was where I had wanted to go all the time because I knew that I must appear before God He was the only one who could give me back my physical life.

A Most beautiful place

This time we were not traveling at the speed of thought, but with the sensation of movement. As I traveled along, I noticed the light in that world. It was not bright like the light of our sun, but was more of a dingy light. I don't know the source of the light. All of a sudden we came to a most beautiful place. I have never, in all of my existence, seen such a place with such a special quality that made it the most beautiful place I had ever had the pleasure of seeing. Although I was not allowed to retain in my memory what made that place of beautiful, they did let me retain all the other memories about it, and then left me with a mystery—what was it that made that particular place so beautiful?

I don't have words to properly describe it to you, but I am going to try. It looked like a type of tunnel completely surrounded by an invisible shield which I knew to be the protection of the Holy Spirit. Alongside the walkway or path inside the tunnel were the most beautiful flowers.

As I gazed upon the beauty of this spot, for a moment I forgot all about the demons who were on every side.

CHAPTER 9
THE TUNNEL

A brilliant light

As I gazed upon this beautiful place, I noticed a brilliant light within the tunnel. It was a bright, soft light, but was so bright that inside there were no shadows. What appeared to be grass along the walkway was so green, lush, and soft looking that it gave me the impression that it was transparent. The deck of the walkway itself was bright as if it, too, was transparent. Although the light was very bright, it did not blind my eyes.

I looked in amazement as I saw what appeared to be people walking in that tunnel. I asked my escorting angel, "What are these people?" He replied to me, "They are the saints going home." (The Bible calls all believers saints. Acts 9:32-41) Then, I realized where I was. The angels had brought me to that place where all on earth who belong to God must pass through to get to the Third Heaven when they die. This was the way home, in other words, the highway to heaven.

Demons not allowed

I discovered that demons were not permitted into the tunnel at all and that Satan had no power in that tunnel. (Hallelujah!) Watching the saints on their way home, I observed some startling things. Although I was outside the tunnel, I could see plainly through the invisible shield. Even though I could tell that each saint was an individual, I could not detect any age. THE SAINTS ARE AGELESS! Then I noticed I could not detect any sex. THE SAINTS ARE SEXLESS! Then I noticed I could not detect any race. THE SAINTS ARE RACELESS! As I was absorbing the facts, I began to be aware of other beings around the saints. These beings were all surrounded by a misty fog, but through the fog I could begin to make out shapes and forms. Then, it dawned on me—guardian angels. I was looking at the saints' guardian angels. Each of these saints was accompanied by a least one guardian angel and some of the saints had a whole host of angels with them. Wow! Think of that! Going home with a whole host of angels!

Ageless, sexless, raceless

Guardian angels

Looking back, I realize that what I was seeing in the tunnel was the spirit of man who had been called home and had not yet received his glorified body. The shape and form of the spirit of man traveling in that tunnel was a form similar to the shape of physical man. As I looked at those saints, I could tell they were individuals. They were not carbon copies of one another, yet I could not tell the age of their physical body at the moment of death. Some might possibly have been babies or even very old at death. I don't know. I discovered that one is not aware of the time in eternity. ETERNITY KNOWS NO TIME!

Eternity is timeless

The saints' garments

I looked closely at the garments or clothes the saints were wearing. These were made of two pieces, somewhat like a jacket and trousers. The jacket did not seem to have any opening, yet it did not look like a pullover. Since the jacket itself covered the entire portion of the upper body down to the pelvis area, I could not see the waist of the pants, so I do not know if they were belted. Their feet were also covered with the same kind and color of material. The color of this clothing was a light baby blue in two shades, the upper part being a shade lighter than the bottom part, I don't now what significance their garments have, if any, but I was allowed to see them in detail so I am reporting them in detail.

At this point I started to enter the tunnel when the angels stopped me. They told me that this tunnel was only for the saints who were going home and no other spirit could enter. They informed me that I would have to travel outside the tunnel. We moved alongside the saints, but outside of the tunnel. It seemed to me that the saints were walking, but without effort. I was seemingly floating along parallel with them.

As we drew closer to the Third Heaven, I noticed that the demons who had been following alongside became fewer and fewer in number. When we arrived outside the gates of the Third Heaven, there were no demons in sight. Even though the gates of the Third Heaven opened out into the Second Heaven, the demons of that world dared not come within sight of those gates.

I was not allowed inside

When I arrived outside those gates, I immediately wanted to go inside, but the angels would not allow this. They made me come to a point outside the gates and watch as the saints were admitted one at a time. Many things happened as I stood outside those gates, and I learned some great truths while there. For example, I was permitted to watch as fifty saints were allowed to enter heaven and was told a staggering fact. These events were covered in my first book entitled Placebo so I will not relate the specifics here.

After the saints had been admitted, I was allowed to talk to God from outside those gates. He told me the awful truth about myself and it was hard for me to accept what he said about my life. I had always that I had been in God's will and that my life had been pleasing to Him. I found out how Paul felt when received the truth.

After I was taken away and brought back before Him a second time, He gave me a message dealing with the last days of time which I shared in my first book. The purpose of this second book is

to try to make people aware of the importance of knowing about demons, their increased activity in these last days, and how to deal with them.

Watchman

I would like to state that I am not glorifying Satan and his demons, but have the role of the watchman standing on the wall and reporting the approaching enemy. I have warned you. What you do is between you and God.



The beautiful highway of tunnel that leads to home for God's children.

CHAPTER 10
IS IT A REALITY?

It is important for you to believe that these demons are real if you have any inclination to do anything about them. If you are sincere in your efforts to expose Satan and his demons, you must be sure beyond any doubt that they do exist.

Scriptural references

You may be wondering how you can know for sure that all of what I say is true. You can know from the Bible because, as previously stated, all that I have said about demons is supported in the Bible. There are documented scriptures which indicate the different types of demons, and show that they must be handled in different ways. (Matthew 17:21) There are scriptures which prove they are powerful (Luke 8:29), they possess humans (Matthew 8:28), they are evil (Acts 19:13), they have different and weird shapes and forms (Revelation 16:13), they have the ability to overcome man (Acts 19:13-16) and scriptures which prove that God sometimes uses them for matters of judgement among His people (Psalms 78:49).

I could go on and on with the scriptures which support all that I said about them, but it matters not how much scripture I quote, because if you don't believe all of it, then believing part of it certainly won't do you any good. You cannot fight an enemy that you don't believe exists. Even worse, if you do believe he exists, but refuse to perceive him as a threat, you still are unable to fight him. If you don't believe he has the ability to hurt you, you have no defense against him.

Know the enemy

In preparation to fight, one must first learn how the enemy operates. One of the greatest opportunities we have today to observe how our enemy operates is through psychic phenomena. Often, spirit to spirit activity is detected only by the spirit, however, with psychic phenomena spirit activity can be detected by flesh and there are ocassions when one can actually see the work of "psychic powers." Most of the time this demonstration of psychic powers is performed by persons who are believers in the occult, and is sometimes evident in those who practice the Eastern mystic religions.

R. A. Ferguson

A good example of psychic powers is displayed by Robert A. Ferguson who is an author, lecturer, and psychic telemetry teacher, and has been involved in the occult for over thirty years. He has appeared as a guest on many television talk shows and has had many of his articles published by magazines. He has acted as a

psychic consultant to top American corporations and to entertainment personalities.

Mr. Ferguson states emphatically that "psychic telemetry" works, and that it is a "magic" force which works miracles. Mr. Ferguson states that he has positive proof that the use of psychic telemetry, as taught by him, does work. His proof that his psychic telemetry works includes certain people who have used his method for healing of kidney disease, healing of asthma, removal of spots from the lungs, and much more. He also claims that through the use of this method, many people have received large sums of money. Mr. Ferguson also states that by the use of psychic telemetry, a person can receive results in moments, not months. "Magic" words that he can teach an individual will bring that individual power to make others do his bidding. The same powers, Ferguson says, will protect the user from evil as well as bring love and secret knowledge.

Psychic healing

Ferguson claims to know how to make "cosmic dust" which is supposed to be an amazing dust that contains all sorts of magical powers. He denies that any of these practices are black magic, but affirms that it is a magical force of nature.

"Cosmic dust"

Most of the psychic mystics believe and preach that we are all part of one big universal mind out there in the cosmos, that we are just one part of that great big god-mind, that we possess the ability of that god, and all we need do is learn how to use it. According to the psychic mystics, since we are part of that universal mind and have all of its abilities, then we are, in fact, gods ourselves. They say that all we have to do to learn how to use the power is to just "tune in" by way of our mind. Some learn to "tune in" through yoga, others through TM, and others through the use of psychedelic drugs. The process of "tuning in" is called, in the professional vernacular, "reaching a state of altered consciousness."

