

A STUDY OF THE BOOK OF JUDE #5

#1. 17 But, **beloved, remember ye the words** which were spoken before of the apostles of our Lord Jesus Christ;

A. Mt 7:15 Beware of false prophets, which come to you in sheep's clothing, but inwardly they are ravening wolves. 16 Ye shall know them by their fruits. Do men gather grapes of thorns, or figs of thistles? 17 Even so every good tree bringeth forth good fruit; but a corrupt tree bringeth forth evil fruit. 18 A good tree cannot bring forth evil fruit, neither can a corrupt tree bring forth good fruit. 19 Every tree that bringeth not forth good fruit is hewn down, and cast into the fire. 20 Wherefore by their fruits ye shall know them.

B. Mt 24:4 And Jesus answered and said unto them, Take heed that no man deceive you. 5 For many shall come in my name, saying, I am Christ; and shall deceive many 11 And many false prophets shall rise, and shall deceive many. 23 Then if any man shall say unto you, Lo, here is Christ, or there; believe it not. 24 For there shall arise false Christs, and false prophets, and shall shew great signs and wonders; insomuch that, if it were possible, they shall deceive the very elect. 25 Behold, I have told you before.

C. 2Ti 3:1 This know also, that in the last days perilous times shall come. 2 For men shall be lovers of their own selves, covetous, boasters, proud, blasphemers, disobedient to parents, unthankful, unholy, 3 Without natural affection, trucebreakers, false accusers, incontinent, fierce, despisers of those that are good, 4 Traitors, heady, highminded, lovers of pleasures more than lovers of God; 5 Having a form of godliness, but denying the power thereof: from such turn away. 6 For of this sort are they which creep into houses, and lead captive silly women laden with sins, led away with divers lusts,

D. 2Pe 3:1 This second epistle, beloved, I now write unto you; in both which I stir up your pure minds by way of remembrance: 2 That ye may be mindful of the words which were spoken before by the holy prophets, and of the commandment of us the apostles of the Lord and Saviour: 3 Knowing this first, that there shall come in the last days scoffers, walking after their own lusts,

#2. 18 How that they told you there should be mockers in the last time, who should walk after their own ungodly lusts.

- A. MOCK THOSE WHO TEACH THE TRUTH OF THE WORD OF GOD
- B. BECAUSE THEY HAVE THERE ON AGENDA (UNGODLY LUSTS)

#3. 19 These be they who separate themselves, sensual, having not the Spirit.

- A. MAN HAS THREE PARTS SPIRIT, SOUL, AND BODY
- B. A WAR GOING BETWEEN THE SPIRIT AND THE BODY, BUT THE

SOUL IN CAUGHT IN THE MIDDLE

C. Job 32:8 But there is a spirit in man: and the inspiration of the Almighty giveth them understanding.

#4. 20 But ye, beloved, building up yourselves on your most holy faith, praying in the Holy Ghost, 21 Keep yourselves in the love of God, looking for the mercy of our Lord Jesus Christ unto eternal life

A. JUDE ENCOURAGES US BUILD OURSELVES UP IN

1. FAITH - Ro 10:17 So then faith cometh by hearing, and hearing by the word of God.

2. PRAY IN THE HOLY GHOST OR SPIRIT - NOT GIMME, GIMME, GIMME Ro 8:26 Likewise the Spirit also helpeth our infirmities: for we know not what we should pray for as we ought: but the Spirit itself maketh intercession for us with groanings which cannot be uttered.

3. LOVE OF GOD - LET HIS LOVE FLOOD YOUR HEART

4. MERCY - LOOKING FOR MERCY THAT GETS US UNTO ETERNAL LIFE