

GODLINESS PT. 11

II PETER 1:2

2 Grace and peace be multiplied unto you through the knowledge of God, and of Jesus our Lord,

II PETER 1:3

3 According as his divine power hath given unto us all things that pertain unto life and godliness, through the knowledge of him that hath **called us to glory and virtue:**

II PETER 1:4

4 Whereby are given unto us exceeding great and precious promises: that by these **YE MIGHT BE PARTAKERS OF THE DIVINE NATURE**, having escaped the corruption that is in the world through lust.

II PETER 1:5

5 ¶ And beside this, giving all diligence, add to your faith virtue; and to virtue knowledge;

II PETER 1:6

6 And to knowledge temperance; and to temperance patience; and to patience **GODLINESS**;

II PETER 1:7

7 And to godliness brotherly kindness; and to brotherly kindness charity.

JAMES 4:4

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

PRESENT.STAGE.OF.MY.MINISTRY_ JEFF.IN V-11 N-2
SATURDAY_ 62-0908

54.....Now, I imagine Demas didn't forsake him and start off to nightclubs. I don't imagine Demas did that, '**cause Demas was**

a Spirit-filled man. He was a great helper. If you ever took the history of Demas, he was a notable preacher, a fine cultured man, highly polished, educated. He was a smart man.....

PRESENT.STAGE.OF.MY.MINISTRY_ JEFF.IN V-11 N-2
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57 Now he... Demas come out of a rich family, and he was wealthy, and money sometimes means religion to people.....

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59 **And now, I believe Demas saw a failing, seemingly, in Paul's ministry.** I think that he thought the old fellow was washed up before God.....

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64.....was so poor he only had one coat, preaching to a bunch of people that would've plucked their eyes out, and some of them millionaires. And yet Paul had one coat. He said, "Bring that coat, getting cold up here." He was in the mountain country. He only had one coat.

And Demas, to a man that was of high standing, high caliber, cultured, educated, and a rich man that had many changes of clothes, **"That guy, was something wrong with him.** That had so many friends that would pluck their eyes out to give it to him, and yet he's so poor he had one coat. **Something was wrong with Paul."**

PRESENT.STAGE.OF.MY.MINISTRY_ JEFF.IN V-11 N-2
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66.....See? A man that had a ministry that preached to the tens of thousands that Paul did, and a ministry that could do all kinds of miracles, and seen Jesus in a Pillar of Fire, commissioned him, **and yet owned one coat. Demas said, "A fellow like that," he'd turn away from him.**

JAMES 1:27

27 Pure religion and undefiled before God and the Father is this, To visit the fatherless and widows in their affliction, and to **keep himself UNSPOTTED FROM THE WORLD.**

HOW.CAN.I.OVERCOME_ JEFF.IN V-4 N-12 SUNDAY_ 63-0825M

145.....Our sisters are tempted to go back, go back and join up with some of the rest the churches, with some of the Assemblies, or churches of God, or some of them; still be Pentecostal, let your hair cut off, and dress just about any way you want to. See?

You're tempted to do that, go back and be popular with this wicked generation that we're living with.

WHEN, THIS IS THE MAJOR SIN OF OUR DAYS. IT'S THE MAJOR SIN AMONG OUR PEOPLE, WORLDLINESS, as the Bible said the Laodi-... Laodicea Age was. She's worldly, "Rich, have need of nothing; don't know that she's naked; miserable, wretch, and blind." **That's the sin of our day.** When you hear the Word of God call out against it, then you take the other route, you're unpopular with the world. You're tempted to go back.

SATAN'S.EDEN_ JEFF.IN V-2 N-20 SUNDAY_ 65-0829

150.....**But now with this lust veil, she doesn't realize she is naked, but she does it under this lust veil to make man look at her.** It's the only thing she can do it for. You don't believe that, but you do it anyhow, and man look. And he found out you got so much attraction, **till he come around and put some of your clothes on himself.**

SATAN'S.EDEN_ JEFF.IN V-2 N-20 SUNDAY_ 65-0829

151.....Women with shorts on, belongs to an organization. **Man dressed like that, is on a organization. I'll give you the abbreviation of it, B.S.S., Big Sister Society,** so that's what they belong to. Come out there, a big sissy society, **with them little old pants on, big old knotty-looking, dirty-looking thing.** I--I...