A state of altered consciousness

Psychic phenomena can be experienced in many ways. In the small town of Calogero, Italy, on August 7, Maria Maccarone got up from her sick bed where she had been confined as a hopeless cripple for twelve years. Maria reported that she had seen a vision many months before of a nun who had long been dead. Maria said that the nun, one Sister Paola Frassinetti, who was the founder of the Sisters Of Saint Dorothy, came into her room and told her that she would receive healing at six p.m. on August 7 Maria's birthday. Maria told the local Mother Superior about her vision and the Mother Superior dispatched two nuns to stay in the room with

Maria until her birthday. At exactly six p.m. August 7, the vision of the nun reappeared in Maria's room and Maria got up from her bed and walked. She had been healed.

Miraculous healing

In reporting this story, the newspaper quoted Dr. Michelle Ferrari, who was identified as Maria's doctor. The doctor stated, "I cannot explain it. It is impossible, but it happened."

Another example of psychic phenomena involves Father Oscar Gonzelez-Quvedo, the director of the Latin American Center of Parapsychology. A Jesuit priest, he said in an interview with a reporter that they had studied some bizarre cases of psychic powers at the center. One of the cases he reported was a woman who could cause power black-outs just by walking into a room. The moment she would walk into a room, the power would fail. Electricians would find nothing wrong with the electrical system, but when the woman would walk out of the room, the power would return. In another case, a woman named Nilza used her "subconscious mind" to embed needles under her skin. Then he reported that there was the case of Suly. She was a poor, uneducated, Brazilian girl who spoke flawless, Syrian Arabic; even though she'd never before heard the language. He also told of a Catholic seminarian named Lidenberg Freitas who could predict the future with complete accuracy.

Psychic phenomena

Father Georges Makhoul, an official and a parapsychologist at the same center stated, "Psychic events do exist. The human mind actually causes them, but a true psychic is a very rare thing."

I have included an account of all these events so that you might be convinced that there is power being used in the physical world through humans that is beyond human capabilities. These powers defy all physical explanation, but let me remind you of a rule of truth—IN ALL OF CREATION THERE ARE BUT TWO SOURCES OF POWER. The number one source is God and the number two source is Satan. Any power in all of creation comes from one of these two sources. It is very obvious that what does not come from God, comes from Satan. The Bible tell us how God uses His power and it also tells us that Satan uses wiles with his power.

Only two power sources

Most of the psychics and mystics claim that their power is used for good only, and they claim that the source of their power is good. It is so very sad that most of them believe with all their heart that the source of their power is good. I know of no one who would not flee should Satan approach them in his own name, hence, he does not come in his own name. Because these people have

Deceived

experienced this power, they are convinced that they have the right source of power. These pathetic people have never experienced the true power of the Holy Spirit and probably the only contact most of them had with the church was through a cold, impersonal, social gathering.

Social gospel—powerless

The social gospel has no power, and folks who attend these kinds of churches never see any evidence of power in their church. Since the preacher has not seen any power, he preaches that there is none for the physical life. These so-called Christians are responsible for many individuals turning to the occult. In the occult, at least, they experience some power which makes them believe in that power. Most of those folks who are involved with this counterfeit power went to the churches, initially, to find God and prove that He is real. The only trouble was that they went to dead churches. God cannot be felt through a dead person. For Jesus to live through an individual, that individual must first KNOW Him. Many of our churches are nothing more than social groups and social groups do not represent Jesus.

False worship

A group of people who meet regularly in a building for the implied purpose of worshipping God and yet demonstrate no love for others, are lying only to themselves. They are not lying to the world, because the world is quick to see the lie in their life and thereby call all of Christianity a hypocrisy.

To those of you who profess to represent God and to lead his flock, I remind you of your awesome responsibility. If you publicly proclaim Jesus to be your Lord and Master, He had certainly better be your Lord and Master! Do not forget this scripture, "Be not deceived, God is not mocked, whatsoever a man soweth, that also shall he reap."

Held accountable

For those who have wandered from a godless church and have fallen into Satan's hands, becoming one of his pawns and false teachers; some of the credit goes to that godless church, the leaders, and the whole congregation. The responsible people will surely pay for their role in this falling away.

Now that we have established beyond any doubt the reality of psychic power, let us establish beyond any doubt the source of that power. Since we know that there are but two sources of power and that according to the Bible, God doesn't use His power in this way; then psychic power has to come from the other source, Satan.

Parapsychology

These actual cases I have quoted involving psychic power are but a drop in the bucket to the great number that have been documented lately. Many of the major universities in America today have now established a department of parapsychology staffed with highly educated and capable people. I am retering to people with educational and medical degrees from some of our greatest universities. In their actual research, these people deal with case after case of psychic phenomena. As the result of their actual contact with these matters, most of these experts are convinced that psychic powers are real.

If one knows anything about the Bible at all, one knows that God does not work in the way of the psychics. In that case, it must be Satan. If it is Satan, we as God's children, can have nothing to do with it. Therefore, any who practice the use of psychic powers cannot be one of God's children no matter how much they believe they can be. Satan knows this also, so the first thing he does is try and convince the world that psychic powers do not come from him.

It is war!

In psychic powers, we are confronted with demons and are engaged in spiritual warfare. Make no mistake about it. It is war! No one knew about this warfare in the spirit realm better than Paul. If you want to know how he viewed it, take your concordance and research "spiritual warfare."

Before we go into the next chapter on how to deal with these demons, let me remind you of how important it is to be convinced that they are real and that you, as a Christian, can deal with them through the methods provided by the Bible. If, at this time, you still have doubts, then take your concordance and research all of the scriptures given on demons, Satan, and evil angels. Study those scriptures until you are sure, until you know you can move without doubt.

The purpose of the next chapter is to help you prepare to fight that spiritual battle Not even the Bible can help you if you doubt. Now the time has come for you to answer the question: "IS IT FOR REAL?"

CHAPTER 11
DEALING WITH DEMONS

(CASTING THEM OUT)

An unsuccessful attempt

"Then certain of the vagabond Jews, exorcists, took upon them to call over them which had evil spirits the name of the Lord Jesus, saying, We adjure you by Jesus whom Paul preacheth. And there were seven sons of one Sceva, a Jew, and chief of the priests, which did so. And the evil spirit answered and said, Jesus I know, and Paul I know; but who are ye? And the man in whom the evil spirit was leaped on them, and overcame them, and prevailed against them, so that they fled out of that house naked and wounded." (Acts 19:13-16) From this scripture we learn many things about dealing with demons. Number one: Not everyone can be an exorcist. Number two: Demons all know Jesus and they also know the one that has the authority to call them out. Number three: There is no power or magic in the use of the name of Jesus by one that does not know Jesus.

Satan's confusion

We see from this very scripture that even in the day of Paul there were many false exorcists pedaling their wares. Why was that? What made those people think they could cast out evil spirits? The very same thing that makes witch doctors think they can cast out devils today. I think that by now, from what has been reported in this book, everyone can admit that witch doctors can manifest powers that are not physical. But, remember, most of those same witch doctors think their powers are from a good source. This is part of Satan's plan to keep that confusion going. The Bible says that a house divided against itself cannot stand. In no way can that witch doctor cast out an evil spirit because his own power rests in an evil spirit. In many cases, the spirit within the host human will cooperate with the spirit in the witch doctor so that, to the physical, it may appear that the spirit has been cast out. In reality, it has not been cast out.

We find out from this scripture also that the demons within a human can talk through their host. They don't have to answer one who does not have authority, but they can be compelled to answer one, on demand, who has the authority. This is an important truth, and if you intend to be an exorcist, make certain of your authority.

We see those unsaved people trying to use the name of Jesus only to find out that the name, itself, holds no magic power. This is another important truth for you to learn. There is no magic in the

Using Jesus' Name

use of the Name of Jesus. This holds true for the real exorcist also. The use of Jesus' Name is something we always do, but there is no magic in the use itself. To say His name releases no magical power. The power comes not from the use of His name, but by the AUTHORITY GRANTED TO YOU BY HIM. Paul knew this and acted accordingly. "In the name of Jesus" literally meant "by the authority of Jesus." The demons also knew this, and they also knew the false exorcists were lying because the false exorcists did not have the authority of Jesus. That is why the demons refused to obey and come out. They did not have to obey one without authority.

Superhuman strength

We also see that demons have power to wound physical flesh. They can do this by manipulating the physical host, forcing him to turn on the targeted individual to be wounded. If the physical strength within the host's body is not sufficient, they can supply superhuman strength. The Bible verifies this by the fact that one host human beat all seven of Sceva's sons, tearing their clothes off them. They fled from the possessed individual naked and wounded. We have seen evidence of this many times in our mental institutions where humans even in frail bodies would suddenly have a "fit" and display superhuman strength.

