

Does the Devil exist? Who is the Father of Lies? Did anybody lie to you lately?

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The Devil, Satan.

So the great dragon was cast out, that serpent of old, called the Devil and Satan, who deceives the whole world. He was cast to the earth, and his angels were cast out with him.

(1) Revelations 12:9

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He was a murderer from the beginning, and does not stand in the truth, because there is no truth in him. When he speaks a lie, he speaks from his own resources, for he is a liar and the father of it.

(2) John 8: 44

Now the serpent was more crafty than any of the wild animals the LORD God had made. He said to the woman,

"Did God really say, You must not eat from any tree in the garden? 'You will not certainly die.' For God knows that when you eat from it your eyes will be opened, and you will be like God, knowing good and evil."

(3) Genesis 3: 1, 4, 5

The LORD God said to the serpent, "Because you have done this, "Cursed are you above all livestock and all wild animals! ... I will put enmity between you and the woman, and between your offspring and hers; he will crush your head, and you will strike his heel. (4) Genesis 3: 14, 15

He who sins is of the devil, for 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.

(5) 1 John 3: 8

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Jesus was led up by the Spirit into the wilderness to be tempted by the devil. ... now when the tempter came to Him, he said, "If You are the Son of God, command that these stones become bread." But He answered and said, "It is written, 'Man shall not live by bread alone, but by every word that proceeds from the mouth of God.'" "Away with you, Satan! For it is written, You will worship the LORD your God, and Him only you will serve."

(6) Matthew 4 1-4, 10*

(Jesus saying to Paul:)

"I now send you, to open their eyes, in order to turn them from darkness to light, and from the power of Satan to God, that they may receive forgiveness of sins and an inheritance among those who are sanctified by faith in Me."

(7) Acts 26: 17, 18

Be strong in the Lord and in the power of His might. Put on the whole armor of God,

that you may be able to stand against the wiles of the devil.

For we do not wrestle against flesh and blood, but against principalities, against powers, against the rulers of the darkness of this age, against spiritual hosts of wickedness in the heavenly places. (8) Ephesians 6: 11, 12

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Now is the judgment of this world. Now the ruler of this world will be cast out. (9) John 12: 31

He has delivered us from the power of darkness and conveyed us into the kingdom of the Son of His love, in whom we have redemption through His blood, the forgiveness of sins. (10) Colossians 1: 13, 14

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Submit to God. Resist the devil and he will flee from you. (11) James 4: 7

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The devil, who deceived them, was cast into the lake of fire and brimstone where the beast and the false prophet are.

And they will be tormented day and night

forever and ever. (12) Revelations 20: 10

The God of peace will crush Satan under your feet shortly. (13) Romans 16: 20

PRAYER:

Our Father, who art in heaven ... Deliver us from the evil one! (14) Matthew 6: 13*