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Psychic Ability and Kundalini Demons

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OCCULT STEPPING STONES TO WITCHCRAFT "The Spirit speaketh expressly that in the latter times some shall depart from the faith, giving heed to seducing spirits and doctrines of devils." (1 Tim. 4:1) The Walking Dead book concerns the Lamb family (a fictitious name) that was living in Central Florida where a white witch that cast deadly spells upon them that almost cost Rita Lamb her life. It also reveals witchcraft power that engaged the teenagers in the community to become involved with the powers of darkness. They became zombies like when this white witch gave them drugs and taught them witchcraft rituals in the local cemetery, thus destroying their lives through demon possession. No one can dabble in witchcraft and come away unshackled. However through Jesus, one can be deliverance, (Matt. 18:18) there are very few Christian ministers that can deliver them. He died for us that we might live. Dr. Holliday says that the rise and social acceptance of witchcraft in America has caused progressive interest and involvement in the occult and capturing millions spiritual slaves. Also she says, "Witchcraft and Satanic worship, coupled with human sacrifices is widespread and happening now!" Christians should never seek help, guidance or healing from a witch or psychic.

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The Bible gives demonstrations of divination spirits that are constantly working to try to infiltrate the church. Look at (Acts 16:16), *“As we went to prayer, a certain damsel (demonized) POSSESSED WITH A SPIRIT OF DIVINATION met us, which brought her masters much gain by soothsaying.” This woman was delivered after the giving “a prophetic word” to the people. “And it came to pass, as we went to prayer, a certain damsel possessed with a spirit of divination met us, which brought her masters much gain by soothsaying: 17 The same followed Paul and us, and cried, saying, These men are the servants of the most high God, which shew unto us the way of salvation. 18 And this did she many days. But Paul, being grieved, turned and said to the spirit, I command thee in the name of Jesus Christ to come out of her. And he came out the same hour,”* (Acts 16:16-18). Through the power of being able to discern the divination spirit in the woman, the Apostle Paul took authority over the evil spirit and cast it out.

In our world today, we must be astute concerning the spirit of prophecy. Many have come into the church that had psychic abilities before asking Jesus to save them. Many of them have never been delivered from the divination spirits from their pre-Christian life. There are very few leaders that are alert and guarding the sheep. Many do not even know how to discern whether someone who is using supernatural power is connecting with God or the Devil.

The Apostle Paul shows that even as false ministers appeared as true ministers, so also Satan can masquerade himself as a true angel of God. The purpose of coming to a person in the role of the deceiver is to trick that individual into accepting the false for the true. *“And no marvel; for Satan himself is transformed into an angel of light . 15 Therefore it is no great thing if his ministers also be transformed as the ministers of righteousness; whose end shall be according to their works,”* (2 Cor. 11:14).

You must look to see if a spirit that is operating through a person is the Holy Spirit or an unholy spirit. A believer protection is discerning the spirits to see if they be of God and studying the whole counsel of God's Word and rightly dividing the Word by interpreting Scripture with Scripture.

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The priestess of Apollo at Delphi was called PYTHON SPIRIT was inspired by Apollo, who was associated with oracles. The girl was Demon-possessed, and her uncontrolled utterances were regarded as coming from a god. Her owners made money for themselves by using her to tell fortunes.

[Possessed with a spirit of divination] *Echousan pneuma puthoona*, Having a spirit of Python, or of Apollo. *Pytho* was, according to fable, a huge serpent, that had an oracle at Mount Parnassus, famous for predicting future events; Apollo slew this serpent, and hence, he was called *Pythius*, and became celebrated as the foreteller of future events; and all those, who either could or pretended to predict future events, were influenced by the spirit of Apollo *Pythius*. As oftentimes the priestesses of this god became greatly agitated, and gave answers apparently from their bellies, when their mouths remained closed, *puthoon* was applied to the *engastrimuthoi* (ventriloquists). *Hesychius* defines *puthoon* as *daimonion mantikon*, a divining demon; and which Paul expelled, Acts 16:18. Lev 19:31, and Deut 18:11.