No fear

An important thing about the supernatural strength that should be taken into consideration is that, since the demons were supplying the strength with which the human was fighting, should a Christian with authority have commanded those demons to cease, they would have had no choice but to obey. If you have authority to act in the Name of Jesus, you must never fear. Remember it is not you physically that is confronting the demons, nor even you as a spirit being, but it is the power of Jesus.

If we should stop now with just this one scripture, I am sure that many of you readers would have learned new truths and methods. However, we are not about to stop here. In fact, we have just begun to touch upon those truths of the Bible. We will look at dealing with demons in steps so that you may understand the logical order in deliverance.

Step one—authority

The first step is to have AUTHORITY. I have said in the past pages that all Christians potentially have the ability to cast out demons. To give a clear example of what I am talking about, and to see how authority works, let us look at our own society. In our society we establish laws to give us the authority to deal with those who would disrupt our way of life and not abide within the rules of society. We establish a police force and place authority in them to

Citizen's arrest

enforce the rules we call the laws. Although the police force has the primary responsibility for enforcing those laws, each citizen also has a responsibility. By that same law, each citizen has the authority to arrest a violator who commits a violation within the citizen's presence. There can be no civil penalty brought against a citizen for making the arrest in the first place. Although all citizens are given this authority, many of them refuse to exercise it.

We could use the citizens of the Kingdom of God as an example. All the citizens of the Kingdom of God are empowered to cast out demons, but many of those citizens do not, for different reasons. The number one reason most of them fail to act is that they are unsure of their authority. Many who acknowledge the authority are unsure of how to use the power, or unsure of what the power is.

First prerequisite

The number one fact that we must establish here is that no person can have authority to cast out demons unless that person is first saved. Therefore, salvation is the number one prerequisite for all who would be exorcists. The next step is the granting of the authority. Let us take an example from the Bible of the first reported incident of actual humans being granted authority by Jesus to take charge over demons.

First authority granted

"And having summoned His twelve disciples, He gave them authority over unclean spirits, to cast them out, and to heal every kind of disease and every kind of sickness:" (Matthew 10:1 New American Standard Bible) We see from this scripture that before Jesus sent out his disciples, He gave them authority over the demons. This authority was given even before He gave them authority to heal sicknesses and diseases. It is also important to note that the authority to deal with demons first is a must, because often what the world would think of as a disease or sickness can be demon possession. This does not mean that every form of disease or sickness is demon possession. The Bible clearly shows that one can have sickness and disease that is not demon possession. (Matthew 4:24 and Mark 1:32) The Bible clearly shows that the root cause of all sickness and disease is sin. Therefore, had man never sinned, the physical body would not have been subject to sickness and disease. The Bible also clearly shows us that all men since Adam, with the exception of Jesus, have sinned. Therefore,

Sin and sickness

when we sin, our physical body is subject to sickness and disease. Sickness and disease may not immediately follow the act of sin that makes us vulnerable. In fact, it may be years before the physical body deteriorates to the degree that it becomes susceptable to that sickness and disease. Make no mistake about it. The physical

body will reap what it sows. The abuse of that physical body, even by a Christian, brings physical retribution. This is clearly pointed out in the Bible. (1 Corinthians 3:16-17) For those of you who think differently, read that verse of scripture closely.

When the disciples had received the authority from Jesus to go and cast out demons, that was not all that was necessary because they had to carry with them the word of God, their one weapon. That word told them where they could go, what people they would have this authority to deal with, and this word even outlined their conduct as they went. We see clearly that Paul recognized this fact when he described all of the weapons with which to fight this spiritual battle. These weapons are described in detail in Ephesians 6:11-18.

Armor of God

In the passage in Ephesians, Paul said that the whole armor of God was necessary in order for one to be able to withstand the "wiles of the Devil." The "wiles of the Devil" are "the devil's cunning devices." Those cunning devices are often wrought through the personality of the demons.

Truth

The first item we note in this armor is TRUTH. We all seem to think that we have the truth, but do we? Look back in your own past. How many times did you lend support with words or your presence to those who were teaching about fighting demons, when in your mind you were entertaining doubts about the existence of those demons. Don't deceive yourself. This is not truth! To pretend when you do not fully believe is not truth. There are also those who claim to be fighting demons, and put on a show to keep their audiences of believers following them, when they, themselves, believe not. These phoneys are also far from the truth. If you look closely, the evidence is all around these masqueraders. Because they serve Satan, he helps them keep that evidence concealed, but it cannot be hidden to the discerning Christian. Look hard enough, and you can find that evidence for absolute truth is required.

Righteousness

The number two item is RIGHTEOUSNESS. What is righteousness? Righteousness is the standard of God's holy law which is derived from His holy character by which we are judged. Mankind is considered to be corrupt and lacking in righteousness (Romans 3:23) because of the self-corrupting act of our original progenitor. (Romans 5:12-21) Man is totally incapable of making himself righteous. (Romans 3:19-20) Only through the atoning work of Christ can man be given righteousness. (Isaiah 54:17) The righteousness that is of the Lord and not of ourselves is important

to have. Only those who belong to the Lord can have righteousness because He will give it only to His own.

The Gospel of Peace

The next item is THE GOSPEL OF PEACE. This simply means that we should always spread the good news of peace. One should carry peace and harmony and never discord. We should never provoke our brothers to wrath.

The Shield of Faith

The next item is one of the most important of all, THE SHIELD OF FAITH. By this faith alone, you should be able to turn away all the darts hurled by Satan. You should be able to stand with your head high in the face of all criticism of the wicked of this world who will try to destroy the works, ministry, and life of one who is fighting that wickedness. Often those of the world will show what the world calls proof that your fight is foolishness. In light of all this and more, the shield of faith will protect you if your faith is the true faith. What is faith, but to believe in God's Work as a little child.

Salvation

Following this is the most important of all, SALVATION. One cannot possibly possess any of the other items without having salvation. Except one be born again, it is impossible to see the Kingdom of God. Therefore, without salvation you cannot know the truth and cannot receive God's own righteousness. Nor can you spread the good news of peace, or believe the Word of God as a little child.

The Sword of the Spirit

It is only after you possess the items previously discussed, that you may receive the last item and only offensive weapon, THE SWORD OR THE WORD OF GOD. This is our greatest truth. It is with the sword of the spirit that we cast out demons and no other weapons can be used. There is no magical formula, no magic word, no encantation, no ritual, no sprinkling of holy water, no burning of incense, no self-sacrificing ritual, no holy dance of the gods, no blood letting, no beating the spirits out with whips, no other way that demons can be cast out except the way which the Bible clearly shows. The displaying of the crucifix will not do it, neither will the use of any other object. There is one and only one way. That way is by the sword of the Spirit, which is God's Word. What then is God's Word? I will let the Bible answer that for you "In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. The same was in the beginning with God. All things were made by Him; and without him was not any thing made that was made. In Him was life; and the life was the light of men." (John 1:1-4) "And the Word was made flesh, and dwelt among us, (and we beheld his glory, the glory as of the only begotten of the Father,) full of grace and truth." (John 1:14)

God in us

From the reading of these scriptures, it becomes clear what the sword of the Spirit truly is. It is God Himself displayed through the Holy Spirit. Remember that God has already told us that He, in the form of the Holy Spirit, resides in our physical body. This, of course, applies only to those who belong to him, for God has no habitation in the temple of one who serves Satan. God does not reside with devils.

Thus far we have established that before you can cast out demons, you must have the authority. Then, one must possess the whole armor with which to do it. By the Words of God from the pages of the Bible, we have established what is meant by authority and armor. Let us see who is the recipient of authority and armor.

The great commission

To see who has been given the authority to cast out demons and do the bidding of the Lord, let us read from the Bible the great commission. We will read both from the twenty-eighth chapter of Matthew and the sixteenth chapter of Mark. These are the two places in the Bible where the great commission is reported in detail.

"And Jesus came up and spoke to them, saying, All authority has been given to Me in heaven and on earth. Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and the Son and The Holy Spirit. Teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you: and lo, I am with you always, even to the end of the age." (Matthew 28:18-20 New American Standard Bible) Before I quote from Mark, let us look at some statements in Matthew. First, the Lord is sending out the eleven disciples who are left. He is sending them to the entire world, not just to Israel. He is commanding them to make disciples of all people, and He is instructing them to give to the new disciples all that He, the Lord, had given to the eleven. Nothing was to be kept back from the new dicisples, for He said in the twentieth verse, "Teaching them to observe all that I commanded you." At this point, let us put to rest the claim that is made by some of our good brothers who say that the power and instructions given by Jesus to the eleven in the great commission was just to the eleven only.

We are all commissioned

No, my dear friend, if you will pull the scales placed by Satan from your eyes and read those words again, you will notice that our Lord was not just speaking to the eleven only, but to every true disciple of his to come, even down to this day in which we live.

