



## Article Four- Children

### JESUS IS THE DELIVERER

# Lord of the Rings movie

The below article comes from Pat Holliday at [www.patholliday.com](http://www.patholliday.com).

You are free to put this article on your web site. You may also copy and distribute it. I suggest you give it to your pastor, Love in Jesus, Pat Holliday, Ph.D.

#### FALLING AWAY

The Apostle Paul warns of the spread of heresy from the Christian faith. The word Apostasy conveys the particular idea of **falling away, a withdrawal, a defection from the faith.** Paul goes on to say in the scriptures, “Let no man deceive you by any means; for that day shall not come, except there come a falling away first, and that man of sin be revealed, the son of perdition,” (I Thess. 2:3). The Bible shows in (II Thess. 2) the last days that a spirit of “**strong delusion**” will overtake the whole world. Have you noticed that “another Jesus, another Gospel,” is being preached everywhere?

There is the shocking assault and all-out spiritual wars being waged currently against the kids by Satan's demonic legions, his New Age leadership and their millions of disciples. New Age occultism is sweeping across America and the globe, snatching up the innocent children in its rotten net. Satan's program of ongoing, systematic child abuse knows no bounds. Images, concepts, and symbols of the New Age, and of sorcery and witchcraft now permeate kids TV programs, cartoons, and movies. Unsuspecting children are constantly being exploited and abused by willful teachers and entertainers bent on poisoning captive young minds with the occult, New Age doctrines and rituals. Paul shocked his listeners with the fact that many of their apostles were actually false when he said, “And no marvel (surprise); for Satan himself is transformed into an angel of light. Therefore it is no great thing if his ministers also be transformed as the minister of righteousness: whose end shall be according to their works.”

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. 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.

People of our day have a tendency to trust their church leaders and famous personalities by relying on them to do their Bible studies and tell them how to live. No one seems to be watching the sheep. A Good Shepherd never runs when the wolves come, but he fights for his sheep. Jesus said, "Take heed therefore unto yourselves, and to all the flock, over the which the Holy Ghost hath made you overseers, to feed the church of God, which He hath purchased with His own blood. For I know this, that after my departing shall grievous wolves enter in AMONG YOU, not sparing the flock." "Also of your own selves shall men arise, speaking perverse things, to draw away disciples after them" (Acts 20:28-30).

### **The question is, who is watching over our Christian children?**

Seducing spirits are not reserved only for adults. Children can also fall under their power also. Many books are beginning to be written concerning the sexually-oriented, witchcraft and violent cartoons, movies, books, games, and television. We are aware that these are avenues that Satan has built for the entrapment of the children of our generation. However, parents must know one of the most important things of family life. Your children's relationship to God is as important as your relationship to God. God has a vital interest in your child. He wants your child to grow spiritually, just as He wants you to grow spiritually. It does not happen automatically. It takes planting the seed of the Word into the heart and watering that ground. Your child needs the same spiritual nourishment as well as he or she receives from your training and example. The necessity of reaching children for Jesus at their earliest age cannot be overstated.

### **NEW AGE SPIRITUAL MALPRACTICE**

New Age spiritual malpractice is presenting to our children, guided imagery, visualization, meditation, crystal powers, reflexology, polarity therapy, biofeedback, spirit channeling, re-birthing, and past-life analysis, reincarnation, astral projection, fortune telling, casting spells and Satan worship. Recognize that the spiritual darkness is upon us. Satan's goal has never changed: to wipe out all vestiges of Christ from the earth and thereby cause future generations to worship him as God. <sup>1</sup>

### **SATANIC ENTERTAINMENT**

"It's going to get darker," proclaimed J. K. Rowling to the news media after her

first **Harry Potter** book turned into a movie was released.

“The powers of darkness are getting darker and darker,” said the ad for the second **Lord of the Rings** movie. A bombardment of witchcraft children’s books, television and movies have been unleashed upon the Children of the world.

God has designed that parents train their children in righteousness. Our young people need to be familiar with the Word of God-not the occult. "Hear, O Israel: The LORD our God is one LORD: And thou shalt love the LORD thy God with all thine heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy might. And these words, which I command thee this day, shall be in thine heart: And thou shalt teach them diligently unto thy children, and shalt talk of them when thou sittest in thine house, and when thou walkest by the way, and when thou liest down, and when thou risest up" (Deut.6:4-7).