SATAN'S.EDEN_ JEFF.IN V-2 N-20 SUNDAY_ 65-0829

152 Man, now you may differ me with this, but that's the Truth. **You have been perverted and don't know it. You're not, don't act like a man no more.** See, coming so soft; and, their son, will be nothing to them anymore; man, and women, too. They are a society. **There is a organization.** Why? "John, next door, wore shorts, so why can't I? Luella wanted me to wear them because John wore them, next door. And, well, if--if Susie Jane can wear them, so can Martha Jane wear them, or Susie Lou," or ever who her name is, see. **See, it's a society. IT'S AN ORGANIZATION. YOU SPIRITUALLY BELONG TO IT, AND DON'T KNOW IT.**

SATAN'S.EDEN_ JEFF.IN V-2 N-20 SUNDAY_ 65-0829

153 **And if that's so, and we see it's so, so are you blinded.** You are blinded to these denominations that Satan has twisted you into. And it's the perversion of God's original Word, and His Kingdom, and His plan for His children. Satan has twisted men and women into these things, and they don't know it. A perverted!

154 No longer a son of God! Bangs hanging down in his face, **AND A PAIR OF SHORTS ON, TRUCKING DOWN THE STREET; a son of God, deacon in a church, a pastor in a pulpit? No, that ain't a son of God. He never came through God's thinking Filter. HE WOULDN'T HAVE THEM WOMEN'S CLOTHES ON;** he sure wouldn't; neither would she have the man's clothes on. See, it's not a son of God. It's a son of Satan, and a daughter of Satan. Hard thing to say!

GALATIANS 6:14

14 But God forbid that I should glory, save in the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ, **by whom the world is crucified unto me, and I unto the world.**

I JOHN 2:15

15 Love not the world, neither the things that are in the world. If any man love the world, the love of the Father is not in him.

GALATIANS 5:19

19 Now the works of the flesh are manifest, which are these; Adultery, fornication, uncleanness, lasciviousness,

GALATIANS 5:20

20 Idolatry, ***WITCHCRAFT**, hatred, ***VARIANCE**, ***EMULATIONS**, wrath, ***STRIFE**, seditions, heresies,

WITCHCRAFT: GREEK LEXICON -- STRONG'S NUMBER 5331
pharmakeia {far-mak-i'-ah}
sorcery, the use or the administering of drugs, poisoning

VARIANCE: GREEK LEXICON -- STRONG'S NUMBER 2054
eris {er'-is}
strife, debate, contention, wrangling

EMULATIONS: GREEK LEXICON -- STRONG'S NUMBER 2205
zelos {dzay'-los}
indignation, envy, excitement of mind, the fierceness of indignation, an envious and contentious rivalry,

STRIFE: GREEK LEXICON -- STRONG'S NUMBER 2052
2052 eritheia {er-ith-i'-ah}
Contentious, electioneering or intriguing for office; a desire to put one's self forward, a partisan and fractious spirit which does not disdain low arts; partisanship, fractiousness

IS.YOUR.LIFE.WORTHY.OF.THE.GOSPEL_ JEFF.IN V-5 N-5
SUNDAY_ 63-0630E

156.....Don't fuss with others. And don't--and don't have these family fusses, as I said. Love breeds love. And temper breeds temper.

GALATIANS 5:21

21 Envyings, murders, drunkenness, revellings, and such like: of the which I tell you before, as I have also told you in time past, that they which do such things shall not inherit the kingdom of God.

GALATIANS 5:22

22 But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, longsuffering, gentleness, goodness, faith,

GALATIANS 5:23

23 Meekness, temperance: against such there is no law.

GALATIANS 5:24

24 And they **THAT ARE CHRIST'S** have crucified the flesh with the affections and lusts.

GALATIANS 5:25

25 If we live in the Spirit, let us also ***WALK** in the Spirit.

WALK: GREEK LEXICON -- STRONG'S NUMBER 4748

stoicheo {stoy-kheh'-o}

walk orderly, to proceed in a row, go in order; to direct one's life, to live

GALATIANS 5:26

26 Let us not be desirous of ***VAIN** glory, ***PROVOKING** one another, envying one another.

VAIN: GREEK LEXICON -- STRONG'S NUMBER 2755

kenodoxos {ken-od'-ox-os}

glorying without reason, conceited, vain glorious, eager for empty glory

PROVOKING: GREEK LEXICON -- STRONG'S NUMBER 4292

prokaleomai {prok-al-eh'-om-ahee}

to call forth; to challenge to a combat or contest with one; to provoke, to irritate

ROMANS 12:2

2 And be not conformed to this world: but be ye transformed by the renewing of your mind, that ye may prove what is that good, and acceptable, and perfect, will of God.

