

## **Satan/DEMONS Overcome— the nature of True Conversion!**

Matthew 12:29/ Luke 11:14-28 [**Luke 11:21-26**]

### **EXCEPT OR UNLESS!!**

**1. Matthew 5:20**— For I say unto you, That **EXCEPT** your righteousness shall exceed the righteousness of the scribes and Pharisees, you shall in no case enter into the kingdom of heaven.

**2. Matthew 18:3**— Verily I say unto you, **EXCEPT** you be converted, and become as little children, you shall not enter into the kingdom of heaven.

**3. Luke 13:5**— “...**EXCEPT** you repent, you shall all likewise perish.”

**4. John 3:3**— Jesus answered and said unto him, Verily, verily, I say unto thee, **EXCEPT** a man be born again, he cannot see the kingdom of God.

**5. John 3:27**— John answered and said, A man can receive nothing, **EXCEPT** it be given him from heaven.

**6. John 6:44**— No man can come to me, **EXCEPT** the Father which hath sent me draw him: and I will raise him up at the last day. [Amplified: “... attracts and draws him and gives him the desire to come...”]

**7. John 6:53**— Then Jesus said unto them, Verily, verily, I say unto you, **EXCEPT** you eat the flesh of the Son of man, and drink his blood, you have no life in you. [Amplified: “...unless you appropriate His life and the saving merit of His blood”]

**8. John 6:65**— ... Therefore said I unto you, that no man can come unto me, **EXCEPT** it were given unto him of my Father.

**9. Matthew 12:29**— “... else how can one enter into a strong man's house, and spoil his goods, **EXCEPT HE FIRST BIND the strong man**? and then he will spoil his house.

**Luke 11:21-22; 24-26**— When a strong man armed keepeth his palace, his goods are in peace: <sup>22</sup> But when a stronger than he shall come upon him, and overcome him, he taketh from him all his armour wherein he trusted, and divideth his spoils... <sup>24</sup> **When the unclean spirit is gone out of a man**, he walketh through dry places, seeking rest; and finding none, he saith, **I will return unto my house** whence I came out. <sup>25</sup> And when he cometh, he findeth it swept and garnished. [adorned/put in order/decorated/UNOCCUPIED] <sup>26</sup> Then goeth he, and taketh to him seven other spirits more wicked than himself; **and they enter in, and dwell there: and the last state of that man is worse than the first.**

### **I. LUKE 11:21- An inside picture of a lost person.**

1. Eph. 2:1-3- The spirit of Satan works in the children of disobedience!

2. Matt. 13:36-43- The tares are the children of the wicked one!

3. John 8:44- "You are of your father the devil, and the lusts of your father you will do..."
4. I John 3:8-10- Children or God or children of the devil

### **LUKE 11:21- Satan is an armed strongman**

JOHN 8:44  
 I John 2:16  
 Matthew 4:3-10  
 Luke 17:32

**LUKE 11:21- Satan is very watchful to keep souls in his kingdom** (Luke 8:12).  
 James 4:4  
 I John 2:15-17

**LUKE 11:21- Another strange twist— Satan keeps his goods at peace:** (2 Pet. 3:3-4) (2 Cor. 4:3-4) (Matt. 7:22-23)

2 Peter 2:1-3

**Revelation 18:23- Sorceries: Pharmakeia— Enchantment with drugs!**

**II. LUKE 11:23 // LUKE 16:13- The impossibility of neutrality!**

**III. LUKE 11:24-26- The peril of partial conversion**

Acts 2:36-47

**LUKE 11:24-25 The demon returns TO HIS HOUSE!** (James 4:7)

**LUKE 11:26- The demon enters again with seven more**

**IV. LUKE 11:22- JESUS— the STRONGER than the strong; and the life-changing power of true conversion**

(Luke 8:35, 38-39)

**1. Set free!**

**2. Sitting at the feet of Jesus!**

**3. Clothed and in his right mind!**

**4. Telling others of Jesus!**

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**Jesus! the Name high over all,** In hell or earth or sky;  
 Angels and men before it fall, And devils fear and fly.

**Jesus! the Name to sinners dear,** The Name to sinners giv'n;  
 It scatters all their guilty fear, It turns their hell to Heav'n.

**Jesus! the prisoner's fetters breaks,** And bruises Satan's head;  
 Power into strengthless souls it speaks, And life into the dead.

**O that mankind might taste and see,** The riches of His grace!  
 The arms of love that compass me Would all the world embrace.

**O that my Jesu's heavenly charms,** Might every bosom move!  
 Fly, sinners, fly into those arms Of everlasting love.

**Thee I shall constantly proclaim,** Though earth and hell oppose;  
 Bold to confess Thy glorious Name Before a world of foes.

**His only righteousness I show,** His saving grace proclaim;  
 'Tis all my business here below To cry "Behold the Lamb!"

**Happy, if with my latest breath, I may but gasp His Name,  
 Preach Him to all and cry in death, "Behold, behold the Lamb!"**

Except or unless Satan and his demons be bound, overcome **and cast out and Jesus come in**— a person remains lost!

### **True salvation:**

Sets you free!

Causes you to sit at the feet of Jesus,  
 Clothed in the righteousness of Jesus,

Indwelt with the Holy Spirit.

\*0 Causes and enables you to go forth to proclaim Christ....  
 \*1 Even SINGING!

### **Are you saved?**

**If not— come to Christ now!**

**How many will testify: By the grace of God...**

**"Nothing in my hands I bring; simply to Thy Cross I cling!"**

I am set free! I am in Christ and Christ is in me!

My heart is Christ's home!

I am not who and what I used to be;  
 I am not all I ought to be;  
 I am not yet all I shall be—  
 I am what I am by the grace of God...  
 and the best is yet to be...

for whether I live or die,  
I am the LORD'S!

This week I will covenant to sit at the feet of Jesus!

This week I will publish how great things Jesus has done!

JESUS HAS COME AND SET YOU FREE! ➔ YES??!!

THEN— BEAR WITNESS

and

TELL THE GOOD NEWS!