[Brought her masters much gain by soothsaying] *Manteuomenee*, By divination, or what we call telling fortunes. Our term soothsaying coming from the Anglo-Saxon truth; and to say, i.e. truth saying, or saying the truth. For, as it was supposed among the pagan that such persons spoke by the inspiration of their god, consequently what they said must be true. However, our translators might have used a term here that would not have been so creditable to this Pythoness; for, what she said concerning the apostles excepted, she certainly could not be supposed to tell the truth, while her inspiration came from him who is the father of lies. But Satan will sometimes conceal himself under the guise of truth, that he may the more effectually deceive.⁶

[These men are the servants of the most high God, which show unto us the way of salvation.] It is astonishing how such a testimony could be given in such a case; every syllable of it true, and at the same time full, clear, and distinct. But mark the deep design and artifice of this evil spirit:

- He well knew that the Jewish law abhorred all magic, incantations, magical rites, and dealings with familiar spirits; he therefore bears what was in itself a true testimony to the apostles, that by it he may destroy their credit, and ruin their usefulness. The Jews, by this testimony, would be led at once to believe that the apostles were in compact with these demons, and that the miracles they performed were done by the

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agency of these wicked spirits, and that the whole was the effect of magic; and this, of course, would harden their hearts against the preaching of the Gospel.⁷

- The GENTILES, finding that their own demon bore testimony to the apostles, would naturally consider that the whole was one system; that they had nothing to learn, nothing to correct; and thus the preaching of the apostles must be useless to them. In such a predicament as this, nothing could have saved the credit of the apostles but their dispossessing this woman of her familiar spirit, and that in the most incontestable manner; for what could have saved the credit of Moses and Aaron, when the magicians of Egypt turned their rods into serpents, had not Aaron's rod devoured theirs? And what could have saved the credit of these apostles but the casting out of this spirit of divination, with which, otherwise, both Jews and Gentiles would have believed them in compact?⁸

Num. 10:9 – *“And if ye go to war in your land against the enemy that oppresseth you, then ye shall blow an alarm with the trumpets; and ye shall be remembered before the Lord your God, and ye shall be saved from your enemies.”*KJV

PSYCHIC POWER

Marcia Montenegro, a former New Ager, writes, “Psychic ability is developed by learning to get into an altered state of consciousness (a light trance) and opening one's mind and self to supernatural forces. The most common way one learns to do this is through certain forms of meditation or visualization (normally preceded by relaxation and/or breathing exercises) or through the use of occultic tools such as an astrology chart, a crystal ball, a numerology chart, etc., which seem to spontaneously trigger such altered mind states.⁶

In psychic development classes in which the writer once participated, students are taught to practice various techniques of meditation, focus and visualization; sometimes this includes contacting a 'spirit guide' from another dimension. Some go deeper into this state and become a medium or channeler. They lose conscious awareness and allow a supernatural entity to take over their body and speak through them (a medium thinks the spirit is a dead person; a channeler (medium) believes it is a being from another realm, or possibly a space alien). A psychic normally maintains awareness while receiving the information. Once these techniques are mastered, it becomes very easy to 'slip' in and out of such a state at will. Visiting the county library, this writer found several books on the occult that give instructions on how to use a crystal ball, read tarot cards, etc. The instructions emphasize going into a meditative or trance-like state in order to more effectively use these tools. Where do psychics think the information

⁷ ibid

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comes from? Not all psychics agree, but generally they believe one or more of the following: They are tapping into an energy field which contains the information.