Our children are being drawn into much deeper witchcraft than I, as an adult, had entered into. Yet this horrible, evil forces had captured, crippled me, body, soul and spirit. Parents and the Church are totally asleep as the devils have come to steal their souls. "**And the soul that turneth after such as have familiar spirits, and after wizards, to go a whoring after them, I will even set my face against that soul, and will cut him off from among his people. Sanctify yourselves therefore, and be ye holy: for I am the LORD your God,**" (Lev. 20:6-7).

**WITCH:** The meaning and implication of witch and witchcraft have changed with the centuries. To many, it still means an old crone with molds and straggly hair casting evil spells on children and silhouetted in front of a full moon on her broomstick.<sup>2</sup>

**WIZARD:** A master of occult knowledge and powers who use timeless and universal rituals, magic formulas and spells to connect with the spirit world and manipulate its forces. His role and prestige correspond to that of the shaman or witch doctor in animist tribe, the priest or guru of New Agers, or the Druids who led the Celts in spiritual matters while advising in political matters. This detail of a picture from a **Dungeons & Dragons** manual shows today's blending of the cultures. Like a Native American medicine man, the wizard carries ceremonial feathers in a cluster below his waist, while his hand holds a rod that resembles a peace pipe embellished with feathers.<sup>3</sup>

Any time the dark side of the supernatural world is presented as harmless or even imaginary, there is the danger that children will become curious and find too late that witchcraft is neither harmless nor imaginary. In a culture with an obvious trend toward witchcraft and New Age ideology, parents need to consider the effects that these ideas may have on young and impressionable minds. Christian parents, teachers,

pastors and counter-cult ministry workers must become critics of **Molech's** powers. (More about Molech later).

### **DEMONIC MAGIC MOVIES**

The movie stories of **The Lord of the Rings** and **The Chronicles of Narnia, Star Wars, Harry Potter**, idealizes witchcraft and its supernatural orientation and the world's pagan cultures. It exalts the pagan practices by depicting good characters' verses evil Characters. It seduces its fans into an imaginary world that pits "white" or benevolent magic against dark, evil black magic. Both sides of this imagined "battle between good and evil" use cabalistic practices that God forbids and says, it is an abomination to God." Fantasy movies are now being targeted to the Christian Church by powerful Evangelical leaders. The Bible says, "Woe to those who call evil good, and good evil; Who put darkness for light, and light for darkness . . . Woe to those who are wise in their own eyes and clever in their own sight," (Isa. 5:20-21).

### **NEW AGE VALUES**

It's easy to see that Tolkien's basis for his claim of Biblical harmony in his myths was dead wrong. Heathenism is exactly what it is called, "paganism," or a pagan religion. The author of this article agrees that the pagan writers and the spirits behind their writing do indeed imitate reality. Satan is the master imitator, but his evil inspiration should be never used as foundation for truth. A mixture of truth and error is completely forbidden in Scripture. "Be ye not unequally yoked together with unbelievers: for what fellowship hath righteousness with unrighteousness? And what communion hath light with darkness? And what concord hath Christ with Belial? or what part hath he that believeth with an infidel? And what agreement hath the temple of God with idols?" (II Cor. 6:14-16a).

### **FANTASIES OF THE LORD OF THE RINGS**

Tolkien's **Lord of the Rings** with its strangely witchcraft powers and infusion of peculiar mythical creatures empowered by paranormal ability, is accepted as a Christian work because he testified of being a Christian. Both Tolkien and C. S. Lewis professed to be Catholics. Neither have ever testified concerning of a born again (a personal commitment to Jesus) Christians. This man who enjoys drinking in an English pub with his friend and fellow Roman Catholic C. S. Lewis and they studied the occult together and put these ideas in children "fantasy" books.

**The Lord of the Rings** series is only one of many fictional fantasy themes that our world has fallen in love with today. Strange mystical creatures with fantastical mystical powers and witchcraft themes are now being received by many in the

Evangelical movements as good for children.

