

Many Voices

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- 2 Corinthians 10:3–5 ...We destroy every proud obstacle that keeps people from knowing God.
- Ephesians 4:14 We will not be influenced when people try to trick us with lies so clever they sound like the truth.
- 1 Kings 22:1–38
 - Ahab – King of Israel
 - Jehoshaphat – King of Judah
 - Let's find out what the Lord says
 - Prophet of the Lord – Micaiah
 - Ahab – I hate him
 - Micaiah – I will only say what the Lord tells me to say
 - All of Israel – like sheep without a shepherd
 - A lying spirit in the mouths of Ahab's prophets
 - You will find out soon enough
- Matthew 24:23–26 ... For false messiahs and false prophets will rise up ...“So if someone tells you, ‘Look, the Messiah is out in the desert,’ don't bother to go and look. Or, ‘Look, he is hiding here,’ don't believe it!

Let's find out what the Lord says

- Trained to hear
 - The truth bears witness
 - The lie deceives
- The Spirit bears witness with our spirit
- Romans 8:16 (NASB) — 16 The Spirit Himself bears witness with our spirit that we are children of God,
 - NLT - Joins with our spirit to affirm...
 - NASB95 – Testifies with our spirit...
 - Describes the inner assurance believers feel, confirming their adoption as God's children through the Holy Spirit
- Romans 8:14 For all who are led by the Spirit of God are children of God.
- Prophetic words
 - Align with the Word of God
 - Align with the inward witness

- 1 Timothy 4:1 Now the Holy Spirit tells us clearly that in the last times some will turn away from the true faith; they will follow deceptive spirits and teachings that come from demons.
- 2 Timothy 4:1–4
 - Preach the word of God.
 - Be prepared, whether the time is favorable or not.
 - For a time is coming when people ...will follow their own desires
 - Look for teachers who will tell them whatever their itching ears want to hear.
 - A time will come, and is here now, when teachers will prey upon the itching ears
- 1 Thessalonians 5:21 but test everything that is said. Hold on to what is good.