



## An Outline of Luke 11:14-32

<sup>14</sup> And He was casting out a demon, and it was mute. So it was, when the demon had gone out, that the mute spoke; and the multitudes marveled.

**X** <sup>15</sup> But some of them said, "He casts out demons by Beelzebub, the ruler of the demons."

**Y** <sup>16</sup> Others, testing Him, sought from Him a sign from heaven.

**A** <sup>17</sup> But He, knowing their thoughts, said to them: "Every kingdom divided against itself is brought to desolation, and a house divided against a house falls.

**B** <sup>18</sup> If Satan also is divided against himself, how will his kingdom stand? Because you say I cast out demons by Beelzebub.

**B'** <sup>19</sup> And if I cast out demons by Beelzebub, by whom do your sons cast *them* out? Therefore they will be your judges.

**B'** <sup>20</sup> But if I cast out demons with the finger of God, surely the kingdom of God has come upon you.

**C** <sup>21</sup> When a strong man, fully armed, guards his own palace, his goods are in peace. <sup>22</sup> But when a stronger than he comes upon him and overcomes him, he takes from him all his armor in which he trusted, and divides his spoils. <sup>23</sup> He who is not with Me is against Me, and he who does not gather with Me scatters.

**C'** <sup>24</sup> When an unclean spirit goes out of a man, he goes through dry places, seeking rest; and finding none, he says, 'I will return to my house from which I came.' <sup>25</sup> And when he comes, he finds *it* swept and put in order. <sup>26</sup> Then he goes and takes with *him* seven other spirits more wicked than himself, and they enter and dwell there; and the last *state* of that man is worse than the first."

**A** <sup>27</sup> And it happened, as He spoke these things, that a certain woman from the crowd raised her voice and said to Him, "Blessed *is* the womb that bore You, and *the* breasts which nursed You!" <sup>28</sup> But He said, "More than that, blessed *are* those who hear the word of God and keep it!"

**B** <sup>29</sup> And while the crowds were thickly gathered together, He began to say, "This is an evil generation. It seeks a sign, and no sign will be given to it except the sign of Jonah the prophet. <sup>30</sup> For as Jonah became a sign to the Ninevites, so also the Son of Man will be to this generation. <sup>31</sup> The queen of the South will rise up in the judgment with the men of this generation and condemn them, for she came from the ends of the earth to hear the wisdom of Solomon; and indeed a greater than Solomon *is* here. <sup>32</sup> The men of Nineveh will rise up in the judgment with this generation and condemn it, for they repented at the preaching of Jonah; and indeed a greater than Jonah *is* here.