Listen to an interview/question with Author Joseph Pearce. “Question: In recent years, magic in diverse forms such as games, TV shows, etc., has been very popular among young people. Given the way magical powers are presented in **the Lord of the Rings**, do you think that there could be any dangers for youngsters?”<sup>4</sup>

“Pearce: There is very little of what could be termed magic in *The Lord of the Rings*. There is much that is supernatural, but only in the sense that God is supernatural, or that Satan is supernatural, or that good and evil are supernatural. It would be more accurate to describe the so-called magic in *The Lord of the Rings* as miraculous, when it serves the good, and demonic, when it serves the evil.” Mr. Pearce further stated, “Far from being a ‘fantasy,’ **The Lord of the Rings** is a theological thriller.” The entire atmosphere created in this epic is a borderline story between a world of occult mythology and Biblical creatures out of the Book of Revelation.<sup>5</sup>

### FICTIONAL BATTLES

Most all of these fantasy movies embrace the idea of battling forces of good and evil. However, witchcraft also encompasses the ideas of good and evil, such as white and black witchcraft. To God, witchcraft, black or white are witchcraft and demonic. Its source comes from Satan. The selling of these dark movies as good Christian values for children are an abomination to God. Author Berit Kjos documents the tremendous presence of demons, wizards, spells, and other creatures or activities that are clearly Satanic in nature. Here are a few of her quotes: “All of these (bewitching) stories (**Harry Potter** series and **Lord of the Rings** series and **The Chronicles of Narnia**) involve wizards, spells, mythical creatures and magic charms. Both demonstrate the battle between a mythical good and evil. Both pit heroic white magic against dark menacing occultism.”<sup>6</sup>

“In his personal letters (many are included in a book titled *The Letters of J. R. R Tolkien*), he expressed caution toward occult practices. But he equipped his team of mythical heroes -- **the Fellowship of the Ring** -- with the pagan powers that God forbids. For example, ‘Gandalf [a helpful wizard] is able to wield potent magic . . . To do battle with the forces of darkness, Gandalf the Grey can call upon not only his spell craft, but also his staff of power and the Elven sword Glamdring.’”

“This incarnate ‘angel’ wouldn't fit into the host of Biblical angels. But he could well fit in the hierarchy of ‘devils’ or ‘angels’ and ascended masters in the elaborate spiritual system called Theosophy or ‘Ancient Wisdom.’ Founded by Madame Helena

Blavatsky, this esoteric blend of Hinduism and Western occultism received its doctrines from “ascended masters” or spirit guides such as Djhwah Khul who channeled his messages to the medium Alice Bailey.”<sup>7</sup>

Tolkien himself clearly saw his creature creations as strange and mystical. He probably would have been a bit offended if someone had called them Satanic. Here are some of his descriptions: Gandalf is not, of course, a human being (Man or Hobbit). There are naturally no precise modern terms to say what he was. I would venture to say that he was an incarnate 'angel' . . . wizards, 'those who know', an emissary from the Lords of the West, sent to Middle-earth as the great crisis of Sauron loomed on the horizon. By 'incarnate' I meant they were embodied in physical bodies capable of pain and weariness . . . ”

“Why they should take, such a form is bound up with the 'mythology' of the 'angelic' Powers of the world of this fable. At this point in the fabulous history the purpose was precisely to limit and hinder their exhibition of 'power' on the physical plane, so that they would do what they were primarily sent for: train, advise, instruct, arouse the hearts and minds of those threatened by Sauron to a resistance with their own strength . . . The wizards were not exempt, indeed being incarnate were more likely to stray, or err. Gandalf alone fully passes the test, on a moral plane anyway. For in his condition it was for him a sacrifice to perish on the Bridge in defense of his companions . . . Gandalf sacrificed himself, was accepted and enhanced and returned.”

“Gandalf really 'died' and was changed . . . 'I am Gandalf the **White Wizard**, who has returned from death'.”<sup>8</sup>

The picture clearly evident in these descriptions is that of fallen angels subject to Satan himself. In several locations in the Book of Revelation, there are hordes of unclean spirits seeking to work havoc on the population. “And he opened the bottomless pit; and there arose a smoke out of the pit, as the smoke of a great furnace; and the sun and the air were darkened by reason of the smoke of the pit.” “And the shapes of the locusts were like unto horses prepared unto battle. On their heads were as it were crowns like gold, and their faces were as the faces of men. And they had hair as the hair of women, and their teeth were as the teeth of lions. And they had breastplates, as it were breastplates of iron; and the sound of their wings was as the sound of chariots of many horses running to battle.” (Rev. 9:2-3, 7-9).

