Resurrection Life of Jesus Church

WHAT IS SPIRITUAL ADULTERY?

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PART 5: THE DESTRUCTION OF DELIVERANCE

When a person seeks relief from demonic oppression, regardless what form this oppression might have, the root cause for the demon infestation is sin in the life of the person. Sin is rebellion against God's Word. **Deuteronomy 31:24-30; 1 Samuel 15:23**

Jesus came to destroy the power of sin and to set men free from it. Luke 4:14-21

Without preaching Christ and salvation, there is no deliverance from demons. **Acts 8:5-8**

Deliverance is not just getting rid of demons, it is a *lifestyle change*! This does not sit well with most people, they want to live their own lives and at the same time they do not want to give up the world and all its sinful pleasures. The Bible states that this is not possible. **James 4:4; 1 John 2:12-17**

A large number of sick people seeking help from demonic oppression will back off and live with their pain when they learn that they have to change their lifestyle. They would rather seek out some kind of "faith healer," who will not put any requirements on them, except to hand over some money, who will in turn pray for the afflicted person. Very few people are healed, but that does not deter the seeker to continue to seek new faith healers, hoping that at some time "luck will strike him." This is the same attitude of people that gamble, they know very well that most people lose money at the casinos or gambling places, but they keep coming back anyway. The Bible calls them *fools*! **Romans 1:18-24**

Then there are some people who press in and embrace God and His Word and they are set free from their sins and demons. A new battle now begins to maintain this new freedom. 1 Peter 5:8-11

Here are some of the most common styles of attack by the Devil and his demons:

- 1. The people who cast out your demons are too strict, God wants you to have a good time and enjoy life, you don't to watch everything you are doing.
- 2. The Old Testament is not applicable to us today, we are living under grace. Stop being legalistic. When Christ died on the cross, he made all scavengers clean, including the swine. Eat, live and enjoy it all, as long as you first ask God to bless it!
- 3. You have become part of a cult, get out while you can.
- 4. Look at all evangelists, pastors and people around you. The majority of them celebrate Christmas, Halloween, and all other pagan customs and God is still blessing them. They can't all be wrong, enjoy life and be just like them!



- 5. Are you telling me that you're not to watch movies and television anymore? That's outrageous, you're living in America, this is part of the American way of life.
- 6. What's wrong with having a beer or glass of wine every now and then? Most Christians are sipping saints, be normal have fun and be like the rest of them.
- 7. The Bible states that God made all things, including marijuana, caffeine, nicotine etc. Don't be fooled by a preacher, have a good life and enjoy what God has given you.
- 8. You are lonely and need someone to love. God stated that it is not good for a man to be alone, find a mate and enjoy yourself before it is too late. Sex is not bad and it should not be confined to marriage only, after all, if you do not try out a partner, how will you know what you will have if you marry them.
- 9. You stopped listening to worldly music, that's insanity! What's wrong with some Rock-n-Roll, honky tonk, pop music etc. It's all art; give me a break, what kind of "holy roller" have you become? Like Michael Jackson stated, "What's wrong for a man to sleep with some boys in his bed? Does that make me a pedophile?"
- 10. God made women to look beautiful, that's why I like to look at pornography. It's all about art and beauty. It is the preacher that makes it dirty and a sin! Don't listen to him.

In time, the joyful Christian has compromised his life, lost his freedom and is brought back under slavery of evil spirits, and the last state is worse than the first! **Matthew 12:43-45; Romans 6:12-18**

BE WARNED!

Do you have an ear to hear with?