

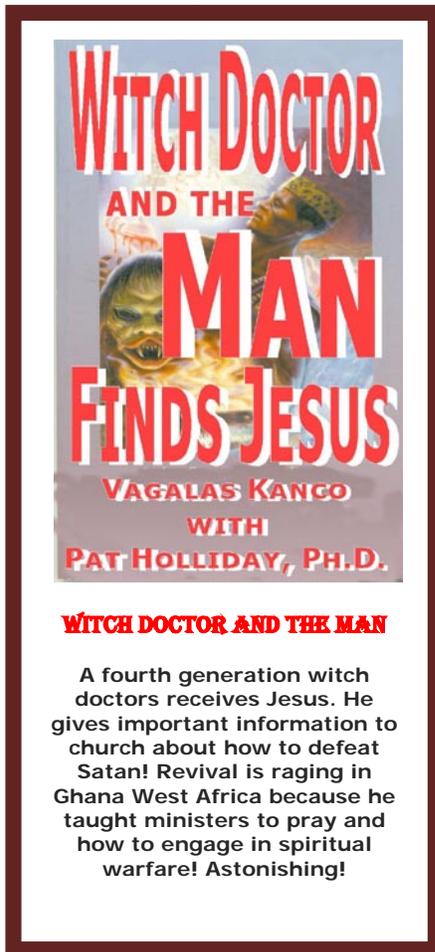
MIRACLE DELIVERANCE

POWER OF PAGAN NAMES AND CHRISTIAN NAMES

FROM HIS WORD! ~ PAT HOLLIDAY, PH. D.

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There are only two sources for supernatural power: Jesus Christ or Satan



Derek Prince says that “Witchcraft is the universal, primeval religion of fallen humanity. When the human race turned from God in rebellion, the power that moved in was witchcraft. As the Bible says, *“Rebellion is as the sin of witchcraft”* (1 Sam. 15:23).¹ Prince goes on to say, “There are four levels of Modern Witchcraft. The Westernized, “modern” practice of witchcraft contains the same elements . . . 1. Open, public. “Respectable” 2. Underground” covens. 3. Fifth Column, disguised with society and the Church. 4. A Work of the flesh.”¹

The Body of Christ is facing the most horrendous, Satanic and demonic greater confrontation than at any other time in history. It will be a time of intensified spiritual warfare where demons will manifest themselves and will fight in direct confrontation with God’s people. The Lord Jesus told us in (Matt. 10:22), **“And ye shall be hated of all men for. My name’s sake: but he that endureth to the end shall be saved.”** And then in (Matt. 6:33), **He said, “But seek ye first the kingdom of God, and His righteousness . . .”**

It may be true that some Christians do not know that they are supporting witchcraft. Many have believed that by ignoring the Devil will make him disappear. The biggest problem in the Western Church is that they do not take the powers of witchcraft seriously. Christians generally believe that it is not real or just fantasy and make belief. Others believe that if witches and wizards were real with

demonic powers, it could not have any effect upon them because they are Christians. Actually, they are right. Witchcraft can only have power over a Christian only if he or she has open doors. The problem is that we see so many churches that have fallen away from Jesus. These are doors of sin in their lives or doorways of stepping onto Satan’s territory. Witchcraft is Satan’s territory.

When I was a child, at my confirmation ceremony, I remember the Church gave me a new “Christian name”. Of course I did not understand why they did that but now I know they did it for a spiritual purpose; to change me from one ethos kingdom to the kingdom of the church.

¹ Ibid, Derek Prince, p 129

I have ministered in the deliverance ministry for more than 30 years and I have delivered both witches and wizards from the powers of the devil. They all testified that they were required to take a new pagan name when they were initiated into their dark religion.

Pagan Africans all testify about changing their names when they become Christians. For instance, Bishop Vagalas Kanco testifies in his book *"The Witchdoctor and the Man,"* he says that God changed his name to Samuel.²

The Bible bear witness that Nebuchadnezzar king of Babylon changes the names of the children of Israel and of the king's seed, and of the princes. This was done to change the religion and way of life of God's people; the pagan king had to change their names and customs to turn them to their gods.

Dan 1:4

"Children in whom was no blemish, but well favoured, and skilful in all wisdom, and cunning in knowledge, and understanding science, and such as had ability in them to stand in the king's palace, and whom they might teach the learning and the tongue of the Chaldeans," KJV

They wanted the "Kings' seed" the best of the group, to train them in the occult science as slaves to serve their gods. They destroyed their temple, the holy vassals that were in the temple.

Dan 1:6-8

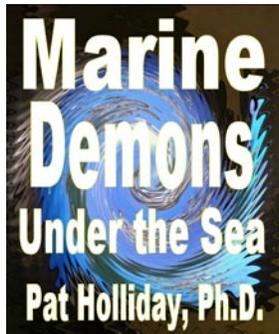
"Now among these were of the children of Judah, Daniel, Hananiah, Mishael, and Azariah: 7 Unto whom the prince of the eunuchs gave names: for he gave unto Daniel the name of Belteshazzar; and to Hananiah, of Shadrach; and to Mishael, of Meshach; and to Azariah, of Abed-nego. Daniel 1:7

[Unto whom the prince of the eunuchs gave names] **This change of names, Calmet properly remarks, was a mark of dominion and authority. It was customary for masters to impose new names upon their slaves; and rulers often, on their ascending the throne, assumed a name different from that which they had before.**