## **TOLKIEN REJECTED THE CLASSICAL IDEAS THE ROMANTIC IDEAS.**

Professor Woods, a Tolkien historian, gave a revealing description of what were the greater influences in Tolkien’s life. “**It is not surprising to learn that Tolkien**

was deeply influenced by the 19th century Romantics, chiefly S. T. Coleridge and George Macdonald, since his friend and literary companion C. S. Lewis were also decisively shaped by them. Nor is it startling to find Tolkien connections with J. M. Barrie's *Peter Pan* and *Mary Rose*, with the *Four Quartets* of T. S. Eliot, even with Henry James' unfinished story *The Sense of the Past*. What comes as a genuine shock is the news that Tolkien's mind and work were marked by the fictional dream-journeys of George Du Maurier, by the psychic experiences of Charlotte Moberly and Eleanor Jourdain, by the time-travel fantasies of H. G. Wells, and especially by the notion of J. W. Dunne that all temporal events are simultaneous. Dunne held that time is no less constant than space, and that by certain habits of mind we can move backward and forward over time as we traverse space, even experiencing events that have not yet happened.”<sup>9</sup>

This kind of influence and thinking produced in Tolkien a mind-set with little room for the genuine truths of Holy Scripture. He was guided by occult thinking and the many strange ideas of those emerged in that world. Another writer, Verlyn Flieger, spells out even more clearly a description of his background and mind set. Professor Wood quotes her as follows,

**“There she revealed, as she does again here, that the massive moral and religious questions that exercised and animated Tolkien's imagination—the nature of good and evil, of heroism and self-sacrifice, of desire and dispossession, of death and immortality—are but subsets of his central lifelong concern with the nature of time and timelessness. In both books Flieger has shown us a darker, less cheering Tolkien than many of his Christian apologists have acknowledged. Here again she is right: Tolkien was a man whose faith was shadowed and doubt-filled, and whose fiction thus counsels a sad joyfulness as the most that we can hope for this side of eternity.”**<sup>10</sup>

Understanding the difference between the classical thinking where the emphasis is on principle and character, plus good taste, restraint, and clarity to the opposing idea is important. The romantic style was similar to the change agents of our day. A present romantic style would represent those that want to rewrite our history, change our value system, and impose a system of their own. An English dictionary, first published in 1901, described the romantic mind set as following, “inclining towards, or savouring of, romance, fictitious, extravagant, wild: fantastic.”<sup>11</sup>

Jesus told us that people loved darkness rather than light. John 3:19-21, “And this is the condemnation, that light is come into the world, and men loved darkness

rather than light, because their deeds were evil. 20 For everyone that doeth evil hateth the light, neither cometh to the light, lest his deeds should be reproved. 21 But he that doeth truth cometh to the light, that his deeds may be made manifest, that they are wrought in God.”

## **REINCARNATION & DOOM**

Tolkien’s view of life, death, and the absence of a happier nature certainly played a big part in his sad myths. A bookstore manager asked him if he had dealt too strongly on the metaphysical aspect. His answer reveals something of his theology. “Reincarnation” may be a bad theology (that surely, rather than metaphysics) as applied to Humanity . . . But I do not see how even in the Primary world any theologian or philosopher, unless very much better informed about the relation of spirit and body than I believe anyone to be, could deny the possibility of reincarnation as a mode of existence, prescribed for certain kinds of rational incarnate creatures.”

12

Reincarnation is the very opposite of eternal life and cannot be reconciled in the least. This kind of thinking is natural for a man that loved and enjoyed the myths of paganism. C. S. Lewis, deeply involved in the same mythological world, saw into the sad nature and writings of Tolkien and said that the Ring epic is embedded with “a profound melancholy.” Professor Wood joined in suggesting the same general consensus.

“The word ‘doom’ -- in its Anglo-Saxon meaning of damning judgment as well as final fate in ruin and death -- pulses like a funereal drumbeat throughout the entire work. Toward the end of Volume I, the elf Legolas offers a doom-centered vision of the world. It sounds very much like an elvish and Heraclitean version of entropy. “To find and lose, ” says Legolas, is the destiny “of those whose boat is on the running stream . . . The passing seasons are but ripples in the long stream. Yet beneath the Sun all things must wear to an end at last.” Though elves are so long-lived that they seem immortal to humans and hobbits, the tides of time will sweep even them away. There is a deeply pagan pessimism thus pervades all three of the *Ring* books.”<sup>13</sup> The Tolkien epic of the Ring falls terribly lacking of any semblance of the Christian hope, salvation, or eternal life. It is rather filled with the hopelessness of paganism and its dark future of judgment.