They are accessing a type of psychic central records division called the *Akashic Record* (The akashic records (akasha is a Sanskrit word meaning "sky", "space" or "aether") is a term used in theosophy (and Anthroposophy) to describe a compendium of mystical knowledge ...) ⁹ which contains all information about the past, present and future. They are receiving the information from the client's 'higher self' which has access to information pertinent to that client. The information is coming from the psychic's spirit guide or from God.” ⁷

THE WHITE LIGHT BARRIER

Montenegro goes on to warn, “When one takes steps to develop telepathy, ESP, or other psychic abilities, one is opening the door to dangerous forces. As this writer’s psychic abilities expanded, so did the frightening experiences. Many of this writer’s friends and associates in the occult often had similar experiences. In fact, it is common practice for a psychic to call on benevolent protective forces or to visualize 'white light' (supposedly for protection) before practicing a psychic technique, doing a reading or spirit contact. What do they think they are protecting themselves from? By doing this, the psychics acknowledge the existence of evil or harmful beings, but how do they know these beings are not disguising themselves as benevolent spirits or guides? What law says a white light is a barrier to evil entities? Why would such a light keep out any spirits? Maybe the evil entities have been laughing all these years at this flimsy 'protection' as they fed false information to the psychics and pretended to be helpful. And why shouldn't they? What would they have to lose? God already called this one when He wrote that Satan disguises himself as an *"angel of light,"* (2 Cor. 11:14). ⁸

Montenegro clearly shows that having psychic power involves the influence of traffic in demonic forces. She says, “psychic power in the Bible is described as having a **familiar spirit, being a medium, being a soothsayer, or being a fortune-teller,** among other terms. The Hebrew and Greek words for these terms are different from the Hebrew and Greek words used to describe prophecy or speaking in the power of the Holy Spirit. **Divination**, the art of retrieving hidden information with **occult methods** or **paranormal powers**, is linked with psychic ability and strongly condemned throughout the Bible.” (See Deut. 18:10-12; Lev. 19:31, 20:6; I Chron. 10:13-14; Is. 2:6; Dan. 2:27-28a).

She went on to state, “God gives us the acid test in (Deut. 18:21-22), to use for prophecy. If the prophecy is not 100% accurate, the prophet is not from God. This writer, who once was involved in the occult and in psychic activity, was often told by psychics that a really good psychic on their best day might be about 85% accurate. No psychic claims 100% accuracy 100%

⁹ http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Akashic_records

of the time. Another test: If someone gives accurate information or foretells an event from dreams or visions, but then leads you away from the Biblical God, you should reject that prophet or visionary (Deut. 13:13). There is no way around it: when psychic ability is put to the test, it falls on its face.”⁹

These familiar spirits do not tell the truth. Many lives have been wrecked following after **lying spirits**. The Bible says, of **LYING SPIRITS**, “*There came forth a spirit and stood before the Lord and said, "I will persuade him. "The Lord said to him, "Wherewith?" He said, "I will go forth and I will be a LYING SPIRIT in the mouth of all his prophets." Therefore, behold, the Lord has put (allowed) a LYING SPIRIT in the mouth of all these your prophets,*” (1Ki. 22:21-23). “*There came out a spirit and stood before the Lord and said, "I will entice him." The Lord said to him, "Wherewith?" He said, "I will go out and be a LYING SPIRIT in the mouth of all his prophets." The Lord said, "You shall entice him and you shall also prevail; go out and do even so. The Lord has put (allowed) a LYING SPIRIT in the mouth of these your prophets,*” (2Chron. 18:20-22). Truly lying spirits are real and they inspire false prophecies.

We would do well to listen to Mrs. Montenegro's advice concerning going to Psychics. She warns, "Consulting a psychic, in person or by phone, for 'fun' or out of curiosity, according to the principles God gives us, should be avoided. You may discover that, in the long run, the information seems helpful only temporarily, and you will start using the psychic to make up for your own inability to cope and make decisions. You may also start relying on the psychic as a counselor to listen to your problems. The prophet Daniel said it best, "No wise man, enchanter, magician or diviner can explain to the king the mystery he has asked about, but there is a God in heaven who reveals mysteries," (Dan. 2:27), for it is God who "alone has all wisdom and power," who "reveals deep and mysterious things and knows what lies hidden in darkness, though he himself is surrounded by light," (Dan. 2: 20, 22).¹⁰

This a word of caution. This writer can also add that you must be careful about hooking up with **certain Christian prophets and prophetess**. Many call themselves prophets and prophetesses' but are they called by themselves or God? Words are spiritual. If a lying spirit is operating, a lying spirit will work to bring these words to happen. If God has not spoken, then Satan can work his plan for your life. This writer has seen many so-called Christian prophets telling Christians strange words that God did not speak. How did I know? Their words did not agree with God's Word and through the discerning of spirits. You had better test the spirits to see if they are of God.