[For he gave unto Daniel the name of Belteshazzar] The name Belteshazzar BeelT-sha^otsar, Dan. 1:7 is compounded of two words, and means according to Gesenius, **"Bel's prince;"** that is, he whom **Bel favors. "Bel"** was the principal divinity worshipped at Babylon (Notes, Isa 46:1), and this name would, therefore, be likely to impress the youthful Daniel with the idea that he was a favorite of this divinity, and to attract him to his service. It was a flattering distinction that he was one of the favorites of the principal god worshipped in Babylon, and this was not improbably designed to turn his attention from the God whose name had been incorporated in his own. The giving of this name seemed to imply, in the apprehension of Nebuchadnezzar, that the spirit of the gods was in him on whom it was conferred. (See Dan 4:8-9).³

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Marine Demons Under the Sea
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The church needs spiritual information; here's some info that is important ... The City Under the Sea is real. As a matter of fact, there are cities under the sea around the world! I've heard testimonies about Scotland, Canada, Bermuda, Jamaica, East Africa, West Africa, South Africa and America. I know that the western church will not receive or believe the spiritual reality of these spirits. Unfortunately, many "Civilized" Christians don't even believe in Satan or demons. In America, if they believe in demons, they think they reside in the heathen - pagan lands. Most preachers and teachers teach, "Christians can't have demons." And that's it ... the end of the subject.

Meanwhile, Christian people are being tormented around the world and cannot find relief. Countries, Cities, Churches and families are bound, an African called me from another state and said, "I'm going to return to Nigeria because I cannot find a minister that understands that I'm under demonic bondage and can't get free from the demons." Another woman called me saying that she is under demonic oppression and can't find help. A mother brought her seven year- old son that was totally demon possessed. He was being molested by a priest. A different woman brought her thirteen-year-old daughter to me demon possessed. The girl was slipping out the window at night and had connected to pimps. She was dancing in a topless bar! When her mother found her and took her to her father's home, she received a call from the pimp. He said, "You better bring her back to us, she belongs to us. If you don't bring her back, I'm going to release my powers of darkness over you and believe me, you will die!"

Pastor, what are you doing with Christians such as this?

DANIEL

signifies "God is my Judge." This name they changed to honor their gods

BEELT-SHA^oTSAR

; in Chaldee, "The treasure of Bel," or "The despository of the secrets (or treasure) of Bel."

CH-NANYAAH

signifies, "The Lord has been gracious to me;" or "He to whom the Lord is gracious." Daniel 1:7

Hananiah" ch-nanyaah

means, "whom Jehovah has graciously given," and is the same with Ananias (Greek, Ananias), and would serve to remind its possessor of the name of "Jehovah," and of his mercy.⁴

This name was changed into SHADRAK

Chaldee, which has been variously translated: "The inspiration of the sun;" "God, the author of evil, be propitious to us;" "Let God preserve us from evil."

Shadrak

, according to Lorschach, means "young friend of the king;" according to Bohlen, it means "rejoicing in the way," and this last signification is the one which Gesenius prefers. In either signification it would contribute to a forgetfulness of the interesting significancy of the former name, and tend to obliterate the remembrance of the early training in the service of Jehovah.⁵

MIYSHAA^oEEL

, signifies, "He who comes from God."

"Mishael"

Miyshaa^oeel

means, "who is what God is?" -from miy "who," - sha - "what," and ^oEel "God." It would thus be a remembrancer of the greatness of God; of his supremacy over all his creatures, and of his "incomparable" exaltation over the

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universe.⁶

MEEYSHAK

, which in Chaldee signifies, "**He who belongs to the goddess Sheshach,**" a celebrated deity of the Babylonians, mentioned by Jeremiah, Jer 25:26.

Meeyshak

is less known. The Persian word means "ovicula," a little sheep (Gesenius), but why this name was given we are not informed. Might it have been on account of his beauty, his gentleness, his lamb-like disposition? If so, nothing perhaps would be better fitted to turn away the thoughts from the great God and his service to himself.⁷

±AZARYAAH

means, "**whom Jehovah helps,**" from

±aazar

"to help," and

Yaah

, the same as "Jah" (a shortened form of Jehovah,

Yahweh

), This name, therefore, had a striking significancy, and would be a constant remembrancer of the true God, and of the value of his favor and protection. , which signifies "**The Lord is my Helper,**" they changed into

±ABEED-N-GO

, which in Chaldee is "**the servant of Nego,**" who was one of their divinities; by which **they meant** either the sun, or the morning star; whether Jupiter or Venus.

bed-nego

±Abeed-N-gow

means, "a servant of Nego," or perhaps of "Nebo" -

N-bow

. This word "Nebo," among the Chaldeans, probably denoted the planet Mercury. This planet was worshipped by them, and by the Arabs, as the celestial scribe or writer. See the notes at Isa 46:1. The Divine worship paid to this planet by the Chaldeans is attested, says Gesenius, by the many compound proper names of which this name forms a part; as Nebuchadnezzar, Nebushasban, and others mentioned in classic writers; as Nabonedus, Nabonassar, Nabonabus, etc. This change of name, therefore, was designed to denote a consecration to the service of this idol-god, and the change was eminently adapted to make him to whom it was given forget the true God, to whom, in earlier days, he had been devoted. It was only extraordinary grace which could have kept these youths in the paths of their early training, and in the faithful service of that God to whom they had been early consecrated, amidst the temptations by which they were now surrounded in a foreign land, and the influences which were employed to alienate them from the God of their fathers.⁸