Now that we have established to whom He is speaking, let us show what authority was given. "And He said to them, Go into all

the world and preach the gospel to all creation: He who believes and has been baptized shall be saved; but he who has disbelieved shall be condemned. And these signs will accompany those who have believed. In My name they will cast out demons, they will speak with new tongues. They will pick up serpents, and if they drink any deadly poison, it shall not hurt them; They will lay hands on the sick, and they will recover."

Gentiles included

The Bible goes on to report that the eleven believed what He told them and went forth preaching as He had instructed. He confirmed his word by allowing those signs to follow them.

The Bible shows through the twelfth disciple, Paul, that the great commission was given to the Gentile disciples to come. Paul showed how these powers given in the great commission would be used by the Holy Spirit through the Gentile disciples. The twelfth chapter of first Corinthians points this out as fact. All the gifts that were given to the eleven would continue to be used by the gentiles, but as directed by the Holy Spirit. (1 Corinthians 12:11) For the first time in the Bible, these gifts were separated which means that all of the signs stated in the great commission would not necessarily have to follow one disciple. It was now going to be that each new gentile disciple would have only those gifts that the Holy Spirit would appoint to him. This did not mean that He could not give all the gifts to some, but it did mean that there would be some who possessed just some or even just one of those gifts.

Power over demons for all

If you will notice in the separation of the gifts, Paul did not deal with the ability to cast out demons. He did deal with the ability to lay hands on the sick and work miracles. If you will remember, when Christ gave the authority on earth for many to work in His name, the authority to cast out demons was separated from the others. Nowhere did Christ revoke that authority. In His great commission, He reaffirmed that authority to His disciples. Therefore, when Paul, the disciple to the Gentiles, separated the gifts according to the instructions of the Holy Spirit, the authority to cast out demons was not named because the general authority to deal with demons rests upon all Christians.

Gift of discernment

Notice as we study the gifts that the ability to discern spirits is a gift. Though all Christians have the authority and the potential ability, there are those who are specifically called and equipped for the job of dealing with demons. Those who have received any special calling by the Holy Spirit will know it, and certainly won't have to be told by me. No one else will have to tell them either. However, those given a deliverance ministry will not be exempt from studying and learning how to use this gift. When the Holy

Study of God's Word required

Spirit calls a person, it is not like talking over the telephone. The Holy Spirit requires that those who are called study from God's Word so that, through faith in God's Word, they might receive the whole armor of God to do the job.

The most important thing that any child of God must remember in doing the job he has been called to do is that all we do in this life, in our walk with God, is done by faith.

Already in this chapter we have learned that demons know who has the authority over them and we have learned that many false exorcists do exist this day as they have since the days of Paul. We have also learned that all Christians have the authority over demons, but not all can or will use that authority. We have learned that through the commission, we in this day also have the authority to cast out demons and, as directed by the Holy Spirit, do many marvelous works in the name of the Lord. We have also learned that if we are going to deal with demons, we must study and learn from God's Word how to deal with them.

Starting with the authority and using the whole armor of God, next we must be able to recognize the demon when we are confronted by him. A person who is totally possessed is unable to call out for help. Then there are those who are possessed by the mystery demon, and this kind of demon does not manifest himself to the physical world as the other demons do.

Perversion

Because split personality is easy to detect, it is often easy for us to recognize demon possession in most people. Split personality is one of the most classic examples of demon possession in human beings. Another example is deviate personality or perversion. An expression of a perversion is good evidence of demon possession. An expression of perversion can be defined as expressing unnatural desires outside of God's natural order. An unnatural act is a perverted act. A perverted act may be committed by a human that is not possessed because the act may be committed when that human is under the influence of demon oppression. Remember, God's people are not immune from demon oppression.

There are examples of demon possession that are not so easy to detect which would involve the mystery demon. In this case, possession could be detected only in the hidden, second personality of the person, or it may manifest itself as a disease, sickness, or physical deformity. It may be manifested in many different ways, but in some manner, the demon must display his works or fruit to the physical world.

If you are one who has been called to deal with the demons in today's world, initially remove all doubts from your mind and go into God's Word until you are sure that you can recognize them. Then, by the authority granted you, go forth and deal with those demons.

There are many examples I could list here to help one learn how demons work in individuals. I have selected these few because they are representative of what we see most of the time.

James Couper

James Couper was what most people would call an average, middle-income American. He grew up in an average-looking neighborhood in a small town in Virginia. Making good grades in school, he was never in trouble with the law and did the same kind of things other high school kids did. After he had reached eighteen years of age, one of his friends talked him into trying a marijuana cigarette. Shortly after the experience with marijuana, he allowed himself to be hypnotized in an experiment.

When James Couper had reached his thirtieth birthday, he had already spent ten years in the penitentiary. After James was released from jail the last time, he went to El Paso, Texas, where he tried to start a new life. He failed. It was not long until he was running drugs across the border and taking part in many drug related crimes. When James could not make enough money selling narcotics to feed his own drug habit, he had to turn to stealing. When that would not suffice, he had to beg. Somehow he had to get the money necessary to feed his drug habit.

Drug addiction

Finally, the day came when he had no money with which to buy his drugs. He could not steal the drugs, nor could he beg for them. He had come face to face with the one hellish thought of every drug addict—no way to procure the drugs he had to have. He had no place to go, no place to sleep, no one to turn to. He knew of a half-way house where some of the street people went. Almost out of his mind for want of the drugs, he managed to get to the house in some way. He was so miserable that it was like a nightmare. At this point in his life, his drug habit was costing him two hundred dollars a day.

That night a religious service was held at the half-way house, and he saw the power of God through the lives of some of those people there. He had never heard the plan of salvation and had never heard that Jesus was a personal Savior. In an act of desperation for relief, he gave his heart to that unknown God, fell on his face, and begged for mercy. That night a great miracle was worked because James was instantly delivered from those demons

Transformed and delivered

which made his physical body cry out for drugs and alcohol. He also instantly received a physical healing from a hernia he had received in a street fight. In a moment, in a twinkling of an eye, a new man was born. A drug and alcohol addict went into that meeting; a brand new man came out.

Today James Couper is working in the city of El Paso trying to get those same street people with whom he took narcotics, to meet the same God he met. James is working with people on both sides of the border, and is living proof that deliverance is the only sure, true cure for alcohol or drug addiction. He should know because he had tried multiple treatments and none worked. He did eventually find the right treatment and the only treatment for such a problem—Jesus.

Jim Maloney is an ex-policeman from Los Angeles who had many problems in his life. These problems were so great that he contemplated destroying himself. Having tried what this world could offer for relief, all had failed. One day, though, he found the real truth. The following is a letter that Jim wrote to me relating the great miracle God worked in his life.

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Dear Howard:

I am prompted to share with you my testimony by the Holy Spirit of God our Father and Jesus Christ our Lord and Savior.

I retired from the Los Angeles Police Department in 1977 due to the stress and strain of the job. I had been oppressed by anxiety (Luke 21:34-35) and did not know my obligations according to God's word even though I had the tablets written on my heart.

My conflict was with the job and my family. My family came first and I was prompted by the Department to make my job first priority which caused conflict and the eventual divorce which I suffered. I knew my first obligation was to my child who was five months old at the time of the separation of my wife and I. I obtained custody of her. My attitude had forced my wife to look elsewhere for comfort and understanding.

I had had custody of my daughter for several months on my own while assigned to the Metropolitan Division, when one evening five other officers and I stopped in a West Los Angeles restaurant/bar to observe the olympics on T.V. and see Bruce Jenner. I must add that I was a believer but did not know Christ personally at that time and had not confessed Him as Lord of my life.

While we were having a drink a customer started to leave the bar with a drink. The daytime bartender who happened to be there to watch T.V. told him to stop and not leave with the drink. The customer refused and drew an automatic pistol from the rear of his waistband. The customer attempted to shoot the daytime bartender. My partner, Edward Entwisle and I subdued him. In the process the customer attempted to shoot Ed and myself. At one point the pistol was next to my face. Due to my pride I never admitted to my fear. Especially the fear of leaving my daughter fatherless which was a direct result of all things, contemplating suicide. There were many other contributing factors to my behavior at the time, all of which were of this world's system, i.e., education, human will, amorality, all in a search for fulfillment.

I subsequently retired and am now primarily working with the Motion Picture Industry on location filming.