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"I will cause the prophets and the UNCLEAN SPIRITS to pass out of the land," (Zech. 13:2).

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*"There was in their synagogue a man with an UNCLEAN SPIRIT; and he cried out, saying, "Let US alone. What have WE to do with You, You Jesus of Nazareth? Are You come to destroy US? I know You who You are, the Holy One of God." Jesus rebuked him, saying, "**Hold your peace (be silent), and come out of him.**" When the UNCLEAN SPIRIT had torn (violently shook) him and cried with a loud voice, he came out of him. They were all amazed, insomuch that they questioned among themselves, saying, "What thing is this? What new doctrine is this,*

for with authority He commands even the UNCLEAN SPIRITS and they do obey Him," (Mk. 1:23-27.)

"UNCLEAN SPIRITS, when they saw Him, fell down before Him and cried, saying, "You are the Son of God," (Mk. 3:11).

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"They brought forth the sick into the streets and laid them on beds and couches, that at least the shadow of Peter passing by might overshadow some of them. There came also a multitude (out of the cities about Jerusalem) bringing sick folks and those tormented by UNCLEAN SPIRITS; they were all healed," (Acts 5:15-16.)

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Montenego clearly shows that having psychic power involves the influence of traffic in demonic forces. She says, “psychic power in the Bible is described as having a **familiar spirit, being a medium, being a soothsayer, or being a fortune-teller,** among other terms. The Hebrew and Greek words for these terms are different from the Hebrew and Greek words used to describe prophecy or speaking in the power of the Holy Spirit. **Divination,** the art of retrieving hidden information with **occult methods** or **paranormal powers,** is linked with psychic ability and strongly condemned throughout the Bible.” (See Deut. 18:10-12; Lev. 19:31, 20:6; I Chron. 10:13-14; Is. 2:6; Dan. 2:27-28a).

She went on to state, “God gives us the acid test in (Deut. 18:21-22), to use for prophecy. If the prophecy is not 100% accurate, the prophet is not from God. This writer, who once was involved in the occult and in psychic activity, was often told by psychics that a really good psychic on their best day might be about 85% accurate. No psychic claims 100% accuracy 100% of the time. Another test: If someone gives accurate information or foretells an event from dreams or visions, but then leads you away from the Biblical God, you should reject that prophet or visionary (Deut. 13:13). There is no way around it: when psychic ability is put to the test, it falls on its face.”⁹

These familiar spirits do not tell the truth. Many lives have been wrecked following after **lying spirits.** The Bible says, of **LYING SPIRITS,** “*There came forth a spirit and stood before the Lord and said, "I will persuade him. "The Lord said to him, "Wherewith?" He said, "I will go forth and I will be a LYING SPIRIT in the mouth of all his prophets." Therefore, behold, the Lord has put (allowed) a LYING SPIRIT in the mouth of all these your prophets,*” (1Ki. 22:21-23). “*There came out a spirit and stood before the Lord and said, "I will entice him." The Lord said to him, "Wherewith?" He said, "I will go out and be a LYING SPIRIT in the mouth of all his prophets." The Lord said, "You shall entice him and you shall also prevail; go out and do even*

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We would do well to listen to Mrs. Montenegro's advice concerning going to Psychics. She warns, "Consulting a psychic, in person or by phone, for 'fun' or out of curiosity, according to the principles God gives us, should be avoided. You may discover that, in the long run, the information seems helpful only temporarily, and you will start using the psychic to make up for your own inability to cope and make decisions. You may also start relying on the psychic as a counselor to listen to your problems. The prophet Daniel said it best, "No wise man, enchanter, magician or diviner can explain to the king the mystery he has asked about, but there is a God in heaven who reveals mysteries," (Dan. 2:27), for it is God who "alone has all wisdom and power," who "reveals deep and mysterious things and knows what lies hidden in darkness, though he himself is surrounded by light," (Dan. 2: 20, 22).¹⁰

This a word of caution. This writer can also add that you must be careful about hooking up with **certain Christian prophets and prophetess**. Many call themselves prophets and prophetesses' but are they called by themselves or God? Words are spiritual. If a lying spirit is operating, a lying spirit will work to bring these words to happen. If God has not spoken, then Satan can work his plan for your life. This writer has seen many so-called Christian prophets telling Christians strange words that God did not speak. How did I know? Their words did not agree with God's Word and through the discerning of spirits. You had better test the spirits to see if they are of God.

