LET NO ONE DECEIVE YOU

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I. 2 Thessalonians 2:1-4

A. Let No One Deceive you by any means

- 1. Let Deceive ĕxapataō
 - a) To lead out of the right way
 - b) To cause someone to have misleading or erroneous views concerning the truth
- 2. <u>Deceive</u> Webster To mislead, cause to believe or accept as true what is false or to disbelieve what is true
- 3. <u>Matt 24:4-5</u> 4 And Jesus answered and said to them: "Take heed that <u>no one</u> <u>deceives you</u>. 5 For many will come in My name, saying, 'I am the Christ,' and will <u>deceive many</u>.
- B. How does deception happen? The Great Apostasy
 - 1. **Falling away** *apŏstasia* (apostasy, rejection) Defection from the truth, abandonment, rebellion, defiance of authority, act in opposition to its demands
- C. When we defect from or abandon the truth of God's Word We get shaken in mind and troubled
 - Shaken salĕuō Waver or shake back and forth; to become emotionally unsettled and distraught— to be deeply distressed, to be upset
 - 2. Mind nŏus Understanding, reasoning, deciding; way of thinking, attitude
 - 3. Troubled thrŏĕō Be in a state of fear, alarmed or frightened
- D. If we abandon the truth of God's Word we will be deceived
 - 1. <u>1 Tim 4:1</u> 1 Now the Spirit expressly says that in latter times some will depart from the faith, giving heed to deceiving spirits and doctrines of demons,
 - a) <u>Depart</u> aphistēmi To abandon a former relationship or association, disassociate, remove, forsake
 - b) <u>Giving Heed</u> prŏsĕchō Turn one's attention to, occupy oneself with, devote or give yourself to
 - c) <u>Deceiving</u> *planŏs* Deliberate deceptiveness, impostor, lead astray
 - d) **Doctrines** didaskalia Instruction, teaching, information that is taught

E. Don't be deceived by the teachings of society and culture:

- 1. 1 Cor 6:9-10 Do not be deceived
- 2. 1 Cor 15:33-34 Do not be deceived
- 3. Gal 6:7-10 Do not be deceived
- 4. James 1:16-17 Do not be deceived

II. 2 Tim 3:1-17

- A. <u>Perilous</u> *chalĕpŏs* Hard to bear, painful, difficult, violent, distressful, sufferings that reduce strength
- B. <u>Lovers of themselves</u> *philaut*ŏs Self-centered affections for one's own advantages to the exclusion of others.
- C. Lovers of pleasure philēdŏnŏs Given to fulfilling one's own desires
- D. **Form** *mŏrphōsis* Appearance, embodiment, essential features
- E. Godliness ĕusĕbĕia Religion, devout practice and beliefs of God
- F. <u>Denying</u> *arněomai* To disregard, refuse to recognize or acknowledge, pay not attention to
- G. Power dunamis Might, able; Demonstration or display of divine supernatural ability
- H. Learning manthanō Acquire information, gain knowledge or skills
 - 1. 1 Cor 3:19 19 For the wisdom of this world is foolishness with God.
- Persecution diōkō To systematically organize a program to oppress and harass people—to persecute
- J. <u>Impostors</u> gŏēs One who habitually fools or deceives people through pretense;
 deceiver who works by trickery or persuasive speech
- K. <u>Deceiving</u> planaō To cause to wander from a proper belief or course of action
- L. <u>Wise</u> sŏphizō Good judgment; Skilled expert, to have wisdom and understanding

M. <u>Salvation</u> - <i>sōtēria</i> - Safety, deliverance, rescued, health, welfare, preservation