

LET NO ONE DECEIVE YOU

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I. **2 Thess 2:1-4** - **PRAYER** - Prepare our hearts to receive God's Word

A. **V1 - Who is the audience and topic?**

1. Now "brethren" - Church, Believers, Followers of Jesus
2. Concerning the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ and our gathering together to Him
 - a) **Gathering together** - Only used here and Hebrews 10:25
 - (1) **Heb 10:25** 25 not forsaking the ***assembling of ourselves together***, as is the manner of some, but exhorting one another, and so much the more as you see the Day approaching.

B. **V2 - What is the directive? - Not to be soon:**

1. **Shaken in mind** - To be unsettled and waver back and forth in your emotions and attitude, way of thinking and decision making
 - a) **James 1:8** 8 he is a double-minded man, unstable in all his ways.
 - b) **Shaken** - *salēuō* - Waver or shake back and forth; to become emotionally unsettled and distraught—to become unsettled, to be deeply distressed, to be upset
 - c) **Mind** - *nōus* - Facility of understanding, reasoning and deciding; way of thinking, attitude
2. **Troubled** - *thrōēō* - Be in a state of fear, alarmed or frightened
3. **What could cause us to be shaken in mind or troubled?**
 - a) **Source of information:**
 - (1) **Spirit** - Revelation from God (God "told" or "showed" me)
 - (2) **Word** - What someone tells you, information you receive
 - (3) **Letter** - What you read/Watch

C. **V3 - Let no one deceive you by any means**

1. **Let Deceive** - *ēxapataō* - To lead out of the right way; 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. **Means** - *trōpōs* - How something is done, how it happens
4. **Falling away** — *apōstasia* — (apostasy, rejection) - Defection from the truth, abandonment, rebellion, defiance of authority, act in complete opposition to its demands.
5. **How will we be deceived?** - By falling away from the truth