## **DISTORTED VIEW OF CHRISTIANITY**

Tolkien’s ideas were sadly lacking in contrast to the glorious truth of the infallible Word of God. He argued that “mythic tales grope toward the Hope which, in the story of Abraham and Isaac and Jacob and Jesus Christ, finally enters space and

time to become historical reality, God's own myth-made-fact."<sup>14</sup> It is marvelous indeed that no man has to read and follow the myths of paganism to find his way to the cross. Only a few Tolkien's or Lewis' would find such an idea satisfying.

The Book of Revelation is filled with these similar beasts, spirits, spells, and, in every case, they are shown to be the enemies of God and faith-filled mankind. Tolkien gave us nothing but a distorted view of Christianity all mixed up with the world of Satan, which is soon to be presented to this world as Satan's imitator of true religion. Reading the Book of Revelation would fill you with such hope and assurance that you will not need the lies of pagan myths to inspire your soul.

Most Americans do not believe in the supernatural, the Devil or Witchcraft. Even if they do believe in witchcraft, they do not believe that reading these witchcraft books can have any power over the child's spirit, mind or body! Unfortunately Teenage girls are showing marked interest in witchcraft. Statistics discloses about one hundred girls every month join covens to learn about casting spells . . . <sup>15</sup>

A distraught mother brought her thirteen-year-old daughter to the author seeking for help. We will call the girl Mary. She was slipping out of her window at night and going down into a very bad section of town. Some pimps took control of her. They got her hooked on crack drugs. Mary was dancing a topless bar.

Her mother found her and took her back into her home. The pimp called her mother and said, "you better return her to me. She is mine and if you don't return her, I'll work my powers of darkness on her.

This was a Christian family, faithfully attending church. The mother brought this child to me for deliverance. When I laid my hand upon the mother to pray for her, she immediately began to speak in a man's voice!

"What occult are you involve with," I asked?

"I'm a Christian," she replied. "I go to church every Sunday."

After probing this Christian mother further, she confessed that she had bought the **Harry Potter** books and read them to her children! Spiritual blindness is common in the American Christian churches because many ministers believe that they can ignore the rise of witchcraft powers in our country. They are also blinded to the fact that if a Christian steps onto the Devil's territory that they will have to pay the same price as an unbeliever. When you associate with Satan's powers, you'll become the loser. Meantime, our children are being exposed to these powers of darkness through music, books, peers, entertainment, movies and television. The church must wake up.

## **THE BUSHMAN AND THE SPIRITS**

### **Some people could never believe that demons exist.**

Even so, if they do exist, what could they possibly do in America? Most pastors never entertain the thought because they never received training in their local seminaries to prepare them to meet the great witchcraft revival in America. Our children are being captured and turned from their faith, right in front of our eyes! Still, many think the psychologists and psychiatrists may have the answers to their mental distresses. Much of these problems lies in the fact that we are not dealing with the flesh but the spirit. You cannot counsel an evil spirit. They must be driven out!

Barney Lacendre, a former witchdoctor, a bushman, tells the following story. "In the mid sixties a young Indian man in a northern village was suddenly stricken with severely crossed eyes. Both eyes were turned into such a degree that the pupils were barely visible. He needed help to walk about. He was sent outside to a hospital in Saskatoon, Saskatchewan, were for two months he puzzled twenty-two doctors by his unusual condition. Shortly after he returned to the village, his condition unchanged, he sat in our home and bitterly remarked, "I know who did this to me, and we're going to fix him "

The next time I saw him his eyes were perfectly normal and they are still straight today. Although I didn't get the story from him, another person in the village informed me that the young man and his stepfather had taken their guns to a certain man and threatened to shoot the occupant unless this hex was removed. <sup>16</sup>

Another man of this same village told me about getting up morning after morning with both his legs and hips beaten black and blue by spirit forces set in motion by a hex that had been put on him by a man sixty miles away in another village.<sup>17</sup>

### **POWERS OF REBELLION**

Many are turning so rebelliously, that no one can guide, control or lead them into a more productive lifestyle. Their minds are darkened while flesh and spirits are captured. **Christian parents are excessively trusting the Christian media, bookstores, magazines, music.** The perusal of their children's toys and materials are ineffective because they have confidence in everything that declares itself "Christian." Infidel men have been elected President of the United States by proclaiming that they are "born again." No one ever checks to see if it is true. Many Christian leaders do not understand the great religious attack against the Body of Christ.