In the late summer of 1979 around noon I was in the livingroom of my home in Valencia, CA. I had been feeling depressed due to my divorce four years earlier, raising my daughter alone since she was five months old and having no wife. My daughter heard her friends playing and asked me if she could go outside and play with them. I said yes. As she walked out the front door I took a long look at her. I saw a picture of physical health, the child like joy in her spirit, and the beauty of her radiant blond hair as she skipped out the door. I contemplated and wondered at the miracle of a child. I had an inward revelation that she was not of my making, she was not made by human hands or by anything that I could have done. Then I started to look around at all that I had. I felt guilty. Guilty for not giving thanks (Romans 1:21) to the one who had really done all of these things. I was sitting on the couch and began to pray (Jeremiah 29:12-13):

> "Oh!God, what a fool I have been. Why should
> I feel depressed. You have given me so much.
> My daughter is healthy and to me she is beautiful
> My refrigerator is full and I have a nice home.
> What more could I ask for? Oh! Thank you God for
> all you have given me."

I was suddenly embarked on the most indescribable heavenly moment of which a Christian can be permitted. I am attempting herein to share the most personal, the most spiritually resplendant, and most ecstatically moving observations which I might know until that great moment when we shall meet the King of Kings in the air!

'Absent from the body; present with the Lord.'

In the twinkling of an eye Jesus took me out of the world. I can not adequately describe the astonishment. One moment with a flesh restricted mind, the next moment with a heaven released spirit.

My initial gasp was quickly followed by an overwhelming sense of peace, peace which passeth earthly understanding. Peace so complete our language has no adjectives to describe it. I felt like a child. Free . . free at last. I started running. I was overwhelmed with joy and love. I was crying and laughing at the same time. I ran and ran . . .free . . .absolute freedom.

I started to wonder when the pain from the running was going to set in. It did not come. The longer I ran the further I could go. I was totally me. Complete absence of pain and the total presence of peace (neither of which I had ever known on earth). I felt like me, reacted like me, I was me. I simply suddenly had shed the old body and was now in a cloud of light. The light was brilliant. There were no shadows, there was no end. The illumination fascinated me. My excitement was too great to describe (Malachi 4:2)

'Then The Light Spoke'

Then the Light spoke and said, "Come with Me." The voice gripped my spirit, penetrated my very being. The Rock! I instantly knew the voice (John 10:4). The voice was 'The Rock'. I knew it better than my own natural father's. His voice was Sovereign, Loving, Authoritive, Sweet, Meek, Compassionate, Powerful! All in one.

I continued to experience the freedom. Now that I look back, it was as if He was letting me taste His peace and love a little longer. I did not reply but continued to run. Still laughing and crying.

The Light spoke again,"Come with me." This time the voice was 'Jesus'. His voice absolutely, omnipotently penetrated my spirit. I felt so unworthy—like a grain of sand. (Psalm 18:31,46)

I replied, "I am not ready." I don't know why. God has given us a free will. He shows us His love then it's your decision.

Instantly I was back in my livingroom in utter astonishment. Looking around as if coming out of a dream. It seemed like it took me several moments to re-orient myself. Then, I was compelled to turn on my television set. There was just at that moment a football game on with the camera panning the stadium crowd. Many thousands of people—a multitude was enjoying the sport. A force of energy came through me I stood there in amazement as I could see each individual's face as if I loved and knew each and everyone of them personally. Then the message came to me that Jesus was showing me how he loves each and everyone of us individually, including me. He loves me too, I thought. I cried. He is our personal Savior. Glory to God!

Several months passed before I really started to understand that my experience with Jesus was absolutely, unquestionably real.

In the first full week of May 1980 I had been sharing with several Christians while working on a film at the Lincoln Heights Jail. I decided to be baptized in water in obedience to my Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ, The Son of God. In my heart I had declared my complete surrender to His purpose and His power in my life. Four days prior to my baptism on May 11th, I filled a tray with food and walked to the rear lot of the jail to watch some equipment while the crew broke for lunch. As I set the tray down I noticed how bountiful this meal really was and thanked God for allowing me to have it. At that moment a Spirit came up to me, as I observed His approach I was filled with love and joy. I was smiling from ear to ear, waved and said, "Hi, how are you?" And thought, "Partake with me my lunch—with love." Not until later did I understand that what happened fulfilled Revelation 3:20 in my life.

The Spirit is indwelling now and part of my being (John 1:33-34)

Since then there have been many manifestations of the Holy Spirit and the healings of Jesus Christ in my life experience. Especially love for my fellow man and concern for the unsaved as Jesus showed me His love for us all I love all and am concerned for their salvation.

My intention is to share Jesus Christ's gospel and proclaim, He is alive! He is coming back—soon! He has placed a burden on my heart for His children who must face satan at every turn, who are

oppressed as I was, and do not understand where it is all coming from. I would like to assist in any way possible with my testimony, witnessing, counseling, etc.. If there is any way that I can be of assistance please let me know. I do want to help those who are being led astray.

We are in a battle—the final countdown. "So use every piece of God's armor to resist the enemy whenever he attacks, and when it is all over, you will still be standing up." Ephesians 6:13 (L.B.)

In the name of The Wonderful Counselor,

Mighty God, Everlasting Father,
Prince of Peace,
JESUS CHRIST

Your servant,

James C. Maloney, III

QUOTED SCRIPTURE

LUKE 21:34-35

"Be on guard, that your hearts may not be weighted down with dissipation and drunkenness and the worries of life, and that day come on you suddenly like a trap; for it will come upon all those who dwell on the face of the earth."

ROMANS 1:21

"For even though they knew God, they did not honor Him as God, or give thanks; but they became futile in their speculations, and their foolish hear was darkened."

JEREMIAH 29:12-13

"Then you will call upon Me and come and pray to Me, and I will listen to you. And you will seek Me and find Me, when you search for me with all your heart."

MALACHI 4:2

"But for you who fear My name, the Sun of Righteousness will rise with healing in His wings. And you will go free, leaping with joy like calves let out to pasture."

JOHN 10:4

"When He puts forth all His own, He goes before them, and the sheep follow him because they know His voice."

PSALM 18:31,46

"For who is God, but the Lord? And who is a rock, except our God."

"The Lord Lives, and blessed be my Rock; and exalted be the God of my salvation."

REVELATION 3:20

"Behold, I stand at the door and knock; if one hears My voice and opens the door, I will come in to him, and will dine with him, and he with Me."

JOHN 1:33-34

". . . . . ,This is one who baptizes in the Holy Spirit. And I have seen, and have borne witness that this is the Son of God."

Dealing with demons was a problem that became real to both of these people and, in the end, their stories were stories of triumph. You, also, can be victorious over Satan and his demons in you own life, as well as in the lives of others so oppressed. However, it is mandatory that you learn how to recognize their work, learn to use the sword of the Spirit, acknowledge your authority, and accept the power of God in your life on His terms.

Weapon—The Holy Bible

There is one more very important point to remember. As you fight the demons, you must have the weapon that is the most important item in your armor. This weapon must always be in good working order, and you must be totally familiar with all parts of it. That weapon is the Holy Bible.

CHAPTER 12
OVERVIEW

In an earlier chapter of this book, I used each subject to establish a truth. In this chapter I would like to go back to the beginning of that portion of the experience that dealt with demons and go over it in detail. I am not attempting to reiterate prior statements, but I'm trying to make sure that all points are covered.

I am not sure at what point Satan appeared to me in a disguised voice. I do remember leaving the hospital in an ambulance at Columbia enroute to the Regional Medical Center at McComb, Mississippi, but I don't recall the trip with any great deal of clarity. We were about halfway to the Center when all my vital life signs failed, and when we reached the Medical Center, the physicians worked on me in the emergency room for over seven hours. Confined to the ICU for about six or seven more hours, I was then taken into surgery for another six to eight hours.

They brought me back to ICU where I remained the next seven days. Thirteen hours after coming out of surgery, my right lung collapsed, and surgery for that condition had to be performed in ICU.

No concept of time in spirit

At what time during that period Satan came to me, I don't know. This attempt by Satan to trick me was the first part of my supernatural experience. After his temptation failed, I was then taken from my physical body. At what point in time that happened, I don't know, neither do I know how long I was away from my body because I had no concept of time while in the spiritual world. I think it was Friday night when I was first taken into the Second Heaven, but it was during the daylight hours that I was taken out into the streets of the city and allowed to observe the demon activity. There is a good possibility that I was away from my body most of the time from Friday night until Monday night. Once I was brought back to my body, but I did not return to that body. There may have been other times I was returned to the body and taken out later.

I am sure of one thing. I was not allowed to retain in my memory all that I was allowed to see. They deliberately made me aware of the fact that they took certain things from my memory and I do not understand the purpose of this. If they did not want me to remember certain things, why did they make me aware that they showed them to me in the first place?

There are two examples of not allowing me to retain all that I

saw. One example is the mystery demon. The second is what it was that made the tunnel so beautiful. There are other things that were so clear over there, but are not clear here. Why, I ask myself, did they do these things? Then there was the case of their taking great measures to allow me to see certain things which I did not understand, and then they would not explain those things. For instance, I was allowed to watch concentrated demon activity around, of all places, a service station in this physical world, and I did not receive one word of explanation about why the activity was so great there. Nor did they explain the extra heavy concentration of demon activity around the hospital.