The vicious pronunciation of this name should be carefully avoided; I mean that which lays the accent on the first syllable, and hurries to the end, without attending to the natural division of the word Abed-Nego.⁹

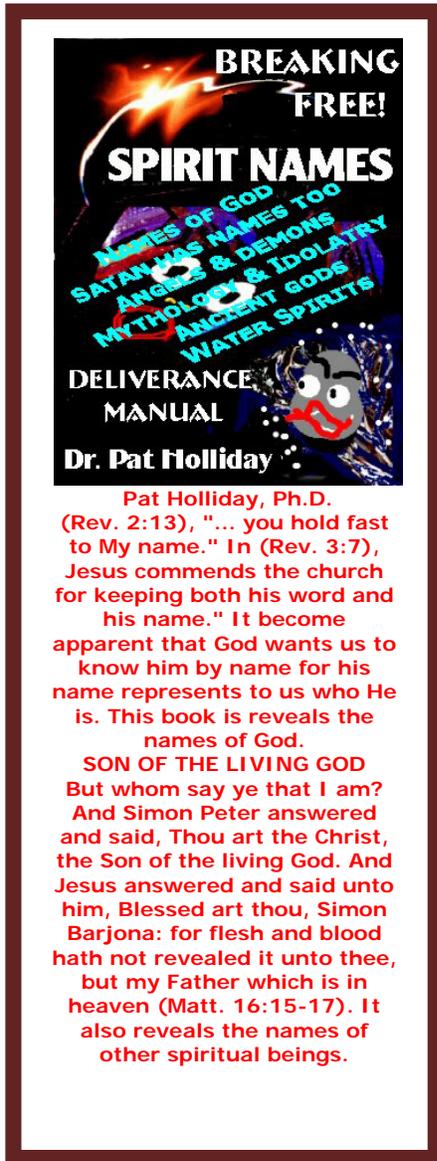
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This practice is common in Oriental courts. "The captive youths referred to in the notes on Dan 1:5, in the Turkish court also receive new names, that is, Mahometan names, their former names being Christian." It is "possible" that this changing of their names may have been designed to make them forget their country, and their religion, and to lead them more entirely to identify themselves with the people in whose service they were now to be employed, though nothing of this is intimated in the history. Such a change, it is easy to conceive, might do much to make them feel that they were identified with the people among whom they were adopted, and to make them forget the customs and opinions of their own country. It is a circumstance which may give some additional probability to this supposition, that it is quite a common thing now at missionary stations to give new names to the children who are taken into the boarding-schools, and especially the names of the Christian benefactors at whose expense they are supported. Compare the same general character, for this change of names may have been, that the name of the true God constituted a part of their own names, and that thus they were constantly reminded of him and his worship. In the new names given them, the appellation of some of the idols worshipped in Babylon was incorporated, and this might serve as remembrancers of the divinities to whose service it was doubtless the intention to win them.¹⁰



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 (Rev. 2:13), "... you hold fast to My name." In (Rev. 3:7), Jesus commends the church for keeping both his word and his name." It become apparent that God wants us to know him by name for his name represents to us who He is. This book is reveals the names of God.

SON OF THE LIVING GOD
 But whom say ye that I am?
 And Simon Peter answered and said, Thou art the Christ, the Son of the living God. And Jesus answered and said unto him, Blessed art thou, Simon Barjona: for flesh and blood hath not revealed it unto thee, but my Father which is in heaven (Matt. 16:15-17). It also reveals the names of other spiritual beings.

"But Daniel purposed in his heart that he would not defile himself with the portion of the king's meat, nor with the wine which he drank: therefore he requested of the prince of the eunuchs that he might not defile himself," (Daniel 1:8). KJV

Daniel made a heart decision for God.

THE IMPORTANCE OF IDOLATROUS NAMES

My friend from Nigeria, Pastor-Evangelist Michael T. Adenitire writes: God hates idolatry and if it remains unresolved, the enemy has a legal right to accuse and oppress. Combing the biblical principle of the visitation of the sins of the fathers on the children with clinical data from deliverance sessions, we observe a connection between genealogical sin and oppression in generations. Satan's goal is to perpetuate his strongholds.¹¹

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¹¹ Demonization Through Inheritance, Michael Adenitire from Nigeria, Milan, Italy

The signification of names according to Pastor Adenitire and their significance to their stature in the Bible. **“No longer shall your name be called Abram. But your name shall be called Abraham; For I will make you the father of multitude of nations,”** (Gen. 17:5). God wanted to expand his coast and territory. This shows that names have effect on a persons’ life. Then he explains how Satan adopts the same method of distributing evil from generation to generation.

Satan by guides leads cultures to adopt a demonic system of naming their children after their idols and gods. This practice will cause families to go on to agree with the demons to continue in the bloodlines for the habitation of demons. People give names according to their beliefs and circumstances surrounding the birth of their children. When they give names associated with family community idols, the person or place will become attached to the spirits lurking behind the idols.

These supernatural spirits will begin to work in the lives of the person dedicated to these strange gods and continue their work throughout the person’s life unless they receive deliverance. Evil spirits do not have good plans for their worshipers or their generations.