It is every parent's responsibility to raise their children for God. "Train up a child in the way he should go: and when he is old, he will not depart from it," (Prov. 22:6).

The Bible speaks of the danger of ignorance in God's people (Hos. 4:6) and how risky it is even to bring things God classifies as abomination into our homes (Deut. 7: 25,26). Unfortunately, our generation is so ignorant of God's Word that it has been quite simple for Satan to attack us, almost at will.

Christian children are telling their parents that they no longer want to attend church. Most parents do not have a clue concerning the children's adventures down the highway of darkness. They do not realize that Satan enters through the open doors of the mind. Many believe that fantasy, evil books can have no effect upon the spiritual lives of their children. When their children totally drop away from Jesus and their Christian values, then, in many cases, finding freedom, will be practically impossible. Once Satan has been invited in, he has to be kicked out!

Parents will find that Jesus Christ is faithful when they depend on Him and raise their children according to His word. "... Thou shalt know that I am Lord: For they shall not be ashamed that wait on Me. Shall the prey be taken from the mighty, or the lawful captive delivered? But thus saith Yahweh, even the captives of the mighty shall be taken away, and the prey of the terrible shall be delivered: for I will contend with him that contendeth with thee, and I will save thy children," (Isa. 49:23-25). Jesus Christ, as presented by the Father and Jesus' testimony is according to the Word, "And Jesus came and spake unto them, saying, All power is given to me in heaven and in earth . . ." (Matt. 28:18). He is revealed as Deity with absolute sovereignty and authority for eternity.

You and your children must want help to receive help. Let your pride go and humble yourself before the Lord. You must be honest with yourself that you need help. Then you have to be completely honest with Jesus and the minister that He chooses to minister to you. You will have to become a sincere worshiper of Jesus Christ, (Jn. 4:23). This means that you should be ready to change your lifestyle. "I tell you, Nay: but, except ye repent, ye shall all likewise perish," (Lk. 13:3).

Free to explore the practices God calls evil, children and teens are flocking to pagan groups and web sites for practical lessons in spells and self-empowerment. Some start Wiccan covens in their high schools. God's wise warnings are all but forgotten: "Abhor what is evil. Cling to what is good," (Rom. 12:9).

Other occult practices: reflexology, palm reading, acupuncture and acupressure, "games" such as the Ouija board, Kabala, 8-ball, Dungeons & Dragons (used for advanced training of witches). Taro cards, psychometry (divination by objects), astral projection, Eckankar, out-of-body travel, seances, spirit guides or counselors, Edgar Cayce, Jean Dixon, Mind Control, witchcraft, extra sensory perception, hypnosis,

metaphysics, Transcendental meditation, reincarnation, false religions, spiritualism, Drugs, street drugs, tranquilizers, pain relievers, etc., both prescriptions and illegal drugs, yoga, incense, rock music, Pendulum swinging, false cults, automatic handwriting analysis, pierced earrings, horoscopes, signs of Zodiac, astrology, birth stones, voodoo, all kinds of magic, levitation, ventriloquism. Table tipping, water witching (dowing or divining, also used to find other things), tea leaf reading, secret organizations (Masons, blood brothers, fraternities, etc.). Crystal ball, phrenology (fortune-telling by bumps on the head), dolls, etc.<sup>18</sup>

The above is just a partial list of occult activities. Every Saturday morning a great catamenia of witchcraft is taught to our children. Parents use television as a baby sitter and have given their children absolute freedom to watch those witchcraft-filled cartoons. The children are receiving a steady diet magic and witchcraft. Many parents believe it is just a cartoon and is harmless. However, these witchcraft cartoons can be a very powerful entrance into the spirit realms. Devils will come and visit the children in their dreams. The author has ministered to many children who have been visited by demons that they received from movies and television. Many of these children acquired a spirit guide at early ages and these devils led them into becoming witches and Satanists when they grew up!

### **WITCHCRAFT AND BAAL WORSHIP-MOLECH**

Why are people willingly offering their children to these witchcraft powers to be sacrificed on the altar of Satan? Molech the god of children's sacrifice is busy gaining souls for his kingdom as the idle Church sits back without a peep of resistance?