ROMANS 13:12

12 The night is far spent, the day is at hand: let us therefore cast off the works of ***DARKNESS**, and let us put on **THE ARMOUR OF LIGHT**.

DARKNESS: GREEK LEXICON -- STRONG'S NUMBER 4655

skotos {skot'-os}

of darkened eyesight or blindness, metaph. of ignorance respecting divine things and human duties, and the accompanying ungodliness and immorality, persons in whom darkness becomes visible and holds sway

ROMANS 13:13

13 **Let us walk honestly**, as in the day; not in rioting and drunkenness, not in chambering and wantonness, not in strife and envying.

II CORINTHIANS 4:1

1 ¶ Therefore seeing we have this ministry, as we have received mercy, we faint not;

II CORINTHIANS 4:2

2 But have renounced the hidden things of dishonesty, not walking in ***CRAFTINESS**, nor handling the word of God **DECEITFULLY**; but by manifestation of the truth commending ourselves to every man's conscience in the sight of God.

CRAFTINESS: GREEK LEXICON -- STRONG'S NUMBER 3834

panourgia {pan-oorg-ee'-ah}

subtlety, cunning; a specious or false wisdom;

DECEITFULLY: GREEK LEXICON -- STRONG'S NUMBER 1389

doloo {dol-o'-o}

to ensnare, to corrupt

IT PROPERLY MEANS TO FALSIFY, ADULTERATE, CORRUPT, BY TRADITIONS,

II CORINTHIANS 2:17

17 For we are not as many, **which corrupt the word of God:** but as of sincerity, but as of God, in the sight of God speak we in Christ.

I THESSALONIANS 2:3

3 For our exhortation was not of deceit, nor of uncleanness, nor in ***GUILE:**

GUILE: GREEK LEXICON -- STRONG'S NUMBER 1388

dolos {dol'-os}

subtilty, deceit, craft

I THESSALONIANS 2:4

4 But as we were allowed of God to be put in trust with the gospel, even so we speak; not as pleasing men, but God, which trieth our hearts.

I CORINTHIANS 11:32

32 But when we are judged, we are chastened of the Lord, that we should not be condemned with the world.

MATTHEW 13:22

22 He also that received seed among the thorns is he that heareth the word; and **the care of this world**, and the deceitfulness of riches, **CHOKE THE WORD**, and he becometh unfruitful.

LUKE 21:34

34 And take heed to yourselves, lest at any time your hearts be ***OVERCHARGED** with ***SURFEITING**, and drunkenness, and cares of this life, and so that day come upon you ***UNAWARES**.

OVERCHARGED: GREEK LEXICON -- STRONG'S NUMBER 925

baruno {bar-oo'-no}

to weigh down, overcharge

SURFEITING: GREEK LEXICON -- STRONG'S NUMBER 2897

kraipale {krahee-pal'-ay}

a headache caused by excessive drinking;

UNAWARES: GREEK LEXICON -- STRONG'S NUMBER 160

aiphnidios {aheef-nid'-ee-os}

sudden, unexpected, unforeseen

LUKE 21:35

35 For as a snare shall it come on all them that dwell on the face of the whole earth.

LUKE 21:36

36 Watch ye therefore, and pray always, that ye may be accounted worthy to escape all these things that shall come to pass, and to stand before the Son of man.

MATTHEW 16:26

26 For what is a man profited, if he shall gain the whole world, and lose his own soul? or what shall a man give in exchange for his soul?

MATTHEW 18:6

6 But whoso shall offend one of these little ones which believe in me, it were better for him that a millstone were hanged about his neck, and that he were drowned in the depth of the sea.

MATTHEW 18:7

7 ¶ Woe unto the world because of offences! for it must needs be that offences come; but woe to that man by whom the offence cometh!

JOHN 12:25

25 He that loveth his life shall lose it; and he that hateth his life in this world shall keep it unto life eternal.

JOHN 15:19

19 If ye were of the world, the world would love his own: but because ye are not of the world, but I have chosen you out of the world, therefore the world hateth you.