For instance, among the Yorubas in Nigeria, we have names such as *“Oguntimi”* (*ogun*-support me); *Oguna* (*Ogun*-makes the way for me); *Ogundimimu* (*Ogun*- sustains me); *Sangobyi* (*Sango* begat this); *Sangoniyi* (*Sanbgo* is honorable) . *Ogun* is the god of iron while *Sango* is the god of thunder according to *Yoruba* mythology).

Some families also have “praise titles” (*cognomen* which is after cert idol. This “praise title” binds the family together to the spirit of the family god.

Adenitire writes about a pastor that had been bound and chained in poverty through such “praise title”. He says, a certain pastor who had been poor and failed on several occasions went for deliverance. On research, it wWalas discovered that one of his family ‘praise title’ was *“omo aj’opo-iya-ma-ru.”* It means, “The child of the one who can suffer much and not be lean.” This past really suffered in life. He had to renounce this “praise title.” He broke the curse attached to him and started a better life.”⁴

Bishop Kanco shows insight concerning this matter. He says, ‘If a town, a village, a country is named after and idol, the spirit that is connected to the idol will bring every person in the area under its power! As far as the spirit is concerned, everyone is spiritually subjected to its power and under its domain. In such a way, that spirit will rule each person, unless spiritual eyes are opened by God to change the name of the area.’”

Testimony of Michael Adenitire from Nigeria

Pastor Adenitire gives personal testimony concerning his demonic birth name and its effect over his life even after he became a Christian. He joined an Evangelical church where he was water baptized by immersion in the Name of Father, the Son and Holy Spirit and was taking the Lord’s supper. His teacher believes that “Old things have passed away, behold all things have become new,” (automatically), and that believers have no need of deliverance, that he did not seek for deliverance.

Michael was born in October 25, 1955 to Mr. Ezekiel Olatimehin Adenitire and Victoria Ademola Adentire. His father was a polygamist with four wives and the mother was in the third position. Ezekiel was an idol worshiper of the god of iron-*ogun*. This must have given birth to the name *Ogunladenitire* which means “the god of Iron is honorable. Since *Ogun* has been removed from the name, it is now Adenitire which means “Royalty is honorable.”

Michael was born on the fortieth day of the death of the maternal grandfather. His father was informed through consultation with the medium that Michael was chosen to become the reincarnate of the grandfather and he would be a great child. Since his maternal grandfather was a high chief, he received high chief initiation, and then rituals were performed for him for seven days. He was given a name to show that he was the “reincarnated father.” The name given was *Babatunde* which means “the father has come back again.” The logical implication of this name was, the spirit that followed the old man had been reestablished through Michael because he was named in his memorial.

Another significant name that was given to Michael was *Accent*. According to Yoruba mythology, the name *Akin* means a brave hunter or a great warrior. Yoruba people fear anyone born into this idols’ *AKIN*’s family, *AKIN* himself is more fearful. Michael has since changed his name. Instead of *Accent* (meaning it is joyful to be a warrior.) Now it is *Taco* which means Joyful. (See Isa. 56:7; 55:12; Jn. 15:11; 17:13).

The idolatrous name *Accent* became the entry point of the spirit of pride. The rituals performed to initiate him into the high chieftaincy of the maternal grandfather were demonic. It brought the spirit of the dead man back into the bloodline through the boy and Michael was bound by the demons. Since there was no one to help deliver him, he did self-deliverance. The Bible says, “Whosoever shall call upon the name of the Lord shall be saved,” (Rom. 10:13; cf. Joel 2:32). After receiving deliverance, the Lord commissioned him to go into the entire world and deliver the oppressed and heal the sick. There have been abounding testimonies in his meetings. This has also led the author to do more research in this area so that his experience will not be based just on experiences and fantasy but the pure word of God.

The two cases of people to illustrate the demonization of believe through the evil in the bloodline are shown through the following examples.

Case I: Felly Ade (*nee Obluboyo*).

Sister Felly was born in Oluboyo’s family and later became born again. She is a highly devoted believer and highly respected in her local church. The name *Oluboyo* has the root of idol of masquerade worship in her family. This idol is always celebrated in October. When the celebration time is approaching all those with the family, whether they are at home or abroad must be dreaming about this demon behind the masquerade appearing to them. This is to keep them aware that the time for them to reaffirm the cotenant of their forefather is approaching. All children born within the family must be formerly dedicated to this idol whether they are present or not, the dedication ceremony will be performed.

It is during this dedication ceremony, if a girl will be formerly being given to a spirit husband and if male, will take over the spirit of polygamy within the family.

After Felly had given her life to the Lord Jesus Christ, she had her second pregnancy that her spirit husband appeared to her and told her that the time for her to come back home to die. The spirit told her that she must be willing to come back when she is about to deliver her baby. Shocked and surprised, she wondered how a born again Christian could still experience the old spirit companion. After Michael explained this spiritual experience to her, Felly accepted deliverance. She had to renounce the covenant with the family and the spirit husband. Those ties were broken in the name of Jesus and God freed her from these ancestral spirits. (Jn. 8:32,326). God set her free and she became free indeed.

Case # 2

Another Lady who will be called Maggie had been married for sixteen years without a being able to become pregnant. During counseling, she said that her aunt and her daughter had the same problem... "How could the spirit of bareness from your father's junior sister have legal ground in your life? Michael asked her. She replied that when her aunt was having her second pregnancy, Maggie's father compelled her junior sister (Maggie's aunt) to abort the baby. She consented and aborted the child. The blood of the child opened the door on both sides; Maggie's father's line and her auntie's line for the spirit of bareness and all those within those bloodlines were held captives by the Spirit.