Listen to the Word of the Lord through the prophet Jeremiah, "And they built the high places of Baal, which are the valley of the son of Himnon, to cause their sons and daughters to pass through the fire unto Molech; which I commanded them not, neither came it into my mind, that they should do this abomination, to cause Judah to sin," (Jer.32:35).

My God, are these demonic books, television shows and movies dedicated to the god Molech?

Molech is the god of children's sacrifice. Israel sacrificed their children in the Old Testament. Remember, these were people who once followed and served God Jehovah. However they turned after another false god Molech.

At another place the Lord specifically commanded, "Thou shalt not let any of thy seed pass through the fire to Molech, neither shalt thou profane the name of thy God: I am the Lord," (Lev.18: 22) also (Lev.20: 1-5).

Now, obviously what is being spoken of is a particularly vile form of child sacrifice. Are we sacrificing our children at the altars of Molech? Molech was a god of the Ammonites, and his idol was metal and heated up by flames within. The child was placed in the idol's red-hot arms and one hesitates to even imagine the result. The Hebrews were forbidden by God to do this. <sup>19</sup>

Yet, unthinkable as it sounds, the Israelites persistently fell into this precise sort of idolatry! They were so beguiled by the exquisite-sounding promises of the priests of Baal and Molech that they willingly passed their sweet children through the fires; in spite of the repeated warnings of the prophets! Even the wise Solomon, and one of the "patron saints" of Masonry built an altar to this god, (1 Kin. 11:1-8).

Christian parents and pastors have to learn to recognize what Satan wants to teach their children. Spiritual sacrifice of children is occurring at the hands of parents who are ignorant of the powers of darkness. The children have to become knowledgeable in the occult teachings that the New Age wants to bring on the world than they know about the Bible and Jesus. Parents, grandparents, educators and pastors need to discern the spirit of the times, walk in the light, repel the darkness and take a well-informed stand for God's truth in our day.

1. P. O. Box 56527
2. Jacksonville, FL 32241
3. (904) 733-8318

#### Bibliography

- Alexander Bruce in *The Expositor's Greek New Testament* (Vol. 1.  
Arditti, M. "A Pagan Vision," Gay Times. March, 1996.

Atkinson, D. "Begging to Differ," *Third Way*. vol.18, no.10, Dec. 1995.

*Battling the Host of Hell*, Win Worley

(Bewitched by Harry Potter," article written by Berit Kjos)

Breaking the Generational Curses by Marilyn Hickey

Boswell, J. *Christianity, Social Tolerance, and Homosexuality*. Chicago: University of Chicago Press, 1980.

Calver, C., and Meadows, P. *Living on the Edge*, Spring Harvest seminar notes. Sussex: Spring Harvest, 1993.

Catholic Encyclopedia

Christian Ethics. Grand Rapids: Baker Book House, 1993.

*Conquering the Hosts of Hell; Demolishing the Hosts of Hell;*

Cutting Edge Ministries, 11 Robert Toner Blvd., Ste 5-393, North Attleboro, MA 02763-1156.

Countryman, L. W. *Dirt, Greed & Sex*. London: SCM, 1989.

Curses and Blessing, Derek Prince

Deeper Life Ministries, PO Box 45930, B .R., La., 70095

Defeated Enemies, Corrie Ten Boom. *Christian Literature Crusade*, Fort Washington, Pennsylvania, 19034.

*Deliverance Manual*, Gene and Earline Moody, Deliverance Ministries 9852 Hillyard Avenue, Baton Rouge, La. 70809,

*Destroying the Works of Witchcraft Through Fasting* , Ruth Brown, Impact Christian B Books, Inc. 332 Leffingwell, Suite 101, Kirkwood, Mo. 63122.

Evicting Demonic Squatters & Breaking Bondages, Noel and Phyl Gibson

Eugene Goodman, *The Church that Jesus Built*, Turners Creek Baptist Church, Yadkinville, N. C.

Frazer, *The Golden Bough*

Glenna Henderson, *My Name is Legion*, Bethany Fellowship, Min. Min.

Gene Moody- article on DEMONBUSTERS.COM

*Christianity Today*

Hallett, M. *The 'Gay Church' Debate*.

"Harry Potter Takes Drugs," written by a anonymous physician and father.

#### Footnotes

1.(Ravaged By The New Age - Satan's Plan To Destroy Our Kids)

2. Pat Holliday, *Never Neverland*, web site: <http://www.patholliday.com>

3. Ibid