UNCLEAN SPIRITS

"I will cause the prophets and the UNCLEAN SPIRITS to pass out of the land," (Zech. 13:2).

"When the UNCLEAN SPIRIT is gone out of a man, he walks through dry places, seeking rest, and finds none. Then he walks through dry places, seeking rest, and finds none. Then he says, I will return into my house from where I came out. When he is come, he finds it empty (because the man did not ask Jesus' Holy Spirit to move in.), swept and garnished. Then goes he, and takes with himself 7 other spirits more wicked than himself. They enter in and dwell there. The last state of that man is worse than the first," (Matt. 12:43-45).

*"There was in their synagogue a man with an UNCLEAN SPIRIT; and he cried out, saying, "Let US alone. What have WE to do with You, You Jesus of Nazareth? Are You come to destroy US? I know You who You are, the Holy One of God." Jesus rebuked him, saying, "**Hold your peace (be silent), and come out of him.**" When the UNCLEAN SPIRIT had torn (violently shook) him and cried with a loud voice, he came out of him. They were all amazed, insomuch that they questioned among themselves, saying, "What thing is this? What new doctrine is this,*

for with authority He commands even the UNCLEAN SPIRITS and they do obey Him," (Mk. 1:23-27.)

"UNCLEAN SPIRITS, when they saw Him, fell down before Him and cried, saying, "You are the Son of God," (Mk. 3:11).

"All the devils (demons) besought Him saying, "Send us into the swine (pigs) that we may enter into them." Jesus gave them leave. The UNCLEAN SPIRITS went out and entered into the swine and the herd ran violently down a steep place into the sea," (Mk. 5:12-13).

"They brought forth the sick into the streets and laid them on beds and couches, that at least the shadow of Peter passing by might overshadow some of them. There came also a multitude (out of the cities about Jerusalem) bringing sick folks and those tormented by UNCLEAN SPIRITS; they were all healed," (Acts 5:15-16.)

"UNCLEAN SPIRITS, crying with loud voice, came out of many that were possessed (demonized), palsied and lame," (Acts 8:7).

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The Bible warns people not to get entangled with mediums or wizards, or witches. God knew that doing so, they would endanger their souls to enter the pit of eternal hell.

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What Is Kundalini?

From the point of view of Hinduism, Kundalini has been described as a concentrated form of *prana* or life force, lying dormant in our bodies, conceptualized as a coiled up serpent (In Sanskrit *kundalini* is literally *that which is coiled*)

Another source describes it as

“A concentrated field of intelligent, cosmic invisible energy absolutely vital to life; beginning in the base of the spine as a man or woman begins to evolve in their first incarnation; fed by the chakras along the spine and by the cosmic energy entering through the feet from the earth; as wisdom is earned in each incarnation, this electromagnetic, ultra-potent energy moves slowly upward through the spine; it is directed by the speed of the soul mind as the soul-mind meets the requirements of each chakra, according to the needs and thinking of the individual; eventually this energy is un-spiralled through the medulla oblongata, pituitary gland, pineal gland and through the crown chakra to unite with the silver cord; one will ascend to the higher realms to finish evolutionary cycle...”¹⁹

However since the concept of kundalini is almost inseparable from that of the *Chakras* and *Shakti*, a basic understanding of both is essential to understanding kundalini.

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Chakras

Chakra is the Sanskrit word for wheel. Bodily Chakras are often depicted as circles, spaced at intervals along the spine. Ancient Indian tradition holds that there are seven Chakras, or energy centers.