Maggie acknowledged this wickedness before God, repented before God on behalf of the father who was the principal actor in the shedding of the innocent blood, (Gen. 12:9; cf. Prov. 6:16, 17). The Lord delivered Maggie from this generational curse.

SPIRITUAL DISCERNMENT

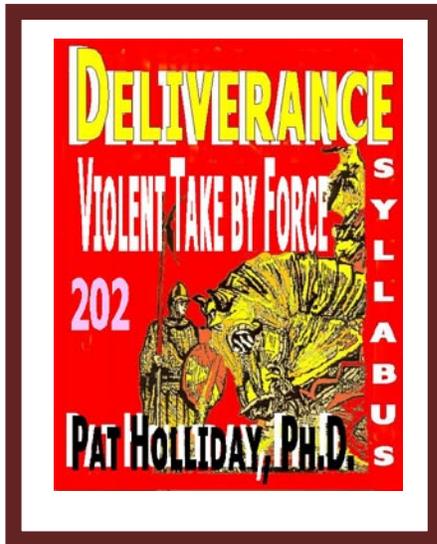
A great man of God, Howard Carter, said: "If one was informed about a spirit but had no vision of the spirit, he would not discern it. but, by the discerning of a spirit we see beyond the sphere for which we have been created since we are a natural being. The discerning of spirit is only by the revelation of the Holy Spirit that we can perceive the things that live in the spirit world."

The Church, in many instances has no spiritual discernment. Many believe if you ignore the Devil, or if you don't believe in him, he can have no effect over you "because you are a Christian. Wrong . . . Dead wrong. The Christian Church is being taken over by deceivers who are using mind control and eastern religious techniques. It is truly the case of the blind leading the blind.

The New Testament was written for the believer. It shows a definite spiritual warfare of defense for the Christian. "Submit yourselves therefore to God. Resist the devil, and he will flee from you. 8 Draw nigh to God, and he will draw nigh to you. Cleanse your hands, ye sinners; and purify your hearts, ye double minded," (Jam. 4:7-8).

SATAN'S AGENTS JEZEBEL SPIRIT IS OPERATING

Witchcraft has entered the American Churches in many manifestations and forms. Many leaders do not discern it because they mainly do not believe that witchcraft even exists! It is time that the



Church shakes itself out of the spiritual stupor that it finds itself. The Church is so fragmented; it seems that Satan's army is forging ahead with his well-organized plan to bring the entire world into rebellion against God! Better homes and garden Christianity is everywhere. At the same time, many are living in deep sin but still go to church every Sunday and dance and praise the Lord.

Recently we had a man come to our church. He was being tormented by evil spirits. "It feels like razor blades cutting my stomach." The author spoke about the spirit of Jezebel operating in churches. I'll call this man "Mitch." After the meeting, Mitch came up for prayer.

"You have just described my girl friend. When we first started dating, we kept our relationship pure. Soon we became engaged and fell into sexual sin. She asked me to move into her house at the beach. Our relationship has lasted for a year. I loved her very much but last week she told me that she was bored and tired of me. She kicked me out."

Mitch went on to say, "I am the music minister in the church and the preacher is having affairs with three different women. We sing and praise the Lord for about 2 ½ hours. There is not enough Word of God being preached to convict us.

The author explained to Mitch that if he would repent, I could deliver him from these sexual spirits. He blinked his eyes and stood on one foot then the other. He said, "Well, let me go back and see if she's still in the Church."

Mitch has never returned for deliverance and freedom from these spirits.

The spirit of Jezebel is operating over the country in many churches. The New Testament describes this type of woman in the church. "Notwithstanding I have a few things against thee, because thou sufferest that woman Jezebel, which calleth herself a prophetess, to teach and to seduce my servants to commit fornication, and to eat things sacrificed unto idols. 21 And I gave her space to repent of her fornication; and she repented not. 22 Behold, I will cast her into a bed, and them that commit adultery with her into great tribulation, except they repent of their deeds. 23 And I will kill her children with death; and all the churches shall know that I am he which searcheth the reins and hearts: and I will give unto every one of you according to your works," (Rev. 2:20-23).

In the book, *Witch Doctor and the Man*, the author wrote about how these Jezebel are used by the Devil as his agents in Africa.¹²

"When indulging in witchcraft, I was an absolute spiritual slave," said Bishop Kanco. "The agents that live mostly in the sea are ardent haters of Christianity. They will go to great lengths

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to war against the Church of Jesus Christ. Believers are the targets. Guru had venomous hatred for God and His people. He told us that the reason that he hated God was because he drove him out of his place. His hatred seems to saturate us with the same spirit. He was hungry for souls and our jobs were to get them for him.”

Former witches and wizards have given many testimonies that they are taught to go into Christian churches and pretend to be Christians so that they can destroy the ministry. I know for a fact that Satan will lead a person into the church of Jesus Christ for the sole purpose of destroying the leadership.

Kanco goes on to say, “Our targets were to seek out sincere Christians to tempt them to sin. He vocalized that hypocrites were already subjects of his kingdom and how they are used to make weak Christians fall. He continued to instruct us that we should only fight born again Christians because all the other people in the world belonged to him! The name of Jesus was never mentioned in this underwater city.”