I do know that God is not unorganized in any way. All that I was permitted to see and be a part of is for a reason. Those things that were taken from my memory were done so deliberately, and the fact that it was taken from my memory deliberately was made known to me. The only conclusion I can have is that God has plans to use these things through me at a later date. When that time comes, and it is convenient for Him, He will bring them to my remembrance. I can think of no other reason why this would have been part of the great experience He gave me.

Counterfeit deity

At the time Satan tempted me, I truly thought the voice I was hearing was God's. Now that was not a conclusion I jumped to just because I was hearing for the first time in my life a supernatural, audible voice. There was something about the voice itself, some quality not known to the physical, that made me believe the speaker was God. It was a quality not common to Satan, but a quality belonging only to God. Satan had copied that quality and he had counterfeited the very qualities of the voice of God.

Master of deception

When I heard that voice, my spirit knew it was of God. I am having difficulty putting into words what I am trying to say. My spirit knew that only God could possess the qualities being revealed by the tone of that voice. That is why my spirit told me that this was God talking. Through this event, I learned that Satan has the ability to fool or deceive even the spirit. We know that he has always fooled the physical, but I did not know for sure about the spirit until this happened to me.

What, then, alerted me to the fact that it was truly Satan and not God talking? What brought that realization to my mind just moments before it would have been too late? It was that wisdom imparted by God only to His children that they might know His voice. You see, even though Satan was able to copy His voice for his own use and counterfeit the very voice of God, he could not

fool one of God's own. One who had not received wisdom from God to discern His voice, would have been totally taken in. (John 10:2)

At the time the realization of who it was that was speaking came to me, I had only seconds with which to make my choice. Should I resist or obey? That was the question. That decision had to be made in a split second because I had already started lessening my efforts to breathe. My physical life was hanging on a very thin thread, just one second away. Before I could even utter "NO" to Satan and as soon as I had made my decision, Satan knew it and had already started to flee. It did not take any strength to resist him. His flight from me started as soon as I made up my mind. He didn't wait for me to scream, althought I did! Before I made the statement, he knew I was not buying his lie.

Instant spiritual knowledge

Immediately after I resisted, in a split second, the angels had taken my spirit from my physical body. Amazingly, as soon as my spirit was taken, I knew many things instantly. As they took me through that dimension wall, I knew what that wall was, and I knew where we were going. I knew how to communicate to spirit, to travel at the speed of thought, to travel as if floating on air, and I knew I was traveling under the protection of the Holy Spirit. I knew that this was some kind of special case and that this sort of thing does not happen every day.

As we moved about in the Second Heaven, I knew the demons in that world were aware that I was there on a special mission, and were aware that I was under the protection of the Holy Spirit. I don't know to what extent the demons have liberty to oppose the angels, but I knew that the higher order of demons was displeased with my being in their world. There was some sort of feeling by the angels that I could sense when we came face to face with the warring demons. I know it was not fear, or even an uneasy feeling, but they had some kind of a feeling, nevertheless. I did not see the reaction of the angels, but I did sense them sort of stiffen as the warring demons approached. I, too, stiffened, but I did not fear. I was not uneasy either, yet there was some sort of feeling that I had about the encounter also. This "feeling" is not explainable in human vocabulary, but it was very real. I discovered that the demons will fight angels if they are forced to fight them, but usually they prefer not to do so. They will fight the angels under certain circumstances, however.

Another glaring thing that I noticed was that throughout the entire trip, as I looked at all the demons, not one time did the angel

make any derogatory remarks about them. Even those of the lowest state, the untouchables or perversion demons, were not commented upon negatively. I got the distinct impression that they respected the ability of those demons. The Bible gives indication of this respect in Jude 1:9.

Encounter with demons

In chapter six of this book, I reported a case where a young housewife from Phoenix, Arizona, claimed to have had an encounter with alien beings. As she described the alien who kidnapped her, I was amazed at how similar her description was to the appearance of the giant, warring demon. She gave this description under hypnosis and the doctor examining her was convinced that she had truly had an encounter with aliens from another planet. This lady's encounter was not with aliens from another planet, but it was an encounter with one of the warring demons or one of the princes of demons.

Deer-like appearance

Not long ago I read another account of a person claiming that she had been kidnapped by aliens and taken to a spaceship where the beings performed some sort of test on her blood. This person claimed that the only one she could see had the appearance of a deer. She stated that it was a female and talked to her showing concern about her well-being. In this case also, the doctors who examined her used hypnosis and lie detection equipment. They came away from the tests convinced that the woman was telling the truth.

Remember that in the third order of demons, I saw demons with shapes and forms similar to many animals here on earth. There were, indeed, those in this group with forms like our deer. There were demons in this group who had shapes and forms of half-man or half-animal. I contemplate the possibility of the inspiration of those half-man and half-animal beings of Greek mythology coming from this group.

Frog-like appearance

The fifth group of demons that were emphasized to me, the perversion demons, also had members with shapes and forms similar to our lower order of animals. Some were similar to frogs; others were similar to slimey reptiles; others were similar to small, monkey-looking creatures. There were some who even looked similar to over-grown frogs.

Many of the demons from the third order on down had shapes and forms that reminded me of something out of science-fiction, something akin to creatures one would expect to see in space movies. There was no demon below the third order, in shape or

form, similar to humans. Any demon in shape and form similar to humans has to rank in the third order or higher. I don't know how significant this is, or what it means, if anything.

Although the demons looked at me, and some even accompanied us as we traveled through their world, the only personal encounter I had was with a warring demon when he broke ranks and came over to me, placing his face in mine and leering at me. He spoke not a word, and did not touch me. He let me know, by his actions, what he thought of me. He knew I was there under divine protection, yet apparently, he knew that he would be permitted to get away with the actions he took.

While I was on their side of the invisible dividing dimension wall, I could not see what was going on over on this side, being unable to see into the physical world. I could not see the wall, and I did not know how to pass through it. Apparently, the angels did know what was going on over here, and they also knew where to pass through the wall. When they were ready to bring me back into the physical world to see the demon activity here, they knew just where to pass through that wall to come out at the spot they wanted.

Mental telepathy

As soon as we passed through the wall, I could see all the physical sights and hear the physical sounds. I heard people talking, and I understood each word they spoke. However, the people could not hear or see me. Because I was outside of my physical body, I had no means of communicating with them. Because I was a spirit, I had to communicate as a spirit by projecting with my mind via mind waves and receiving in like manner. The easiest way to describe spiritual communication is to use the term, mental telepathy.

I discovered that the only way any spirit has of communicating clear messages to the flesh is through a physical body. Certain demons have the ability to reveal their forms to humans under certain circumstances, and the human world calls this a "ghostly apparition." In most of the cases of this type of appearance, the demon will be from the third order, but not always.

Telekinesis

The demons from the third order are the ones who have the ability to move physical objects in the physical world. The movement of these objects can be detected by the physical eye, but that physical eye cannot detect the spirit that is moving the object. This is referred to in the physical world as "telekinesis." This ability is not limited to the demons of the third order only, but they are the ones charged with this type of activity here on Earth.

The guardian angels also have this ability, and they sometimes use it, though never in connection with anything in the dark arts area.

The unconscious mind

When a spirit communicates with the spirit of man which has been separated from the physical body, the communication is always done via telepathy to the unconscious mind. The physical man is not aware of his unconscious mind while he is in the physical state, but when he is separated from the physical, it is his unconscious mind that he uses. The unconscious mind of man has all of the attributes of the Image of God. Man's mind is in two states—the conscious mind is the physical state, and the unconscious mind of man is the spiritual state. For man to move anywhere between these two states is what is called "an altered state of consciousness."

Altered state of consciousness

It is when man is in the altered state of consciousness that he is most open to the direct influence of demons. In this condition, man can receive from his conscious mind and his unconscious mind, and remember with both. The spirit beings have the ability to block from the conscious mind of man their involvement with that mind. They can't do this with the unconscious, which is why they never come to man, even in his unconscious, in their own name. They will always appear to that individual as being something that he thinks is good.

Ghost stories

A demon from the third order, the demon of necromancy, is the one who is responsible for all the ghost stories that are told. These demons perform this through apparitions, and mimic the departed spirit of a human. In what the world calls "telekinesis," they move objects and make noises. They can also appear to speak, but they don't speak like speaking in the physical. It only seems like speaking to the one that hears it. When a so-called ghost appears and speaks, usually only one person hears that voice. That person thought he heard this with his ears, but he did not. What happens is the demon spirit speaks to the unconscious mind of man, and sends it on to the conscious mind where it will appear as a sound heard by the physical ears.