JOHN 17:14

14 I have given them thy word; and the world hath hated them, because they are not of the world, even as I am not of the world.

JOHN 17:15

15 I pray not that thou shouldest take them out of the world, but that thou shouldest **keep them from the evil.**

JOHN 17:16

16 They are not of the world, even as I am not of the world.

GALATIANS 1:4

4 Who gave himself for our sins, that he might deliver us from this present evil world, according to the will of God and our Father:

GALATIANS 4:3

3 Even so we, when we were children, were in bondage under the elements of the world:

EPHESIANS 2:2

2 Wherein in time past ye walked according to the course of this world, according to the prince of the power of the air, the spirit that now worketh in the children of disobedience:

EPHESIANS 2:3

3 Among whom also we all had our conversation in times past in the lusts of our flesh, fulfilling the desires of the flesh and of the mind; and were by nature the children of wrath, even as others.

GALATIANS 6:14

14 But God forbid that I should glory, save in the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ, by whom the world is crucified unto me, and I unto the world.

PHILIPPIANS 2:15

15 That ye may be blameless and harmless, the sons of God, without rebuke, in the midst of a crooked and perverse nation, among whom ye shine as lights in the world;

TITUS 2:12

12 Teaching us that, denying ungodliness and worldly lusts, we should live soberly, righteously, and godly, in this present world;

II PETER 1:4

4 Whereby are given unto us exceeding great and precious promises: that by these ye might be partakers of the divine nature, having escaped the corruption that is in the world through lust.

II PETER 2:20

20 For if after they have escaped **the *POLLUTIONS of the world** through the knowledge of the Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ, they are again entangled therein, and overcome, the latter end is worse with them than the beginning.

POLLUTIONS, Greek: Miasmata

things that infect, pollute, and defile. It is used still today of the contagion of dangerous diseases and of decaying bodies, stagnant water, and putrid matter. The world is here pictured as putrid and full of contagion of sin and uncleanness

II PETER 2:21

21 For it had been better for them not to have known the way of righteousness, than, after they have known it, to turn from the holy commandment delivered unto them.

JOHN 9:40

40 And some of the Pharisees which were with him heard these words, and said unto him, Are we blind also?

JOHN 9:41

41 Jesus said unto them, If ye were blind, ye should have no sin: but now ye say, We see; therefore your sin remaineth.

JOHN 19:10

10 Then saith Pilate unto him, Speakest thou not unto me? knowest thou not that I have power to crucify thee, and have power to release thee?

JOHN 19:11

11 Jesus answered, Thou couldest have no power at all against me, except it were given thee from above: therefore he that delivered me unto thee hath **THE GREATER SIN.**

HEBREWS 6:4

4 For it is impossible for those who were once enlightened, and have tasted of the heavenly gift, and were made partakers of the Holy Ghost,

HEBREWS 6:5

5 And have tasted the good word of God, and the powers of the world to come,

HEBREWS 6:6

6 If they shall fall away, to renew them again unto repentance; seeing they crucify to themselves the Son of God afresh, and put him to an open shame.

HEBREWS 10:26

26 For if we sin wilfully after that we have received the knowledge of the truth, there remaineth no more sacrifice for sins,

II PETER 2:22

22 But it is happened unto them according to the true proverb, The dog is turned to his own vomit again; and the sow that was washed to her wallowing in the mire.

II PETER 2:20

20 For if after they have escaped the pollutions of the world through the knowledge of the Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ, they are again entangled therein, and overcome, the latter end is worse with them than the beginning.

I JOHN 2:15

15 Love not the world, neither the things that are in the world. If any man love the world, the love of the Father is not in him.

I JOHN 2:16

16 For all that is in the world, the lust of the flesh, and the lust of the eyes, and the pride of life, is not of the Father, but is of the world.

I JOHN 2:17

17 And the world passeth away, and the lust thereof: but he that doeth the will of God abideth for ever.

I JOHN 3:13

13 Marvel not, my brethren, if the world hate you.

I JOHN 4:4

4 ¶ Ye are of God, little children, and have overcome them: because greater is he that is in you, than he that is in the world.

I JOHN 4:5

5 They are of the world: therefore speak they of the world, and the world heareth them.

I JOHN 4:6

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