

Stirred to Reject Deception





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Apostasy

The deliberate departure from the truth of God and from the community of faith that confesses it, revealing a rejection of the faith once professed.



False Teachers Will Try to Bring You Down 2 Peter 2:1-3

But false prophets also arose among the people, just as there will be false teachers among you, who will secretly bring in destructive heresies, even denying the Master who bought them, bringing upon themselves swift destruction.



Noah & the Flood 2 Peter 2:4-5

For if God did not spare angels when they sinned, but cast them into hell and committed them to chains of gloomy darkness to be kept until the judgment; if he did not spare the ancient world, but preserved Noah, a herald of righteousness



Lot & Sodom 2 Peter 2:6-8

if by turning the cities of Sodom and Gomorrah to ashes he condemned them to extinction, making them an example of what is going to happen to the ungodly; and if he rescued righteous Lot, greatly distressed by the sensual conduct of the wicked

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Hell - The Future of Rejecting God 2 Peter 2:17 These are waterless springs and mists driven by a storm. For them the gloom of utter darkness has been reserved.



2 Peter 2:9 then the Lord knows how to rescue the godly from trials, and to keep the unrighteous under punishment until the day of judgment,



Patterns of Deception
-Pride
-Greed
-Sexual Sin



2 Peter 2:10-14
and especially those who indulge in the lust
of defiling passion and despise authority.
Bold and willful, they do not tremble as they
blaspheme the glorious ones,



God's Warning Against Apostasy 2 Petter 2:20-21 For if, after they have escaped the defilements of the world through the knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, they are again entangled in them and overcome, the last state has become worse for them than the first.



Balaam & Greed

2 Peter 2:15-16

Forsaking the right way, they have gone astray. They have followed the way of Balaam, the son of Beor, who loved gain from wrongdoing, but was rebuked for his own transgression; a speechless donkey spoke with human voice and restrained the prophet's madness.

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Turning Back to Sin is Gross 2 Peter 2:22 What the true proverb says has happened to them: "The dog returns to its own vomit, and the sow, after washing herself, returns to wallow in the mire."



The Present Deception We Must Reject -Pride -Greed -Sexual Sin



The Freedom They Offer is Slavery 2 Peter 2:19 They promise them freedom, but they themselves are slaves of corruption. For whatever overcomes a person, to that he is enslaved.



Christ Gives Us True Freedom Romans 8:1-2

There is therefore now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus. For the law of the Spirit of life has set you free in Christ Jesus from the law of sin and death.



Action – Live Free from Deception
1. Identify the voice.
2. Renew your mind in truth.
3. Walk with the family of faith.



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