I told of Arthur E. Stillwell who was made a multimillionaire by listening to ghostly voices. He claimed to have heard these voices with his ears, but no one else ever heard them. The same thing was happening in Stillwell's situation—spirit to spirit communication on the unconscious level and sent on to the conscious where it appeared to be physical sounds.

Discernment

The only spirit communication in clear concise terms to the physical world by demon spirits must be made through human bodies. This is open communication which is evident to a child of God controlled by His Spirit. Any other communication would be on a one to one basis, being done through the unconscious mind and relayed to the conscious mind.

Angels in human apparel

For angels to communicate with the physical world, they, too, must do so through a physical body. They have the ability to take on a body which has all the attributes of the physical flesh. When their assignment is over, they have the ability to put off that body. This ability to appear as man is well documented in the Bible in scriptures such as Genesis 19:1-3, Ezekiel 11:3, Daniel 8:15, Daniel 10:4-18, Zechariah 1:11, Luke 1:11, and Revelation 10:1-3. The Bible even supports the notion that these angels, when in that physical looking body, also wear human apparel. This fact is documented in such scriptures as Ezekiel 9:2-3, Ezekiel 10:2-7, Matthew 28:3, Acts 10:30, and Revelation 15:6.

The demons once enjoyed this same privilege, but they violated the restrictions placed on the use of that body (2 Peter 2:4) and were taken prisoner immediately and locked in chains. The remaining demons were then denied the use of a body any more. The only way a demon can use a physical body now is for him to obtain it from the individual spirit of man who has the legal right to that body. The demon cannot take it by force, so he takes it by cunning, wiles, tricks, lies, and other means he can use. Once he possesses that human, that body is his to use as he so desires. When the spirit of man, which resides inside a body, lowers his own sovereign will and allows a demon to possess him, that spirit of man becomes a prisoner in his own body. By allowing the demons to enter, he willfully hands over the control of that flesh body. This is true in all cases of total demon possession. The invading spirits control the body and will continue to control until they are cast out. This is an emphatic truth of the Bible and is adequately illustrated in the account of the man from Gadara, from whom Jesus cast out legions of demons. Read the account and you will see that this man could not act for himself until he was delivered.

Superhuman

Demons like angels, are super human because flesh is made lower than the angels. (Hebrews 2:7) Flesh has lesser abilities than do the demons. However, we, in our spirit at the unconscious level, are also super human. Therefore, when we cast out demons, it would behoove us to not try and do so with our own might, for this type endeavor is aptly illustrated in the account of the attempted exorcism in the nineteenth chapter of Acts, verses 13

through 18. It is noted in this context that only those who have the authority can cast out demons. They cast out demons not by their own might, but by the authority and power of Christ. (See Chapter 11)

I have talked at length about the demons of the third order because of their many different involvements in mankind's everyday living. I don't know of one single part of man's daily routine that is free from their influence in some way. They are evident even at the breakfast table in most homes in America because in almost every home, the morning paper is read at the breakfast table. Somone around that table will almost invariably be overheard to say, "Let me see the page with the horoscope. I want to see how my day is going to be." A lot of this is done in jest, but it should not be. It should be taken deadly serious.

Horoscope

They are evident during the day when religion is discussed because they are always part of religious disputes. When we hear about psychic powers and happenings, mystics and reincarnation, and ghost stories, these demons are at work. They are in some places in our lives of which many people are unaware, having become used to them. These very people are not even concerned about their activity.

Of course, our daily life is not without the temptations from the other demons also. How many times are we confronted with greed, strife, hate, lust, and the other areas of expertise from these five main groups of demons?

Divers Temptations

All of this is just part of Satan's master plan to ripen the world as a plum for his picking.

Some people wonder if what I am saying about such things as the mystery demon could possibly be true. Jesus Himself plainly pointed out that there are different kinds of demons which are to be handled in different ways. He said in the seventeenth chapter of Matthew, verse twenty-one, "Howbeit this kind goeth not out but by prayer and fasting." In this statement, Jesus acknowledged two important facts: Number one: There are most certainly different kinds of demons. Number two: Not all demons are dealt with in the same manner.

In my chapter on how to deal with demons, I tried to make a particular point very clear. When dealing with demons, one must know the kind of demon with which one is dealing. In his discourse on the gifts of the Holy Spirit, Paul covered the gift of discernment.

(1 Corinthians 12:10) The purpose of this gift is for one to be able to know the kind of demon with which he is dealing.

Command demon

We know that most people who are possessed are possessed by many spirits. The question is then asked if one has to know each individual kind of demon. The answer is "No." Here is how it works. On each of Satan's projects there is one demon in charge. He gives all the orders and he decides what is to be done with the possessed physical body. He speaks for all the demons and is the command demon. All other demons on that job are only support demons. The command demon may allow some of the others to display their personality through that body, but his personality will be the dominant personality. Defeat the command demon and you have defeated the whole project. A good rule of thumb to remember is that all command demons come from one of the five groups that have been emphasized—the warring demon, the demon of greed, the demon of the black arts, the mystery demon, or the perversion demons.

Each of these five groups have numerous demon helpers within their own groups, with all of the helpers within a group having a related area of expertise. A command or charge demon from one of the five groups also uses helpers from one of the other groups.

Demon's ego

One of the easiest ways to spot demon activity in humans is through the personality displayed by that human, but this is not always true when the command demon is the mystery demon, for his greatest asset is his ability to remain anonymous. Another rule of thumb to remember is that a demon will always reveal his presence in the host human in some way. Since demons seem to enjoy displaying their own personalities more than any other thing, this is the first sign for which we look, even with the mystery demon. If he chooses to display his own personality through his human host, he will likely do so by the way of the hidden personality in that human that is possibly shown only to very close family members or a few close friends. It seems that by the display of their personality, each demon receives gratification and the opportunity to feed his own ego. The mystery demon has an ego, although subdued, but still an ego, nevertheless.

The mystery demon may show himself as a physical deformity, insanity, or epilepsy. I don't intend to convey the impression that all physical deformities, insanity, and epilepsy are cases of demon possession. What I am saying is that they can mimic these conditions in humans. In this situation, the gift of discernment would be needed.

Relief squad

As I watched the demon activity in the physical world, I was amazed at all of the constant back-and-forth movement, and at how the demons who had been assigned to certain individual people would accompany these people wherever they went. When one demon would leave, another would take his place. It seemed that the number of demons assigned to each individual remained constant, even though they may not have been the same ones at all times. It may have been a system whereby individual demons were given a relief period ever so often, or it might have been that when certain demons could not get the individual to yield to planned temptation, another demon might have been sent in to replace him altogether. I don't know because it was not explained to me.

As I observed individual people who had demons assigned to them, I noticed that it appeared that the demons just accompanied the person, as if they were just watching and waiting for the opportune moment, waiting for the right time to spring their temptation on that person.

"Gay" churches

In the case where I was permitted to watch as a human was being possessed by a demon, I knew that the demon was from the fifth order or perversion group as soon as I saw him. Just what expertise he possessed, I don't know. I think that one reason for their allowing me to see this type of demon in the very act of possession, is that his type of perversion is so widespread in today's world. We even have some so-called "churches" today for gay people, with the minister being gay himself. The message being preached in those places can never be more than a social gospel, for they could never preach the redemptive blood of Jesus Christ, which draws us to repentance.

Many civic organizations have taken up the cause of the gays. Most of the media speaks out for them. Little by little, even the good Christians' voices have been silenced on this matter.

Perversion demon revealed

To many men, this way of life seems to be beautiful and desirable, but I was permitted to see it for what it truely is—ugly and despicable.

There is much more to be said about dealing with demons than I could cover in this book. Just remember that your greatest source of information in time of need is the Holy Bible. *SELAH!

*Think on these things!

CHAPTER 13
THE POINT

Main point missed

This chapter was not included in the first printing of this book. I find it necessary now, because as I travel around this country and speak to many different groups, I find that many people missed the main points of both my books.

It is true that all five points of the five-point message of PLACEBO (my book that tells of my physical death, and the great miracle worked by God in my life on August 3, 1979) certainly are important. It is true that the exposure of Satan and his demons by DEMONS/AN EYE WITNESS ACCOUNT IS ALSO IMPORTANT! These are great points and often overlooked by most Christians. It is my charge in both books, that these very things have not been taught by the teachers and leaders of our churches. Many of our teachers and leaders are guilty of failures in this respect.

Ignorance not excused

Ignorance of Christian facts will not excuse the Christian from his obligation to "know the truth." Lukewarm Christians are lukewarm only because they permit Satan to blind their eyes. It does not have to be that way! In the thirteenth chapter of the book of Matthew, our Lord tells the parable of the sower. In His own explanation of that parable, the Lord makes clear that three out of every four who came to hear the word would turn Him down. In each case of failure to receive the Lord, had to do with that person's own sovereign will. Satan can be blamed for those failures, but he cannot be faulted. Each individual is at fault for allowing Satan to blind their eyes to the truth.

