Evil is not Something; it is Someone!

Behind all evil is a person, and that person is the devil! In World War 2, Hitler was one man that sent many men to do his evil bidding. Inside that one man, Hitler, were demon spirits sent from the devil himself to kill, steal, and to destroy. The millions of people that were slain in World War 2 didn't have to be slain, if the devil inside of Hitler would have been stopped. Can you imagine what would have happened if Hitler had grown up in a Christian home and got born again? He could have been the greatest preacher that ever preached. I want you to think about all the sermons he preached to get the people to hate other people. If he would have preached Jesus and the love of God, all the pain of millions could have been stopped. Always remember that evil is not just some*thing*; it is some*one*. The devil is the master deceiver to get people to hate other people.

Isaiah 61:1-3 KJV The Spirit of the Lord God is upon Me; because the Lord hath anointed Me to preach good tidings unto the meek; He hath sent Me to bind up the brokenhearted, to proclaim liberty to the captives, and the opening of the prison to them that are bound; [2] To proclaim the acceptable year of the Lord, and the day of vengeance of our God; to comfort all that mourn; [3] To appoint unto them that mourn in Zion, to give unto them beauty for ashes, the oil of joy for mourning, the garment of praise for the spirit of heaviness; that they might be called trees of righteousness, the planting of the Lord, that He might be glorified.

In these verses we see what happens when someone is anointed with the Holy Ghost to preach the message of Jesus. Broken hearts are healed, liberty comes to captives, doors of prisons are open; and those that are bound go free. Joy comes; mourning leaves, and the garment of praise replaces the spirit of heaviness. Jesus came to stop the devil and to free humanity. If people receive Him and His message, the devil and his work can be stopped in their lives.

Acts 10:38 KJV How God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Ghost and with power: Who went about doing good, and healing all that were oppressed of the devil; for God was with Him.

John 10:10 AMPC The thief comes only in order to steal and kill and destroy. I came that they may have and enjoy life, and have it in abundance (to the full, till it overflows).

Ephesians 2:1-2 KJV And you hath He quickened, who were dead in trespasses and sins; [2] Wherein in time past ye walked according to the course of this world, according to the prince of the power of the air, the spirit that now worketh in the children of disobedience:

In our modern America, we have people that are actually preaching for the devil the same as Hitler preached for him. Hitler preached that the Jews must be killed, and some of his reasoning was that they killed Christ. You know that the Jews that were alive during Hitler's time were not the Jews alive at the time of Christ! Hitler was not representing Jesus Christ, he was a demonpossessed man that murdered millions for the devil. Now in America, there are people preaching that all white people are racist; and they have an un-conscious bias against people of color. The people that preach this are preaching for the devil to get people to hate others based on their

color. It used to be that white people were taught to hate people of color; now the devil is reversing his strategy and saying that people of color are supposed to see all white people as racist. The Christian church must not let these demons influence us, and we mustn't let these people have any say so in our lives!! We are all God's children; red or yellow, black or white, we are ALL precious in His sight.

1 Corinthians 2:11-13 KJV For what man knoweth the things of a man, save the spirit of man which is in him? even so the things of God knoweth no man, but the Spirit of God. [12] Now we have received, not the spirit of the world, but the spirit which is of God; that we might know the things that are freely given to us of God.[13] Which things also we speak, not in the words which man's wisdom teacheth, but which the Holy Ghost teacheth; comparing spiritual things with spiritual.

As Christians, we have the Spirit of God in us to keep us protected from the lies of the devil. We are the people He has chosen to speak for Him. We are in this world, but we are not of the world!

Love you, Pastor Paul

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This Week's Daily Bible Readings

Monday Genesis chapter 26
Tuesday Genesis chapter 27
Wednesday Genesis chapter 28
Thursday Genesis chapter 29
Friday Genesis chapter 30
Saturday Genesis chapter 31
Sunday Genesis chapter 32

*Upcoming Events

- 1. Women's Dance Aerobics: 10-11am Mon-Fri in the Gym
- 2. **Mobile Prayer:** Wednesday 2-3:30pm in our South parking lot; Friday 2-3:30pm Sam's Warehouse
- 3. **Noonday Bible Study:** In Sanctuary; live on KJRF 91.1fm; live stream on TCC app.12:15 Mon-Fri
- 4. **Horse Ministry:** Saturday 10am-1pm at Camp Faith

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**Here is a list of the many gatherings we have for you to get together and fellowship with your brothers and sisters. Please take advantage of them, and you will bless yourself and others also.

Sundays * Prayer: 9am Lee Blvd entrance * Fellowship in Café 9:15-9:45 am. *

Services 10:45 am

Adult, Youth, and Children classes 9:45-10:30 am

Faith Class: -----Michael Whitley Foundation 1 Class: ---Pastor Paul Foundation 2 Class: ---Mike Wiggins

Healing Class: -----Lester/Monica Witherspoon Marriage Class:-----Danny/Demetrice Williams

Prayer Class: -----Joe Cunningham

Children's Sunday School: 6 months - 5th grade Youth Services: -----Lucas/Cyndi Moore

Young Singles/College & Career — Eliav/Kim Nash

Daily * Early Morning Prayer in Sanctuary: Monday-Friday 6:15-7:15am

* Noonday Bible Study: Mon-Fri 12:15 in Sanctuary or 91.1fm or live stream on TCC app

* Women's Dance Aerobics: Mon-Fri 10-11am in the Gym

Weekly * Sunday Services: 9:45 am classes; 10:45 am Main Service

* Wednesday night: Adult and Youth Services 7pm (Youth meet in Youth area)

* Mobile Prayer: Wed 2–3:30pm Lee Blvd parking lot; Fri 2–3:30pm Sam's

Warehouse

Monthly * Men's Meeting: 9am 1st Saturday of each month at Golden Corral

- * Crosses at the Corner: 11am-1am Saturdays corner of Sheridan and Cache Rd.
- * Women's Meeting: 9am 2nd Saturday of each month in Fellowship Hall
 - * Women's Discipleship: 3rd Thursday of each month 5pm in Sanctuary
- * Horse Ministry: 10am-1pm 3rd Saturday of each month