Bishop Kanco reveals to the Christian Church exactly how they are sent, as agents, to tempt Christians to fall and return to the Satan. He says, “In the demonic world, the very day that a Christian gives his or her life to Jesus as Lord and Savior, the demons mark the first day of the fifty-two days — they have seven times in a cycle which is fifty two days after fifty-two days, then they will form another cycle and will release two demons and about two hundred or three hundred evil spirits to track that person. In the beginning when the person accepts Jesus, they are so zealous and on fire. The demons will not come near because the person is so powerful.

After a time, these demons will begin to recall the person’s past. When they want to read the Word, they speak to his/her mind, the sins that they loved. If a person is a smoker and has not stopped a dooper and has not stopped, the demons will use these open spiritual doors to draw him back. They will distract the person and stir up his flesh to desire every sin of the past again. If a person has not gone through deliverance, the sins of the flesh still control him. Then the demons will work to draw him back.

Later on, they will just trail the person for five, ten years. Because the Christian was previously with the devil, he knows them. He will begin to dwell on their past by projecting these images upon their minds or in their dreams. The demons cannot get the Christian for the first five years, but at six years, they began to work against the person’s zeal. They will use little demons to bring to the people’s self-esteem, laziness, and coldness toward attending church. The demons have time. They will work these little things gradually. If the Christian accepts the demon’s idea into their minds, soon the demons will be able to lead them away from God.”¹³

Bishop Kanco went on to say, “We can see that the Devil does inspire false signs and wonders and false prophecies in the Church. Since the Devil desires to control people’s lives, he finds willing human agents who are filled with ambition for power to do his work. Then he sows his agents in the Church of Jesus Christ. Also, he has millions in the world that he uses to work evil powers, such as hexes, spells and animal and human blood sacrifices against the Church. Believe

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me, if a Christian Church or an individual Christian has an open door through hidden sin, these powers of destruction will be successful. His infiltrators that are sown in the church will usurp the authority of leadership and work in the background to catch people in a web of deceit. The Bible clearly shows these bewitching people serve other gods, and work with seducing spirits.¹⁴

Let us look at (I Tim. 4:1-3). “Now the Spirit speaketh expressly that in the latter times some shall depart from the faith, giving heed to seducing spirits, and doctrines of devils; Speaking lies in hypocrisy; having their conscience seared with a hot iron; Forbidding to marry, and commanding to abstain from meats, which God hath created to be received with Thanksgiving of them which believe and know the truth.”

Remember this; Satan is helpless with his destructive powers unless there are open doors of sin that put a person in agreement with his power. His agents work through sensational attractions and fascinations by false prophets, false signs and wonders, etc., (Mk. 13:22). People who are drawn away from the truth are shown to have seared consciences, (I Tim. 4:1), deceived, (I Jn. 2: 18, 26; II Tim. 3:13); fascination to evil ways, objects, or persons, (Prov. 12:25) and/or seduced, enticed, (I Tim. 4:1, 2; 2 Tim. 3:13).¹⁵

The means of seduction are his agents’ use spirits of divination, psychology, New Age religions and sexual sins of adultery, fornication, pornography. This is worked through people who are inspired by the spirit of the Antichrist by their hunger for personal ambition. I have experience working in this invisible world of demons as one of his agents using Satan’s power. I remember how the powers and principalities operate with their underlings.¹⁶

The Bishop says that female agents are sent into churches to lead men into adultery. He tells us, “In my country, once a person becomes born again, they hardly ever return to their sin life. The reason is that the leadership of the church really goes after them if they backslide. Another matter, if a Christian backslides in Africa, they are open to strong-serious demonic attack by the witches and wizards. These evil agents quickly rush in and try to kill them before they can repent. First they will tempt him or her to do wrong. As the cold Christian obeys, he or she becomes open for a spirit to enter and take control.”

Kanco goes on to say, “Secondly, if the sin is continually indulged in after professed conversion, not repented, such a person is wide open to demonic oppression in its many forms. In this way, Satan’s agents (witches and wizards) can see their spiritual condition and quickly move to take control. Christians are generally blind concerning the gift of discerning of spirits. In other words, spiritual discerning of spirits is needed to help protect these weak people. Moreover, we try to bring them to repentance. It is very dangerous and delusional to think Satan’s demons adopt hands off policy to believers. In fact, they can affect and afflict believers. They buffet them, oppose and seek to tempt or deceive and lead them astray. To sum up, they look for and quickly seize any advantage to hinder believers.”¹⁷

¹⁴ ibid

¹⁵ ibid

¹⁶ ibid

¹⁷ ibid

The Bible makes it clear in both the Old and New Testaments that occult (New Age), practices are an abomination to the Lord. (Deut. 18:10-12), **“There shall not be found among you any . . . that useth divination, or an observer of times, or an enchanter, or a witch, 11 Or a charmer, or a consulter with familiar spirits, or a wizard, or a necromancer. 12 For all that do these things are an abomination unto the LORD.”**

Another scripture passage that points out just how seriously God views the occult and wizardry (New Age) is (Acts 13:10), The Apostle Paul indicts Elymas the sorcerer with these words, **“O full of all subtlety (deceit) and all mischief (maliciousness), thou child of the devil, thou enemy of all righteousness, wilt thou not cease to pervert the right ways of the Lord?”**

The fact is, we should not mimic things that are an abomination to the Lord. No one should even pretend to be a child of the devil, an enemy of righteousness. When they do, they pervert the acceptable ways of the Lord!