Satan can be blamed but the individual is at fault

In the parable of the sower, the Lord further shows that the one in four who does accept the Lord (25%), was then divided into thirds. A third became a 100-fold producer, a third 60-fold producer, and a third only a 30-fold producer. The amount of production by the individual also has to do with the sovereign will of that individual. If one desires to be a 100-fold producer, he can be. If he elects to be only a 60 or 30-fold producer, he can be.

Over 7000 promises in the Bible

We find, as we search through the more than 7000 promises in the Bible, one of the greatest promises made by God to His 100-fold producers is found in the book of Galatians, chapter 6, verse 7. "Be not deceived; God is not mocked; for whatsoever a man soweth, that shall he also reap." To those who have elected to be a 60 or 30-fold producer, this then becomes a threat. To the non-christian, it becomes a pronouncement of judgement!

Point number three in my five-point message of PLACEBO, is in reality the main point of both these books. Point number three was plainly stated that a Christian could have no power or even be a witness for our Lord unless that Christian lives that life before his own family as well as before all others. All the other points rolled up into one would amount to this point, "HOLINESS." Holiness in the life of the individual! The daily walk with God each day of our lives. A difference between God's people and the people of this world. Truly God's people are different! They live in the world but are not of it! Think about that! Living in this world, but not being of it! Wow, what a difference that would have to make in the life of the individual! It would mean that one who belongs to God would not even have citizenship in this world. That citizenship would be in an invisible kingdom, the kingdom of God!

God in one's life makes a difference

With salvation (the second birth) comes responsibility. Responsibility for teachers and leaders to teach the truth and to feed the young Christians on the true meat of the word. Responsibility for the young Christian to grow in the word. In order to grow, he must study and meditate on the true word of God. It is through the word of God that we learn how to expose Satan as he tries to work in our lives. It is only through knowledge of the truth of the word of God that we are able to defeat Satan and his demons in spiritual warfare. This is the only way. There is no other. One must learn these facts early. God's Holy word is the only weapon we have against Satan and his forces!

One fights with the truth!

It is when we fail in those responsibilities that Satan can defeat us! When the church teachers and leaders fail to teach the whole word, and young Christians fail to study the whole word, then Satan can do just about anything he wants with people like that. The whole word means the truth of the Bible. The identification of the enemy. How to identify him and his demons with the light of God's word, the Holy Bible! How to know their work in one's life! How to try the "spirits" as the Bible tells us. WE know from the Bible itself that Satan comes to us often as the Holy Spirit, when in fact all the time it is the unholy spirit. Without the knowledge of the truth of God's word, one could easily mistake or be fooled into believing Satan's voice as that of the voice of the Holy Spirit!

Often the spirits must be tried!

It is impossible to win in spiritual warfare without the whole knowledge of the truth of God's word. One must know, not just believe, that the spirit world is real! That Satan is a real personal being! That the demons are real individual beings! That they are the very beings behind all circumstances which serve to bring defeat into the life of each Christian! If one professes to believe the

Satan is real!

Bible, how can he deny the reality of these beings? Yet thousands upon thousands of so-called Christians all across this land are doing just that! Even their preachers who are supposed to have been trained by Bible scholars deny the reality of these beings!

Jesus believed in demons!

Jesus believed demons were real! He spoke their reality over 15 times in the four Gospels alone! The very first authority given by Jesus to any human is recorded in the first verse of the tenth chapter of the book of Matthew. It was not the authority to teach or even preach, but it was the authority to deal with these very beings we call demons! To know that they are real and to know how to deal with them is a vital part of the knowledge of God's truth, His Holy word! Remember, as Christians, it is not the circumstances of life that defeat you! It is the spirits behind those circumstances!

The saved are judged!

Did you know that you shall be held accountable for each minute God has given you since you were saved? Did you know that you must account for even the idle words you speak? (Matthew 12:36) Did you know that even the saved will stand in judgement? Yes, I said unto you, the saved will be judged! "For we must all appear before the judgement seat of Christ that every one may receive the things done in his body, according to that he hath done, whether it be good or bad." (II Corinthians 5:10) Know now, this passage of scripture was talking about the saved! Not the lost. The lost will stand before the great white throne of judgement. The saved will be judged for their works, not their salvation! Salvation comes as a gift by faith through grace. No other way. To receive salvation, we all stand on level ground at the foot of the cross, so to speak. Salvation comes to all who receive it the same way, as a gift from our Lord!

After salvation, then each minute of our time and what we do with it is accountable unto Christ when we stand before His mercy seat! That is why that passage of scripture of Galatians 6:7 is so important to the believer.

The judgement of the believer will take place before the mercy seat of Christ before the thousand year reign. This judgement will determine the place or position of rule and reign that each Christian will have in the government of Christ. This is the passing out and taking away of rewards. In light of this truth, works becomes even more important. Not just any works! Know now that all works will be tried and only those which stand the test will bring a reward!

Even our works will be judged!

In I Corinthians, chapter 3 we are told on which foundation we as Christians can build. We can only build on the foundation of

Jesus Christ. We are told in verse 12 just what we can build on that foundation. "Now if any man build upon this foundation gold, silver, precious stones, wood, hay, stubble; (13) Every man's work shall be made manifest; for the day shall declare it, because it shall be revealed by fire; and the fire shall try every man's work of what sort it is." We know from this very scripture that our good works, those made of gold, silver, and precious stones, will stand the test of fire. We all know what will happen when fire is put to hay, wood and stubble! They burn!

Can one suffer loss in heaven?

Now this same scripture goes on to tell us if our works do burn, we shall suffer LOSS! What's that? Can one who is saved suffer loss? In light of this, Galatians 6:7 looms even larger and larger! Remember we stand before the mercy seat of Christ to give an account for our works, not our sins! Our sins have been forgiven, they are not even remembered anymore! What we do with our time since salvation is accountable! Right down to the idle words themselves! This makes that holy walk with God so important. A life of holiness, that is what God wants in His people more than anything else.

Do we know what to build?

As we look about, we see Christians who are building on the right foundation, but they are using the wrong materials. They are building with hay, wood and stubble. Now we know what will happen when the hay, wood and stubble is tried by fire. It burns!

It is impossible for anything less than the 100-fold producer to live the holy life! The holy life is the only one upon the solid foundation! Only with the full knowledge of God's truth, His word, can one have the ability to live the holy life or the 100-fold producer. The knowledge of God's truth, His word, imparts this ability to the individual believer. Only when one is not deceived by Satan can that one have the full walk with God. The Bible says that those who don't have the truth can be taken captive by Satan at will. Only by gaining the truth of God's word, then can one hope to escape from Satan's snare! (II Timothy 2:25-26)

What is the whole truth?

Not know

When the Bible talks about the truth, it means all of God's word. God cannot lie!!! To know the truth would include the knowledge of the reality of the spirit world and the beings therein! Without this knowledge, you cannot have the whole truth. To fight Satan, one must have the whole truth. One cannot resist an enemy that one does not believe exists! If Satan's demons are not real in your mind, then it stands to reason you could not resist them!

You, my friend, are a sovereign being, with a sovereign will! A will that God will not violate!!! If God works in your life, then you

have to ask Him to do so! He will not work against your will!!!! Don't think for one moment that you can just sit down and say to God, "I turn it all over to you, you handle it. I am not going to do anything about it at all," and then just go out into that world and live like the rest of the people of that world. It won't work. You must have an involvement in it! You must put forth effort from the bases of a sincere mind. Jude tells us to contend daily for that faith that was once delivered to the saints. (Jude 3) Jesus Himself reminded us to "strive." Now you look up the meaning of these two words, contend and strive, and see what they mean.

The secret of the 100-fold producer

Yes, my friend, the main points of these two books were an attempt to put across this very fact "the life of a 100-fold producing Christian is one of daily self-crucifying! Paul said it best, "I die daily!" To God be the glory!

You may will it so!

APPENDIX A

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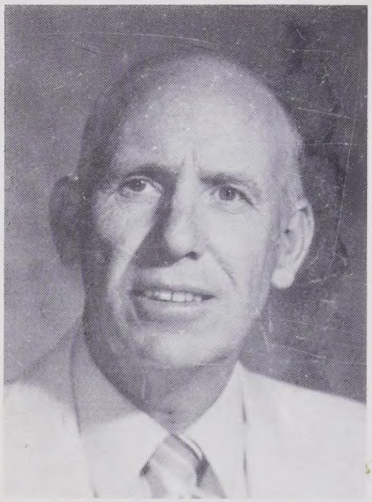
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