

**4-D****LECTURE NOTES: The Battleground of the Mind**

1. **SATAN** vs **JESUS** **JOH 10:10**
2. **THE thief. THE liar.**
3. **GEN 3:13** And the Lord God said to the woman, “What is this you have done?” The woman said, “**The serpent deceived me**, and I ate.”
4. **2CO 4:4** 4 The god of this age has **blinded the minds** (3540 **noema**) of unbelievers, so that **they cannot see** the light of the gospel of the glory of Christ, who is the image of God.

**3540** **𐤍𐤏𐤌𐤓𐤁 { no'-ay-mah }**

AV - mind, device, thought

- 1) a mental perception, thought
- 2) an evil purpose
- 3) that which thinks, the mind, thoughts or purposes

**1228** **𐤁𐤏𐤓𐤁𐤏𐤓 { dee-ab'-ol-os }**

AV - devil, false accuser, slanderer

- 1) prone to lander, slanderous, accusing falsely
- 1a) a alumniator, false accuser, slanderer,
- 2) metaph. applied to a man who, by opposing the cause of God, may be said to act the part of the devil or to side with him

**Satan** the prince of the demons, the author of evil, persecuting good men, estranging mankind from God and enticing them to sin, afflicting them with diseases by means of demons who take possession of their bodies at his bidding.

**4567** **𐤎𐤏𐤌𐤓𐤁𐤏𐤓 { sat-an-as }**

Aramaic

- 1) adversary (one who opposes another in purpose or act), the name given to
  - 1a) the prince of evil spirits, the inveterate adversary of God and Christ
  - 1a1) he incites apostasy from God and to sin
  - 1a2) circumventing men by his wiles
  - 1a3) the worshippers of idols are said to be under his control
  - 1a4) by his demons he is able to take possession of men and inflict them with diseases
  - 1a5) by God's assistance he is overcome
  - 1a6) on Christ's return from heaven he will be bound with chains for a thousand years, but when the thousand years are finished he will walk the earth in yet greater power, but shortly after will be given over to eternal punishment
- 1b) a Satan-like man

5. **1KI 22:19** Micaiah continued, “Therefore hear the word of the LORD: I saw the LORD sitting on his throne with all the host of heaven standing around him on his right and on his left. **And the LORD said, ‘Who will entice Ahab into attacking Ramoth Gilead and going to his death there?’** “One suggested this, and another that. 21 Finally, **a spirit came forward, stood before the LORD and said, ‘I will entice him.’** 22 “**‘By what means?’ the LORD asked. ‘I will go out and be A LYING SPIRIT in the mouths of all his prophets,’ he said.** “You will succeed in enticing him,” said the LORD. ‘Go and do it.’ 23 “So now the LORD has put a lying spirit in the mouths of all these prophets of yours. The LORD has decreed disaster for you.”
6. **MAT 13:10** The disciples came to him and asked, “**Why do you speak to the people in parables?**” 11 He replied, “**The knowledge of the secrets of the kingdom of heaven has been given to you, but not to them.** 12 Whoever has will be given more, and he will have an abundance. Whoever does not have, even what he has will be taken from him. 13 This is why I speak to them in parables: “Though seeing, they do not see; though hearing, they do not hear or understand. 14 In them is fulfilled the prophecy of Isaiah: ”**‘You will be ever hearing but never understanding; you will be ever seeing but never perceiving.** 15 For this people’s heart has become calloused; they hardly hear with their ears, and they have closed their eyes. Otherwise they might see with their eyes, hear with their ears, understand with their hearts and turn, and I would heal them.’ 16 But blessed are your eyes because they see, and your ears because they hear. 17 For I tell you the truth, many prophets and righteous men longed to see what you see but did not see it, and to hear what you hear but did not hear it. 18 “**Listen then to what the parable of the sower means:**
7. **2CO 2:10** If you forgive anyone, I also forgive him. And what I have forgiven—if there was anything to forgive—I have forgiven in the sight of Christ for your sake, 11 in order that Satan might not outwit us. For we are not unaware of his **schemes or devices (noemas).**

8. **2CO 3:10** For what was glorious has no glory now in comparison with the surpassing glory. 11 And if what was fading away came with glory, how much greater is the glory of that which lasts! 12 Therefore, since we have such a hope, we are very bold. 13 We are not like Moses, who would put a veil over his face to keep the Israelites from gazing at it while the radiance was fading away. 14 But their **minds (noemas)** were made dull, for to this day the same veil remains when the old covenant is read. It has not been removed, because only in Christ is it taken away. 15 Even to this day when Moses is read, a veil covers their hearts. 16 But **whenever anyone turns to the Lord, the veil is taken away.** 17 Now the Lord is the Spirit, and where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is freedom. 18 And we, who with unveiled faces all reflect the Lord's glory, are being transformed into his likeness with ever-increasing glory, which comes from the Lord, who is the Spirit.
9. **2CO 10:2** But I beg you that when I am present I may not be bold with that confidence by which I intend to be bold against some, who think of us as if we walked according to the flesh. 3 For though we walk in the flesh, we do not war according to the flesh. 4 For the weapons of our warfare are not carnal but mighty in God for pulling down strongholds, 5 casting down **arguments (logismos)** and every **high thing (hupsoma)** that exalts itself against the knowledge of God, bringing every **thought (noema)** into captivity to the obedience of Christ,
10. **2CO 11:2** For I am jealous for you with godly jealousy. For I have betrothed you to one husband, that I may present you as a chaste virgin to Christ. 3 But I fear, lest somehow, as the serpent deceived Eve by his craftiness, so your **minds (noemas)** may be corrupted from the simplicity that is in Christ. 4 For if he who comes preaches another Jesus whom we have not preached, or if you receive a different spirit which you have not received, or a different gospel which you have not accepted—you may well put up with it!
11. **EPH 6:10** Finally, my brethren, be strong in the Lord and in the power of His might. 11 Put on the whole armor of God, that you may be able to stand against the **wiles (methodeia)** of the devil. 12 For we do not wrestle against flesh and blood, but against principalities, against powers, against the rulers of the darkness of this age, against spiritual hosts of wickedness in the heavenly places. 16 above all, taking the shield of faith with which you will be able to quench all the fiery darts of the wicked one.
12. **PHI 4:6** Be anxious for nothing, but in everything by prayer and supplication, with thanksgiving, let your requests be made known to God; 7 and the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and **minds (noemas)** through Christ Jesus.
13. **1JO 2:27** As for you, the anointing you received from him remains in you, and you do not need anyone to teach you. But as **his anointing teaches you about all things** and as that anointing is real, not counterfeit—just as it has taught you, remain in him.

