

**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** - *ἔξαπατάω*
  - a) To lead **out of the right way**
  - b) To cause someone to have misleading or erroneous views concerning the truth
2. **Deceive** - *Webster* - To mislead, cause to believe or accept as true what is false or to disbelieve what is true
3. **Matt 24:4-5** 4 And Jesus answered and said to them: "Take heed that **no one deceives you**. 5 For many will come in My name, saying, 'I am the Christ,' and will **deceive many**.

B. **How does deception happen? - The Great Apostasy**

1. **Falling away** - *apōstasia* - (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**

1. **Shaken** - *salēuō* - Waver or shake back and forth; to become emotionally unsettled and distraught— to be deeply distressed, to be upset
2. **Mind** - *nōus* - Understanding, reasoning, deciding; way of thinking, attitude
3. **Troubled** - *thrōēō* - Be in a state of fear, alarmed or frightened

D. **If we abandon the truth of God's Word we will be deceived**

1. **1 Tim 4:1** 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) **Depart** - *aphistēmi* - To abandon a former relationship or association, disassociate, remove, forsake
  - b) **Giving Heed** - *prōsēchō* - Turn one's attention to, occupy oneself with, devote or give yourself to
  - c) **Deceiving** - *planōs* - 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*

