
Lesson 1
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(Seek the truth you need, not just answers to the questions!)

1. What warning is given regarding the reading of this book? p. v.
2. What are Christians of various stages of growth advised to do regarding that which they find in this book? p. v.
3. What two classes of readers will find this book to be of particular appeal and value? p. v.
4. Who are particularly responsible to discern the signs of enemy working and deliver people? p. v.
5. What does the believer who seeks the deepest experience of the spiritual life need to know lest he fall into deception? p. vi.
6. What statement needs to be pondered carefully in desiring gifts and manifestations? p. vi.
7. Why is it important for the surrendered soul to pursue the will of God as his chief and only aim? p. vi.
8. Why is it not unreasonable to expect spiritual phenomena usually associated with heathendom in civilized countries today? p. vii.
9. What unhealthy emphasis must be guarded against? p. vii.
10. What do we need above all? p. vii.
11. What has made it easy for the devil to carry out his work as deceiver? p. 1.
12. When is the Church taking sides with Satan? p. 1.
13. What has been foretold regarding the peril of the Church at the close of this dispensation? pp. 1-2.
14. How do the majority of believers fail to show discrimination? p. 2.
15. What is the incorrect assumption made by people who shrink back from the subject of evil spirits and the call to war against them? p. 2.
16. What knowledge about the powers of darkness should all believers welcome?
17. Apart from a proper knowledge about the powers of darkness, what is it possible for a believer to do? pp. 2-3.
18. Who will gain the most knowledge about the Satanic powers from the sacred record? p. 3.

19. If all that the Bible contains on the subject of the supernatural powers of evil could be exhaustively dealt with in a book, what would we find? p. 3.
20. How extensive is the work of Satan as deceiver, according to the Scriptures? p. 3.
21. In Satan's first work as deceiver, what was the subtle form of his method of deception? p. 3.
22. What is the devil's most clever way of deceiving the world and the Church? p. 4.
23. How did God overrule Satan's triumph in Eden? pp. 4-5.
24. The story of the ages contains the record of what war? p. 5.

Lesson 2

Study pages 5-16

1. What new meaning will we find in Old Testament history when we clearly apprehend the existence of an unseen host of evil spirit-beings? p. 5.
2. How was Job deceived? p. 6.
3. Idolatry is identified as what in the New Testament? p. 6.
4. What traces of the work of the deceiver may be seen in the epistles of Paul? p. 7.
5. When were the fallen archangel and his hosts of darkness defeated? Cite the Scripture reference. p. 8.
6. What is more clearly made known in the Revelation given to John? p. 9.
7. What will take place before the climax is reached when the deceiver will practically have the whole world under his control? p. 10.
8. How do we know that Satan has been the deceiver of the whole earth from the beginning? p. 10.
9. What word aptly describes every unregenerate human being? p. 10.
10. Why does the deception of the evil one not end when the regenerating life of God reaches the man? p. 11.
11. Why does every human being resent having the word "deceived" applied to himself? p. 11.

12. To what do the demon powers adapt their methods? p. 12.
13. How does Satan change his tactics when he seeks to practice his deception on the children of God? p. 12.
14. What is the chief weapon on which the prince of darkness relies? p. 12.
15. What lesson do we learn from the Ephesians 6:10-18 passage? p. 13.
16. When will the full force of the deceiver and his hosts of lying spirits be directed against Christians? p. 13.
17. What subtle use will evil spirits make of counterfeits to take advantage of the expectation of the Lord's return? pp. 13-14.
18. How exact a counterfeit of the working of God did the Lord indicate there would be? p. 14.
19. How is I Timothy 4:1-2 unique in what it explicitly shows? p. 15.
20. What does the Holy Spirit recognize in this passage regarding evil spirits at the close of this dispensation? p. 15.
21. What may be the results of deception in a believer? p. 16.
22. Who should be concerned about the peril of deceiving spirits? p. 16.
23. What is the essence of deception? p. 16.
24. In what sphere can one expect to find deception? p. 16.

Lesson 3

Study pages 16-26

1. Upon whom is the peril from an army of teaching spirits poured forth by Satan? p. 17.
2. How are spiritual Christians affected by deceiving spirits? p. 17.
3. Summarize briefly the three specific ways in which evil spirits as teachers get men to receive their teachings. p. 18.
4. Why are many able teachers of today deceived? p. 19.
5. What caution must the believer exercise in testing Bible teachers? p. 19.
6. What effect can the teachings of evil spirits have on the conscience? pp. 19-20.
7. About what do teaching spirits deceive believers, even in "holiness" teaching? p. 20.