

God, Man, and Satan

Monday 3/15**Isa. 14:12-14**

12 How you have fallen from heaven, O Daystar, son of the dawn! How you have been hewn down to earth, You who made nations fall prostrate!

13 But you, you said in your heart: I will ascend to heaven; Above the stars of God I will exalt my throne. And I will sit upon the mount of assembly In the uttermost parts of the north.

14 I will ascend above the heights of the clouds; I will make myself like the Most High.

1 Peter 5:5-6, 8-9

5 In like manner, younger men, be subject to elders; and all of you gird yourselves with humility toward one another, because God resists the proud but gives grace to the humble.

6 Therefore be humbled under the mighty hand of God that He may exalt you in due time,

8 Be sober; watch. Your adversary, the devil, as a roaring lion, walks about, seeking someone to devour.

9 Him withstand, being firm in your faith, knowing that the same sufferings are being accomplished among your brotherhood in the world.

Phil. 2:5-8 (7-8)

5 Let this mind be in you, which was also in Christ Jesus,

6 Who, existing in the form of God, did not consider being equal with God a treasure to be grasped,

7 But emptied Himself, taking the form of a slave, becoming in the likeness of men;

8 And being found in fashion as a man, He humbled Himself, becoming obedient even unto death, and that the death of a cross.

Further Reading: *HWMR Crystallization-Study of Job Proverbs Ecclesiastes - Week 2, Day 1*

Corporate Reading of “The Basic Revelation in the Holy Scriptures” Chapter 4 – Sections: *Sanctified Positionally; Justified; Reconciled to God; Regenerated*

Tuesday 3/16**Job 2:4-7**

4 Then Satan answered Jehovah and said, Skin for skin! Indeed all that a man has he will give for the sake of his life.

5 But stretch forth Your hand, and touch his bone and his flesh; and he will surely curse You to Your face.

6 And Jehovah said to Satan, Here he is, in your hand; only spare his life.

7 And Satan went forth from Jehovah's presence and struck Job with severe boils from the sole of his foot to the crown of his head.

Job 1:6-8

6 Then one day, when the sons of God came to present themselves before Jehovah, Satan also came among them.

7 And Jehovah said to Satan, Where have you come from? And Satan answered Jehovah and said, From roving the earth and going about in it.

8 And Jehovah said to Satan, Have you considered My servant Job? For there is none like him on the earth, a perfect and upright man, who fears God and turns away from evil.

Luke 22:31-32

31 Simon, Simon, behold, Satan has asked to have you all to sift you as wheat.

32 But I have made petition concerning you that your faith would not fail; and you, once you have turned again, establish your brothers.

Further Reading: *HWMR Crystallization-Study of Job Proverbs Ecclesiastes - Week 2, Day 2*

Corporate Reading of “The Basic Revelation in the Holy Scriptures” Chapter 4 – Sections: *Baptized; Into the Name of the Father, the Son, and the Spirit; In the Spirit into the Body of Christ*

Wednesday 3/17**1 John 3:8**

8 He who practices sin is of the devil, because the devil has sinned from the beginning. For this purpose the Son of God was manifested, that He might destroy the works of the devil.

Heb. 2:14-16

14 Since therefore the children have shared in blood and flesh, He also Himself in like manner partook of the same, that through death He might destroy him who has the might of death, that is, the devil,

15 And might release those who because of the fear of death through all their life were held in slavery.

16 For assuredly it is not to angels that He gives help, but He gives help to the seed of Abraham.

Col. 2:6-7, 14-15

6 As therefore you have received the Christ, Jesus the Lord, walk in Him,

7 Having been rooted and being built up in Him, and being established in the faith even as you were taught, abounding in thanksgiving.

14 Wiping out the handwriting in ordinances, which was against us, which was contrary to us; and He has taken it out of the way, nailing it to the cross.

15 Stripping off the rulers and the authorities, He made a display of them openly, triumphing over them in it.

John 12:31

31 Now is the judgment of this world; now shall the ruler of this world be cast out.

Further Reading: *HWMR Crystallization-Study of Job Proverbs Ecclesiastes - Week 2, Day 3*

Corporate Reading of “The Basic Revelation in the Holy Scriptures” Chapter 4 – Sections: *Indwelt By The Spirit And Drinking The Spirit; Living And Walking In The Mingled Spirit*

Thursday 3/18**Eph. 6:12**

12 For our wrestling is not against blood and flesh but against the rulers, against the authorities, against the world-rulers of this darkness, against the spiritual forces of evil in the heavenlies.

1 John 5:18

18 We know that everyone who is begotten of God does not sin, but he who has been begotten of God keeps himself, and the evil one does not touch him.

2 Tim. 4:22

22 The Lord be with your spirit. Grace be with you.

2 Cor. 2:11

11 That we may not be taken advantage of by Satan, for we are not ignorant of his schemes.

Eph. 6:10-11, 13-16, 18

10 Finally, be empowered in the Lord and in the might of His strength.

11 Put on the whole armor of God that you may be able to stand against the stratagems of the devil,

13 Therefore take up the whole armor of God that you may be able to withstand in the evil day, and having done all, to stand.

