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## ***“THE MASTER COUNTERFEITER & THE GREAT DECEIVER, PART 1”***

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"And I saw three unclean spirits like frogs come out of the mouth of the dragon, and out of the mouth of the beast, and out of the mouth of the false prophet. For they are the spirits of devils, working miracles, which go forth unto the kings of the earth and of the whole world, to gather them to the battle of that great day of God Almighty. Behold, I come as a thief. Blessed is he that watcheth, and keepeth his garments, lest he walk naked, and they see his shame. And he gathered them together into a place called in the Hebrew tongue Armageddon." {Revelation 16:13-16}

"How art thou fallen from heaven, O Lucifer, son of the morning! how art thou cut down to the ground, which didst weaken the nations! For thou hast said in thine heart, I will ascend into heaven, I will exalt my throne above the stars of God: I will sit also upon the mount of the congregation, in the sides of the north: I will ascend above the heights of the clouds; I will be like the most High." {Isaiah 14:12-14}

Counterfeit: Made in exact imitation of something valuable or important with the intention to deceive or defraud. Fake, forged, imitation, not genuine, phony, substitute.

\*\* One of the first points that I want to make in this study is the very important understanding that we are now witnessing this manifestation taking place with the kings of the earth {political and religious leaders}, and the whole world. What many have failed to realize is that these spirits of devils have deceiving miraculous powers that have the ability to:

CONTROL

INFLUENCE

DECEIVE

PERVERSION

DESTROY

GATHER

DISROBE

FLATTER

BLASPHEME

\*\* These nine manifestations are all under the control of 9 counterfeit and master deceiving devils, and as we draw closer and closer to the visible appearance of the Kingdom of God, those who are watching and praying will be able to discern their true identity and sound the alarm to warn the people.

ARE YOU ONE WHO HAS ACCEPTED THE CALL TO WATCH AND PRAY,  
AND SOUND THE ALARM TO THE NATIONS?

CONTROL — — SPIRIT OF JEZEBEL: Scripture references — 1 Kings 16:29-34; 1 Kings 18:13; 1 Kings 19:1-3; 1 Kings 21st chp; II Kings 9:30-37; Revelation 2:18-29.

Characteristics: Control and domineering; seduction of Godly leadership; manipulation in order to gain position; cannot and will not receive correction, will only pretend to; plays the victim and operates in self pity, and are never wrong; uses false humility and false obligation; looks for others who have been hurt or wounded in order to bring them under their influence and control; easily offended and carries grudges and resentment; uses people to accomplish their agenda; criticizes everything and everyone in order to be elevated in their own mind; sows seeds of discord in order to gain control over others; attempts to make others look like they have this spirit.

INFLUENCE — — LYING SPIRIT: Scripture references — Genesis 3:4; Leviticus 19:11; 1 Kings 22:22; Proverbs 12:19-22; Proverbs 13:5; Proverbs 14:5; Proverbs 17:7; John 8:44; Acts 5:3; Colossians 3:9; I Timothy 4:2

Characteristics: Self-absorbed and self-centered; spirit of pride; arrogant and egotistical; bragging and boasting; believes the lie they are promoting; disguises itself by accusing others of being liars; rejects accountability and attacks when questioned; more concerned with outward appearances than integrity of heart; refuses to admit when wrong, but repeatedly blames others for the problem at hand; surrounds themselves with others who support what they say, no matter what it is.

DECEIVE — — Spirit of Antichrist: Scripture references — I John 2:18-29; I John 4:1-3; II John 1:7; II Thessalonians 2:3-5; II Peter 2:1; Matthew 24:4-5 and verse 24.

Characteristics: Denies Christ; in place of Christ; another Christ; causes others to depart from the truth of God's Word and trust in the opinions of man; promotes idolatry and paganism; promotes all gods as a way to reach eternal life; promotes mixture and inclusion as a way for all religions to unite; denies that Jesus the Christ is the only way to God the Father; promotes the false truth that the biological people living in Israel as God's chosen people; sends money and funds to support the Antichrist seat of satan in Israel.

PERVERSION — — Spirit of Perversion: Scripture references — Matthew 15:19-20; Romans 1:24-28; Proverbs 2:12-15; Proverbs 6:14; Proverbs 12:8; Proverbs 15:4; Ephesians 5:3-7

Characteristics: Unclean spirits; lasciviousness; homosexuality; lesbianism; pornography; twisted mindsets; seduction and whoredoms; perverting doctrine and promoting false teachings in the church; twisting words and communication; generational perversion passed down through familiar spirits; fornication; adultery; abortion; sexual activities with demons.