14. **JOH 8:47** “He who is of God hears God's **WORDS (RHEMAS)**; therefore you do not hear, because you are not of God.”
15. **1JO 4:1** **Beloved, do not believe every spirit, but test the spirits, whether they are of God; because many false prophets have gone out into the world.** 2 By this you know the Spirit of God: Every spirit that confesses that Jesus Christ has come in the flesh is of God, 3 and every spirit that does not confess that Jesus Christ has come in the flesh is not of God. And this is the spirit of the Antichrist, which you have heard was coming, and is now already in the world. 4 You are of God, little children, and have overcome them, because He who is in you is greater than he who is in the world. 5 **They are of the world. Therefore they speak as of the world, and the world hears them. 6 We are of God. He who knows God hears us; he who is not of God does not hear us. By this we know the spirit of truth and the spirit of error.**
16. **ROM 10:17** So then faith comes by hearing, and hearing by the **WORD (RHEMA)** of God.

17. Watch your Thoughts; they become Words.  
 Watch your Words; they become Actions.  
 Watch your Actions; they become Habits.  
 Watch your Habits; they become Character.  
 Watch your Character; it becomes your Destiny.

18. **2TH 2:7** For the mystery of lawlessness is already at work; only He who now restrains will do so until He is taken out of the way. 8 And then the lawless one will be revealed, whom the Lord will consume with the breath of His mouth and destroy with the brightness of His coming. 9 **The coming of the lawless one is according to the working of Satan, with all power, signs, and lying wonders,** 10 and **with all unrighteous DECEPTION among those who perish, because they did not receive the love of the TRUTH, that they might be saved.** 11 And for this reason God will send them strong delusion, **that they should believe the lie,** 12 that they all may be condemned who did not believe the truth but had pleasure in unrighteousness.
19. **1PE 5:8** **Be sober, be vigilant; because your adversary the devil walks about like a roaring lion, seeking whom he may devour.** 9 Resist him, steadfast in the faith, knowing that the same sufferings are experienced by your brotherhood in the world. 10 But may the God of all grace, who called us to His eternal glory by Christ Jesus, after you have suffered a while, perfect, establish, strengthen, and settle you.
20. **REV 12:9** So the great dragon was cast out, that serpent of old, called the Devil and **Satan, who deceives the whole world;** he was cast to the earth, and his angels were cast out with him. 10 Then I heard a loud voice saying in heaven, **“Now salvation, and strength, and the kingdom of our God, and the power of His Christ have come, for the accuser of our brethren, who accused them before our God day and night, has been cast down.** 11 “And they overcame him by the **blood** of the Lamb and by the **word** of their testimony, and they did not love their lives to the death. 12 “Therefore rejoice, O heavens, and you who dwell in them! Woe to the inhabitants of the earth and the sea! For the devil has come down to you, having great wrath, because he knows that he has a short time.”
21. **2TI 2:24** And the Lord’s servant must not quarrel; instead, he must be kind to everyone, able to teach, not resentful. 25 **Those who oppose him he must gently instruct, in the hope that God will grant them repentance leading them to a knowledge of the TRUTH,** 26 and that they will come to their senses and escape from the trap of the devil, who has taken them captive to do his will.
22. **A man convince against his will is unconvinced still. SHOW him/her the TRUTH. The TRUTH will reveal the LIE.**
23. **1TI 4:1** Now the Spirit expressly says that **in latter times some will depart from the faith, giving heed to deceiving spirits and doctrines of demons,** 2 **speaking lies in hypocrisy, having their own conscience seared with a hot iron,**
24. **ROM 12:1** I beseech you therefore, brethren, by the mercies of God, that you present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable to God, which is your reasonable service. 2 And do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind, that you may prove what is that good and acceptable and perfect will of God.
25. **Its NOT YOU**
26. **EPH 1:15** Therefore I also, after I heard of your faith in the Lord Jesus and your love for all the saints, 16 do not cease to give thanks for you, making mention of you in my prayers: 17 that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give to you the spirit of wisdom and REVELATION in the knowledge of Him, 18 the eyes of your understanding being enlightened; that you may know what is the hope of His calling, what are the riches of the glory of His inheritance in the saints, 19 and what is the exceeding greatness of His power toward us who believe, according to the working of His mighty power
27. **1JO 5:6** This is He who came by water and blood—Jesus Christ; not only by water, but by water and blood. And it is the Spirit who bears witness, because the Spirit is truth. 7 For **there are three that bear witness in heaven: the Father, the Word, and the Holy Spirit; and these three are one.** 8 And **there are three that bear witness on earth: the Spirit, the water, and the blood; and these three agree as one.** 9 If we receive the witness of men, the witness of God is greater; for this is the witness of God which He has testified of His Son.