



Two Enemies to Discern

- 1. Flesh Crucify
- 2. Demons Cast it out
- You can't crucify a demon and you can't cast your flesh out

Matthew 12

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22 Then a demon-oppressed man who was blind and mute was brought to him, and he healed him, so that the man spoke and saw. 23 And all the people were amazed, and said, "Can this be the Son of David?".

Observations

1. Oppression vs Possession

2. Demonic power caused sickness

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Acts 10:38

38 how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and with power. He went about doing good and healing all who were oppressed by the devil, for God was with him.

1 John 3:8

8 Whoever makes a practice of sinning is of the devil, for the devil has been sinning from the beginning. The reason the Son of God appeared was to destroy the works of the devil

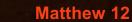
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24 But when the Pharisees heard it, they said, "It is only by Beelzebul, the prince of demons, that this man casts out demons."

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25 Knowing their thoughts, he said to them, "Every kingdom divided against itself is laid waste, and no city or house divided against itself will stand.



26 And if Satan casts out Satan, he is divided against himself. How then will his kingdom stand? 27 And if I cast out demons by Beelzebul, by whom do your sons cast them out? Therefore they will be your judges.

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28 But if it is by the Spirit of God that I cast out demons, then the kingdom of God has come upon you.

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Observations

- 1. Oppression vs Possession
- 2. Demonic power caused sickness
- 3. Word of knowledge discern

thoughts

4. Kingdoms in conflict

God's Kingdom	Satan's Kingdom
Light	Darkness
Holiness - Righteousness	Sin - Unrighteousness
Healing and Health	Sickness - Disease
Truth and a	Deception
Joy and Life	Sorrow and Death

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Ephesians 6

12 For our struggle is not against flesh and blood, but against the rulers, against the authorities, against the powers of this dark world and against the spiritual forces of evil in the heavenly realms.

Demons			
Characteristic	Description		
Real Personalities	Both will and intelligence		
Spirit Beings	Invisible, incorporeal		
Satan's Servants	Self-will given over		
Numerous	Legion		
Symbols	Unclean bird, Locust, Frog		

Discerning Demons

1. What is the demonic activity?

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Activity of Demons

Entice	Deceive	
Harass	Sick Physically	
Compel	Sick Emotionally	
Enslave	Sick Mentally	
Defile	Sick Spiritually	

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Discerning Demons

What is the demonic activity?
Where is the open door?

Matthew 12

29 Or how can someone enter a strong man's house and plunder his goods, unless he first binds the strong man? Then indeed he may plunder his house.

Discerning Demons

- 1. What is the demonic activity?
- 2. Where is the open door?
- 3. Who are the demon partners?

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Matthew 12

43 "When the unclean spirit has gone out of a person, it passes through waterless places seeking rest, but finds none.

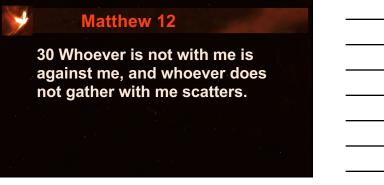


44 Then it says, 'I will return to my house from which I came.' And when it comes, it finds the house empty, swept, and put in order.

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45 Then it goes and brings with it seven other spirits more evil than itself, and they enter and dwell there, and the last state of that person is worse than the first. So also will it be with this evil generation."



Deliverance	Verse
Mute Spirit - healing	Luke 11:14
Cast out the spirits with a word, and healed all who were ill	Matthew 8:16, Mark 1:34
Gadarene Demoniac	Luke 8:29
Mary Magdalene, Jesus had cast out seven demons	Mark 16:9

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isible Physical Heaven	First Heaven
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od's Throne	Third Heaven



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Pride		
Rebellion		
Witchcraft/Occult		
Spirit of Fear		
Rejection		
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