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So is it possible that Chakras have some base in fact? ... Maybe

“Contemporary spiritual literature often notes that the chakras, as described in the esoteric Kundalini documents, bear a strong similarity in location and number to the major endocrine glands, as well as nerve bundles called ganglions”.²¹

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According to the ancient yoga system of India, Chakras play a very important part of the human energy system. The goddess Kundalini is said to awaken and unfold each chakra as she ascends through the spine, ensuring the free flow of life energy (prana or qi) throughout the body, thus balancing the chakras and promoting general health and well-being. When she has risen to the crown chakra, located at the top of the skull and associated with elevated spiritual consciousness, then all chakras have been opened [although lower chakras are thought to be just as important as higher] and a person is said to experience enlightenment. The goddess is also said to unite with the Shiva, or the male polarity when she arises to the crown chakra.

In an article by Anne Lewis on the *an-Ahata School of Universal Yoga* site.. [Anne Lewis is an international author, a nutritional counselor and one of Australia's most distinguished and well-respected Yoga teachers who runs Tibetan Rites workshops in Sydney]

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There are seven major chakras arranged vertically along the spine, starting at the base of the spine and ending at the crown of the head. While the chakras do exist within the physical body, exhibiting a strong influence on such aspects as body shape or health, they are not made of any physical components themselves. For instance, a physician could not operate on a chakra any more than on an emotion, yet both can, and do affect us physically.

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THE WHITE LIGHT BARRIER

Montenegro goes on to warn, “When one takes steps to develop telepathy, ESP, or other psychic abilities, one is opening the door to dangerous forces. As this writer’s psychic abilities expanded, so did the frightening experiences. Many of this writer’s friends and associates in the occult often had similar experiences. In fact, it is common practice for a psychic to call on benevolent protective forces or to visualize 'white light' (supposedly for protection) before practicing a psychic technique, doing a reading or spirit contact. What do they think they are protecting themselves from? By doing this, the psychics acknowledge the existence of evil or harmful beings, but how do they know these beings are not disguising themselves as benevolent spirits or guides? What law says a white light is a barrier to evil entities? Why would such a light keep out any spirits? Maybe the evil entities have been laughing all these years at this flimsy 'protection' as they fed false information to the psychics and pretended to be helpful. And why shouldn't they? What would they have to lose? God already called this one when He wrote that Satan disguises himself as an *"angel of light,"* (2 Cor. 11:14).⁸

Montenegro clearly shows that having psychic power involves the influence of traffic in demonic forces. She says, “psychic power in the Bible is described as having a **familiar spirit, being a medium, being a soothsayer, or being a fortune-teller,** among other terms. The Hebrew and Greek words for these terms are different from the Hebrew and Greek words used to describe prophecy or speaking in the power of the Holy Spirit. **Divination,** the art of retrieving hidden information with **occult methods** or **paranormal powers,** is linked with psychic ability and strongly condemned throughout the Bible.” (See Deut. 18:10-12; Lev. 19:31, 20:6; I Chron. 10:13-14; Is. 2:6; Dan. 2:27-28a).

She went on to state, “God gives us the acid test in (Deut. 18:21-22), to use for prophecy. If the prophecy is not 100% accurate, the prophet is not from God. This writer, who once was involved in the occult and in psychic activity, was often told by psychics that a really good psychic on their best day might be about 85% accurate. No psychic claims 100% accuracy 100% of the time. Another test: If someone gives accurate information or foretells an event from dreams or visions, but then leads you away from the Biblical God, you should reject that prophet or visionary (Deut. 13:13). There is no way around it: when psychic ability is put to the test, it falls on its face.”⁹

These familiar spirits do not tell the truth. Many lives have been wrecked following after **lying spirits.** The Bible says, of **LYING SPIRITS,** “*There came forth a spirit and stood before the Lord and said, "I will persuade him. "The Lord said to him, "Wherewith?" He said, "I will go forth and I will be a LYING SPIRIT in the mouth of all his prophets." Therefore, behold, the Lord has put (allowed) a LYING SPIRIT in the mouth of all these your prophets,"* (1Ki. 22:21-23). “*There came out a spirit and stood before the Lord and said, "I will entice him." The Lord said to him, "Wherewith?" He said, "I will go out and be a LYING SPIRIT in the mouth of all his prophets." The Lord said, "You shall entice him and you shall also prevail; go out and do even*

so. The Lord has put (allowed) a LYING SPIRIT in the mouth of these your prophets,” (2Chron. 18:20-22). Truly lying spirits are real and they inspire false prophecies.

