

WAR ZONE

“The Enemy’s Army (part 3)”

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Matthew 12:43-45

Question #1: Where do demons come from?

Question #2: What do demons do?

Question #3: How do demons accomplish their work?

Demons can enslave and oppress us only to the degree that we

_____.

What causes demonic oppression?

1. _____

“Then they brought him to Him. And when he saw Him, immediately the spirit convulsed him, and he fell on the ground and wallowed, foaming at the mouth. So He asked his father, ‘How long has this been happening to him?’ And he said, ‘From childhood.’” (Mark 9:21-22)

Exodus 20:3-5

1 Corinthians 10:19-22

2. _____

“Do not believe every spirit, but test the spirits, whether they are of God; because many false prophets have gone out into the world.” (1 John 4:1)

“The Spirit expressly says that in latter times some will depart from the faith, giving heed to deceiving spirits and doctrines of demons...” (1 Timothy 4:1)

3. Association with _____

4. Tolerating _____

5. _____

Symptoms of demonic influence or invasion

Mark 9:17-27; Luke 8:26-37

1. Compulsion / _____
2. Change of _____
3. Change of _____
4. A spirit of _____
5. _____
6. _____
7. _____
8. Supernatural _____
9. Supernatural _____
10. Opposition to _____

How can I be delivered from demonic oppression?

1. Be sure of your salvation. (2 Cor. 13:5)
2. Desire to be set free. (Mark 10:51)
3. Take personal responsibility for your sin. (Rom. 14:12)
4. Identify the specific stronghold(s) that need to be broken. (2 Cor. 10:5)
5. Identify the source of the stronghold. (John 8:32)
6. Ask God for His forgiveness. (1 John 1:9)
7. As an act of your will, officially break off any assignment or ground that you have given over to the enemy. (2 Cor. 10:5)
8. Get serious about your commitment to Christ. (2 Pet. 3:18)
9. Be filled with the Holy Spirit. (Galatians 5:13)
10. Memorize and claim what the word of God says about how to have victory over your problem. (Psalm 119:11)
11. Pray constantly and be on guard in your areas of weakness. (1 Cor. 16:13)
12. Remove all connection with sinful practices and temptation. (Deut. 20:16-18)
13. Establish accountability with another Christian. (James 5:16)
14. Pursue freedom based on the fact that Christ has set you free. (Rom. 6:22)

“We demolish arguments and every pretension that sets itself up against the knowledge of God, and we take captive every thought to make it obedient to Christ.” (2 Cor. 10:5)