TRUTH

Return the Lord your God. Follow Jesus and He will get you through these perilous times. **“Lead me in Thy truth, and teach me: for Thou art the God of my salvation; on Thee do I wait all the day.”** (Ps. 25:5).

Charles Spurgeon writes, “When the believer has begun with trembling feet to walk in the way of the Lord, he asks to be still led onward like a little child upheld by its parent's helping hand, and he craves to be further instructed in the alphabet of truth. Experimental teaching is the burden of this prayer. David knew much, but he felt his ignorance, and desired to be still in the Lord's school: four times over in two verses he applies for a scholarship in the college of grace. It were well for many professors if instead of following their own devices, and cutting out new paths of thought for themselves, they would enquire for the good old ways of God's own truth, and beseech the Holy Ghost to give them sanctified understandings and teachable spirits. **“For thou art the God of my salvation.”**

The Three-One Jehovah is the Author and Perfecter of salvation to His people. Reader, is He the God of *your* salvation? Do you find in the Father's election, in the Son's atonement, and in the Spirit's quickening, all the grounds of your eternal hopes? If so, you may use this as an argument for obtaining further blessings; if the Lord has ordained to save you, surely He will not refuse to instruct you in His ways. It is a happy thing when we can address the Lord with the confidence which David here manifests; it gives us great power in prayer, and comfort in trial. **“On Thee do I wait all the day.”**

Patience is the fair handmaid and daughter of faith; we cheerfully wait when we are certain that we shall not wait in vain. It is our duty and our privilege to wait upon the Lord in service, in worship, in expectancy, in trust all the days of our life. Our faith will be tried faith, and if it be of the true kind, it will bear continued trial without yielding. We shall not grow weary of waiting upon God if we remember how long and how graciously He once waited for us.”¹⁸

¹⁸ ibid

SATAN IS AFTER THE CONTROL OF YOUR MIND.

Mind control is the chief weapon of Satan to snare the believer. The Scriptures admonish us to "**bring every thought into captivity,**" (II Cor. 10:5). The Scriptures say that the spirit of a sound mind means a disciplined mind. It is absolutely essential for a person to keep a sound mind or a disciplined mind, to become aware of the thoughts that are coming from the devil and the thoughts that are coming from the he Lord. Many times a person will enter a world of fantasy and imagination, lusting after something, or covetousness, or of something they consider normal. Many times they will dwell on what to do in case of an accident. This is a great counterfeit when the devil will have you go over and over what to do in case of an accident. By accepting this and hearing this in your mind you are giving place to the devil for it to happen.

This is a counterfeit for what we are supposed to do when these thoughts enter our minds. We should reject them and reassure ourselves that it cannot happen to us because the protection is available that the Lord has promised in His scriptures. (Psa. 91) and other great scriptures should enter our mind and we should control the thoughts and possess total victory over those situations. We should dispose or cast out these thoughts of the devil and not entertain them.

It's important to "**capture our thoughts**"

By apprehending our thoughts, understanding our thoughts, and being able to look upon our own thoughts, we can bring every thought into captivity. Many times a split personality could stop the personality from changing by simply taking charge of his own thoughts.

It has been our experience that the thought pattern has to change in order to give way to the new personality to take over. It is important to realize that things like Dungeons and Dragons, and other games of witchcraft, put the mind in gear for Satan. Then witchcraft activity becomes common place. The casting of spells, the inducing of charms and the practicing of witchcraft takes over the entire mind and thus gives way to the mind control spirit whereby the mind can be controlled by the devil himself. This is also the reason for the psychedelic colors in the Rubik's cube, and the mind boggling disco lights and the lights that are sold as rhythm, colors. All these colors affect the mentality and aid in the taking over and controlling of the mind.

JESUS CHRIST IS THE ONLY MEDIATOR

The Bible shows the devil at a great handicap regarding his power over Christians. He is shown as an inferior antagonist in light of that which Jesus Christ gave to His church. Satan can only take the place that he is given by God. The Word of God tells Christians in (Jam. 4:7), "**Submit yourselves to God, resist the devil and he will flee from you.**" This Scripture makes it clear that the battle is not our personal battle. We are part of the war but the battle is the Lord's. We are led by the formidable Christ. **The battle rests upon His ability and He has already won the war!**

Jesus Christ is the only mediator between God and man, (I Tim. 2:5). His mission was fully accomplished and He had control over Satan and is exalted to the Father's right hand. He is the Master with almighty power. Jesus came to defy the power of Satan, (Acts 26:18). He

challenged the rule of Satan, (Col. 2:10); conquered the right to dominion, (Col. 2:14, 15). He set us free from the cause of sin, (I Pet. 3:18). He can set us free from the curse of sin, (I Pet. 5:10:11).

Life with Jesus Christ can be exciting and blessed with constant triumph over evil forces but the battle never ends. **Always remember that you and Jesus are a majority.** The warfare is stacked against Satan and certainly not the Christian. They may have periods of darkness and may encounter times of painful struggle and discouragement but then the Holy Spirit will break through the darkness and moments of exultation and glory will be experienced. God is always on our side!