We would do well to listen to Mrs. Montenegro's advice concerning going to Psychics. She warns, "Consulting a psychic, in person or by phone, for 'fun' or out of curiosity, according to the principles God gives us, should be avoided. You may discover that, in the long run, the information seems helpful only temporarily, and you will start using the psychic to make up for your own inability to cope and make decisions. You may also start relying on the psychic as a counselor to listen to your problems. The prophet Daniel said it best, "No wise man, enchanter, magician or diviner can explain to the king the mystery he has asked about, but there is a God in heaven who reveals mysteries," (Dan. 2:27), for it is God who "alone has all wisdom and power," who "reveals deep and mysterious things and knows what lies hidden in darkness, though he himself is surrounded by light," (Dan. 2: 20, 22).¹⁰

This a word of caution. This writer can also add that you must be careful about hooking up with **certain Christian prophets and prophetess**. Many call themselves prophets and prophetesses' but are they called by themselves or God? Words are spiritual. If a lying spirit is operating, a lying spirit will work to bring these words to happen. If God has not spoken, then Satan can work his plan for your life. This writer has seen many so-called Christian prophets telling Christians strange words that God did not speak. How did I know? Their words did not agree with God's Word and through the discerning of spirits. You had better test the spirits to see if they are of God.

UNCLEAN SPIRITS

"I will cause the prophets and the UNCLEAN SPIRITS to pass out of the land," (Zech. 13:2).

"When the UNCLEAN SPIRIT is gone out of a man, he walks through dry places, seeking rest, and finds none. Then he walks through dry places, seeking rest, and finds none. Then he says, I will return into my house from where I came out. When he is come, he finds it empty (because the man did not ask Jesus' Holy Sprit to move in.), swept and garnished. Then goes he, and takes with himself 7 other spirits more wicked than himself. They enter in and dwell there. The last state of that man is worse than the first," (Matt. 12:43-45).

*"There was in their synagogue a man with an UNCLEAN SPIRIT; and he cried out, saying, "Let US alone. What have WE to do with You, You Jesus of Nazareth? Are You come to destroy US? I know You who You are, the Holy One of God." Jesus rebuked him, saying, "**Hold your peace (be silent), and come out of him.**" When the UNCLEAN SPIRIT had torn (violently shook) him and cried with a loud voice, he came out of him. They were all amazed, insomuch that they questioned among themselves, saying, "What thing is this? What new doctrine is this, for with authority He commands even the UNCLEAN SPIRITS and they do obey Him," (Mk. 1:23-27.)*

“UNCLEAN SPIRITS, when they saw Him, fell down before Him and cried, saying, "You are the Son of God," (Mk. 3:11).

“All the devils (demons) besought Him saying, "Send us into the swine (pigs) that we may enter into them." Jesus gave them leave. The UNCLEAN SPIRITS went out and entered into the swine and the herd ran violently down a steep place into the sea,” (Mk. 5:12-13).

“They brought forth the sick into the streets and laid them on beds and couches, that at least the shadow of Peter passing by might overshadow some of them. There came also a multitude (out of the cities about Jerusalem) bringing sick folks and those tormented by UNCLEAN SPIRITS; they were all healed,” (Acts 5:15-16.)

“UNCLEAN SPIRITS, crying with loud voice, came out of many that were possessed (demonized), palsied and lame,” (Acts 8:7).

*“I saw 3 UNCLEAN SPIRITS, **like frogs**, come out of the mouth of the dragon, out of the mouth of the beast, and out of the mouth of the false prophet. They are the (evil) **spirits of devils** (demons), **working miracles**,” (Rev. 16:13-14).*

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