

### The Truth pt. 4

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# The devil isn't really complex.

**2 Cor. 2:11 that we're not ignorant of his** (the devils) *devices*, or ways and tactics.

*	He has only one trick:
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**Matthew 8:1-16** 

When He had come down from the mountain, great multitudes followed Him. <sup>2</sup> And behold, a leper came and worshiped Him. saying, "Lord, if You are willing, You can make me clean." <sup>3</sup> Then Jesus put out His hand and touched him, saving, "I am willing; be cleansed." Immediately his leprosy was cleansed. <sup>4</sup> And Jesus said to him. "See that you tell no one: but go your way, show yourself to the priest, and offer the gift that Moses commanded, as a testimony to them." 5 Now when Jesus had entered Capernaum, a centurion came to Him, pleading with Him, <sup>6</sup> saying, "Lord, my servant is lying at home paralyzed, dreadfully tormented." 7 And Jesus said to him, "I will come and heal him." 8 The centurion answered and said, "Lord, I am not worthy that You should come under my roof. But only speak a word, and my servant will be healed. 9 For I also am a man under authority, having soldiers under me. And I say to this one, 'Go,' and he goes; and to another, 'Come,' and he comes; and to my servant, 'Do this,' and he does it." 10 When Jesus heard it. He marveled, and said to those who followed. "Assuredly, I say to you, I have not found such great faith, not even in Israel! 11 And I say to you that many will come from east and west, and sit down with Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob in the kingdom of heaven. 12 But the sons of the kingdom will be cast out into outer darkness. There will be weeping and gnashing of teeth." 13 Then Jesus said to the centurion, "Go your way; and as you have believed, so let it be done for you." And his servant was healed that same hour. 14 Now when Jesus had come into Peter's house. He saw his wife's mother lying sick with a fever. <sup>15</sup> So He touched her hand, and the fever left her. And she arose and served them. [a]16 When evening had come, they brought to Him many who were demon-possessed. And He cast out the spirits with a word, and healed all who were sick...

### 2 Cor. 5:20 calls us Ambassadors for Christ.

#### Matt. 28:18-19-

And Jesus came and spoke to them, saying, "All authority has been given to Me in heaven and on earth. <sup>19</sup> Go therefore<sup>[a]</sup> and make disciples of all the nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit,

#### Mark 16:17-18

And these signs will follow those who believe: In My name they will cast out demons; they will speak with new tongues...

<sup>18</sup> they<sup>[a]</sup> will take up serpents; and if they drink anything deadly, it will by no means hurt them; they will lay hands on the sick, and they will recover."

#### John 14:12 Jesus said:

"Most assuredly, I say to you, he who believes in Me, the works that I do he will do also; and greater works than these he will do, because I go to My Father.

# Romans 8:11 in the Message Bible says this:

you yourself experience life on God's terms. It stands to reason, doesn't it, that if the alive-and-present God who raised Jesus from the dead moves into your life, he'll do the same thing in you that he did in Jesus, bringing you alive to himself?

James 4:7 tells us: Therefore submit to God. Resist the devil and he will flee from you.

#### **Isaiah 55:11**:

So shall My word be that goes forth from My mouth; It shall not return to Me void,

But it shall accomplish what I please, And it shall prosper in the thing for which I sent it.