"Bad Religion and a Faulty Faith"

2 Timothy 3:1-9

Sunday, September 18, 2022

1. Religion Will Become Self-Centered (1-5)

- A. (Ac 2:17) "And it shall come to pass in the last days, says God, That I will pour out of My Spirit on all flesh; Your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, Your young men shall see visions, Your old men shall dream dreams." NKJV
- B. "In this universe there is God, there are people, and there are things. We should worship God, love people, and use things. But if we start worshiping ourselves, we ignore God, start loving things and using people." Warren Wiersbe

2. Faith Will Become Self-Serving (6-7)

A. (Jas 4:2–3) "² You lust and do not have. You murder and covet and cannot obtain. You fight and war. Yet you do not have because you do not ask. ³ You ask and do not receive, because you ask amiss, that you may spend it on your pleasures." NKJV

3. Truth Will Become Self-Affirming (8-9)

A. (2 Pe 1:19–21) "¹⁹ And so we have the prophetic word confirmed, which you do well to heed as a light that shines in a dark place, until the day dawns and the morning star rises in your hearts; ²⁰ knowing this first, that no prophecy of Scripture is of any private interpretation, ²¹ for prophecy never came by the will of man, but holy men of God spoke as they were moved by the Holy Spirit." NKJV