14 Stand therefore, having girded your loins with truth and having put on the breastplate of righteousness

15 And having shod your feet with the firm foundation of the gospel of peace;

16 Besides all these, having taken up the shield of faith, with which you will be able to quench all the flaming darts of the evil one.

18 By means of all prayer and petition, praying at every time in spirit and watching unto this in all perseverance and petition concerning all the saints,

Further Reading: *HWMR Crystallization-Study of Job Proverbs Ecclesiastes - Week 2, Day 4*

Corporate Reading of “The Basic Revelation in the Holy Scriptures” Chapter 4 – Sections: *Growing In The Divine Life And Being Built Up; Being Transformed In The Soul; Being Sanctified Experientially; To Be Transfigured In Our Body; Conformed To Christ*

Friday 3/19

Rom. 16:20

20 Now the God of peace will crush Satan under your feet shortly. The grace of our Lord Jesus be with you.

Rom. 12:5

5 So we who are many are one body in Christ, and individually members one of another.

Rom. 16:1, 4, 20

1 I commend to you Phoebe our sister, who is a deaconess of the church which is in Cenchrea,

4 Who risked their own necks for my life, to whom not only I give thanks, but also all the churches of the Gentiles;

20 Now the God of peace will crush Satan under your feet shortly. The grace of our Lord Jesus be with you.

Rom. 12:5

5 So we who are many are one body in Christ, and individually members one of another.

Rom. 6:19, 22

19 I speak in human terms because of the weakness of your flesh. For just as you presented your members as slaves to uncleanness and lawlessness unto lawlessness, so now present your members as slaves to righteousness unto sanctification.

22 But now, having been freed from sin and enslaved to God, you have your fruit unto sanctification, and the end, eternal life.

Rom. 8:6

6 For the mind set on the flesh is death, but the mind set on the spirit is life and peace.

Phil. 4:7

7 And the peace of God, which surpasses every man's understanding, will guard your hearts and your thoughts in Christ Jesus.

Rom. 8:28-29

28 And we know that all things work together for good to those who love God, to those who are called according to His purpose.

29 Because those whom He foreknew, He also predestinated to be conformed to the image of His Son, that He might be the Firstborn among many brothers;

Further Reading: *HWMR Crystallization-Study of Job Proverbs Ecclesiastes - Week 2, Day 5*

Corporate Reading of “The Basic Revelation in the Holy Scriptures” Chapter 4 – Sections: *Glorified; The Way To Enjoy Christ*

Saturday 3/20

Rev. 12:5, 11, 6-10, 12

5 And she brought forth a son, a man-child, who is to shepherd all the nations with an iron rod; and her child was caught up to God and to His throne.

11 And they overcame him because of the blood of the Lamb and because of the word of their testimony, and they loved not their soul-life even unto death.

6 And the woman fled into the wilderness, where she has a place there prepared by God so that they might nourish her there a thousand two hundred and sixty days.

7 And there was war in heaven: Michael and his angels went to war with the dragon. And the dragon warred and his angels.

8 And they did not prevail, neither was their place found any longer in heaven.

9 And the great dragon was cast down, the ancient serpent, he who is called the Devil and Satan, he who deceives the whole inhabited earth; he was cast to the earth, and his angels were cast down with him.

10 And I heard a loud voice in heaven saying, Now has come the salvation and the power and the kingdom of our God and the authority of His Christ, for the accuser of our brothers has been cast down, who accuses them before our God day and night.

12 Therefore be glad, O heavens and those who dwell in them. Woe to the earth and the sea because the devil has come down to you and has great rage, knowing that he has only a short time.

2 Cor. 5:14-15

14 For the love of Christ constrains us because we have judged this, that One died for all, therefore all died;

15 And He died for all that those who live may no longer live to themselves but to Him who died for them and has been raised.

Further Reading: *HWMR Crystallization-Study of Job Proverbs Ecclesiastes - Week 2, Day 6*
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Lord's Day 3/21

Mark 8:34-35

34 And He called the crowd to Him with His disciples and said to them, If anyone wants to follow after Me, let him deny himself and take up his cross and follow Me.

35 For whoever wants to save his soul-life shall lose it; but whoever will lose his soul-life for My sake and the gospel's shall save it.

John 12:31

31 Now is the judgment of this world; now shall the ruler of this world be cast out.

Rom. 3:25

25 Whom God set forth as a propitiation place through faith in His blood, for the demonstrating of His righteousness, in that in His forbearance God passed over the sins that had previously occurred,

1 Cor. 6:17

17 But he who is joined to the Lord is one spirit.

Gal. 5:16-17

16 But I say, Walk by the Spirit and you shall by no means fulfill the lust of the flesh.

17 For the flesh lusts against the Spirit, and the Spirit against the flesh; for these oppose each other that you would not do the things that you desire.

1 Pet. 5:8-9

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1 John 1:7

7 But if we walk in the light as He is in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus His Son cleanses us from every sin.

Further Reading

Life-Study of Job, msgs. 2-3

Life-Study of Romans, msgs. 30, 49

CWWL, 1959, vol. 3, “Ten Lines in the Bible”, ch. 10