SPIRITUAL LIFE

Keeping your own spiritual life in shape, the Bible calls for the crucifixion of self. There must be a definite flight from temptation of the flesh. **“Flee also youthful lusts,”** (II Tim. 2:22), **“Flee fornication.”** (I Cor. 6:18,) **“Abstain from fleshly lusts which war against the soul”** (I Pet. 2:11). The watchword against temptation of the flesh is; flight.

“The author of *Confusion and Lies*, as Robert Burton called Satan in the Anatomy of Melancholy, has done one of his most effective bits of mystification in creating bewilderment even among many Christians, concerning his methods of attack. These are threefold. We do not know that student of the Word of God first coined the phrase, “the world, the flesh and the devil.” The oldest usage of this triple division of the field of attack is to be found in The Book of Common Prayer in a prayer for an infant, “Grant that he may have power and strength to have victory, and to triumph, against the devil, the world and the flesh.”¹⁹

The enemy attacks us from these different angles because man is a threefold being. When God created Adam, the act of creation is described as follows; **“An the Lord God formed man of the dust of the ground, and breathed into his nostrils the breath of life; and man became a living soul,”** (Gen. 2:7).

The verse reveals to us that the body was made of the dust of the ground, that the spirit came from the breath of God and the combination produced the soul. It would be correct in the light of this verse for a man to say, “I am a soul, I have a body and I have a spirit.” A corresponding Scripture can be found in the epistle to the Hebrews: **“The Word of God is living and powerful, sharper than any two-edged scalpel, piercing even to the division of the soul and spirit, of joints and marrow, and is the critic of the thoughts and intentions of the heart,”** (Hebr. 4:12).

The soul is a person’s self-consciousness.

“If you can do anything take pity on us and help us.” What do you mean, If You Can, everything is possible for him that believes,” (Matt. 9:23).

¹⁹ *Confusion and Lies*, as Robert Burton

The father said with tears. *"Lord I believe; help thou my unbelief."* He had natural faith but needed his supernatural faith helped. We see more than just saying, "out in the name of Jesus" here. We see a conflict between two powers. We see all involved entering into the battle.

The Lord encourages the faith of the father to fight for his son. The father asking for faith to fight while the demon putting on terrible manifestations.

The boy was torn by the power of darkness. Emphasizes not only what Jesus did but what every disciple can do through faith, prayer and fasting.

DEMONS TO CAST OUT: (This is not an all inclusive list.)

In the Name of Jesus I cast out

African, Haitian and Black Voodoo and Witchcraft; spirits of infirmity that has entered because of the effects of voodoo or witchcraft. I renounce and turn against all household gods and command these demons to come out of me and my family. I command all voodoo soul destroying demons to be bound in the name of Jesus and to come out. Spirits of death and false gifts by voodoo and witchcraft, I cast you out in Jesus' Name. Demons of candle burning, rosary prayers and idol worship come out now in Jesus' Name. I command all hidden demons to come out of me in the Name of Jesus.

I command the following demons to come out of me in Jesus' Name:

Loa, familiar spirit, mysterore, govi, hougan, drums, les morts, Ruling spirit of Ogoun, St. Jacques, legba, ghede, et les marassa, dancing, manga marassa, laver tete, zombie, death ritual, fear, magic, baka, banda, assator, asson, acon, batterie maconnique, cambe, kembe, charge, chauffer, chev al chowl, colliel, dessounin, gagnin loa, garde, gran maitre, mambo, mange, mascarron, massissi, les mysteres, paquets congo, reler, renvoyer, ramasser, saints used as synonym for loa, verser, wanga, confusion, crossed X, papa damballa, mistress erzulie, jerking, twitching, spasms, shaking, loa racine, grand bois doilet, spirit of the tree, roots, superstition, maori, mwuetsi, morongo, dahomey, nanan-bouclou, St. Patrick, damballah, the chromo of lazarus, old legba, St. Ulrique, Agwe, St. Isdore, Azacca, Bline Gawd, charms, rosary, burning candles, psychic prayers, sorcery, divination, bibliomancy, false prophesy, false gifts, false inherited gifts of the spirit, false dreams and visions, fetishes, idolatry, serpent, python, Li Grand Zombi, Magnam, love potions, Monsieur Agoussou, nine day tea, potions of any kind, mind control, occult mind control, love spells, beauty rock, conjurations, conjure balls, toby or hand, Baka, Banda, Dance, Cama Kembe, Pain, Batterie Maconnique, Cev AL Chowl, Gagnin Loa, Garde, Gran Maitre, Colliel, Massissi, Wanga, Rele, Maori, Ogoun, Baron Samedi, Nan boublou, Erzulie, Erzulie Ge-Rouge, Rada, Petro, Rada, Obatala, Ogoun Paname, Ogoun Baye, Ogoun Badagris, Ogoun Ferei, Ogoun Shango, Dadal, Loco Roi Nago, Nago Piman, Voodoo dancing, false praise, false worship, false holy dance, false shouting, rocking backward and forward, false dancing in the spirit, burning in the stomach called the Holy Ghost, false voodoo tongues, veil over the eyes, divination, false baptism of fire, false voices, false preaching spirits, evil soul ties, fire walking, creole curses, python serpent spirits of voodoo, hoodoo, curse of roots, roots in love or lust potions, graveyard dust demons, Dr. Buzzard demons, voodoo candle

burning, sickness by voodoo, death spirits of voodoo, family line curse of voodoo, fear of voodoo, curse of seeking help from voodoo or witchcraft workers, witchcraft and voodoo icing.²⁰

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