

# Inscriptions of An Apostate



2 Peter 2:10-16 Study Series:

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# HOW A PERSON BECOMES AN APOSTATE

1. Natural Curiosity

2. Awakening of the Conscience

3. Sensual Focus

4. Questioning of Scripture

5. Violation of the Conscience

6. Awakening of Guilt

7. Response of Guilt

8. Frustration

9. Redefining Morality

10. Perverting the Word

11. Argumentation over Doctrine

12. Perversion and Reprobation follow





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# 2 PETER 2:10-16

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throughout

- ❖ Pontus,
- ❖ Galatia,
- ❖ Cappadocia,
- ❖ Asia, and
- ❖ Bithynia,



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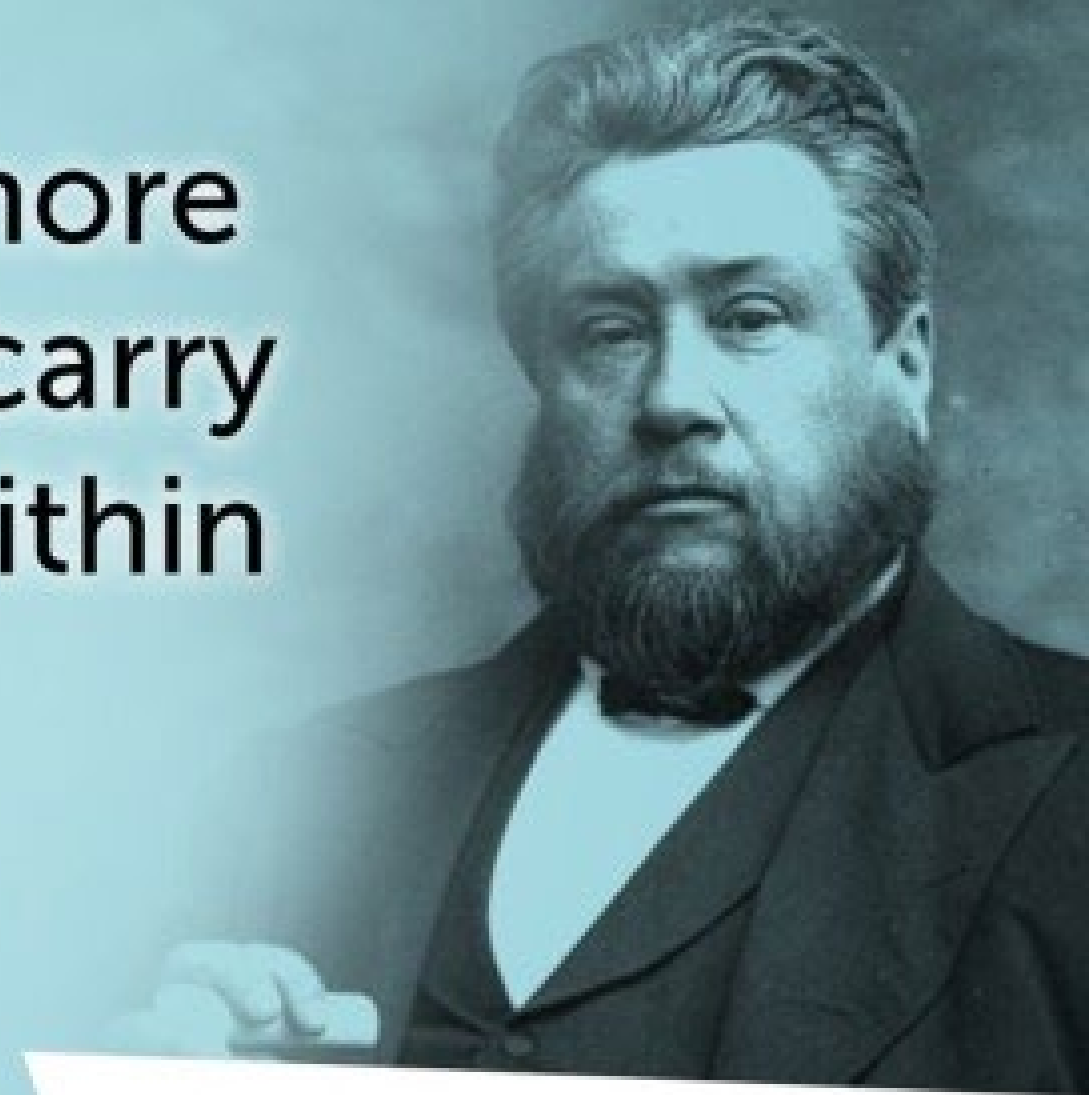
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“Beware of no man more than of yourself; we carry our worst enemies within us.”



CHARLES SPURGEON

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2 Peter 2:10-16



I. Proud Presumption.

v.9-11

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## 2 Peter 2:9

**The Lord knoweth how to deliver the godly out of temptations, and to reserve the unjust unto the day of judgment to be punished:**





## **2 Peter 2:10**

- **But chiefly them that walk after the flesh in the lust of uncleanness, and despise government. Presumptuous are they, selfwilled, they are not afraid to speak evil of dignities**



## 2 Peter 2:10-16

A. The Root of That Presumption

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B. The Result of That

Presumption v. 10

C. The Revelation of That

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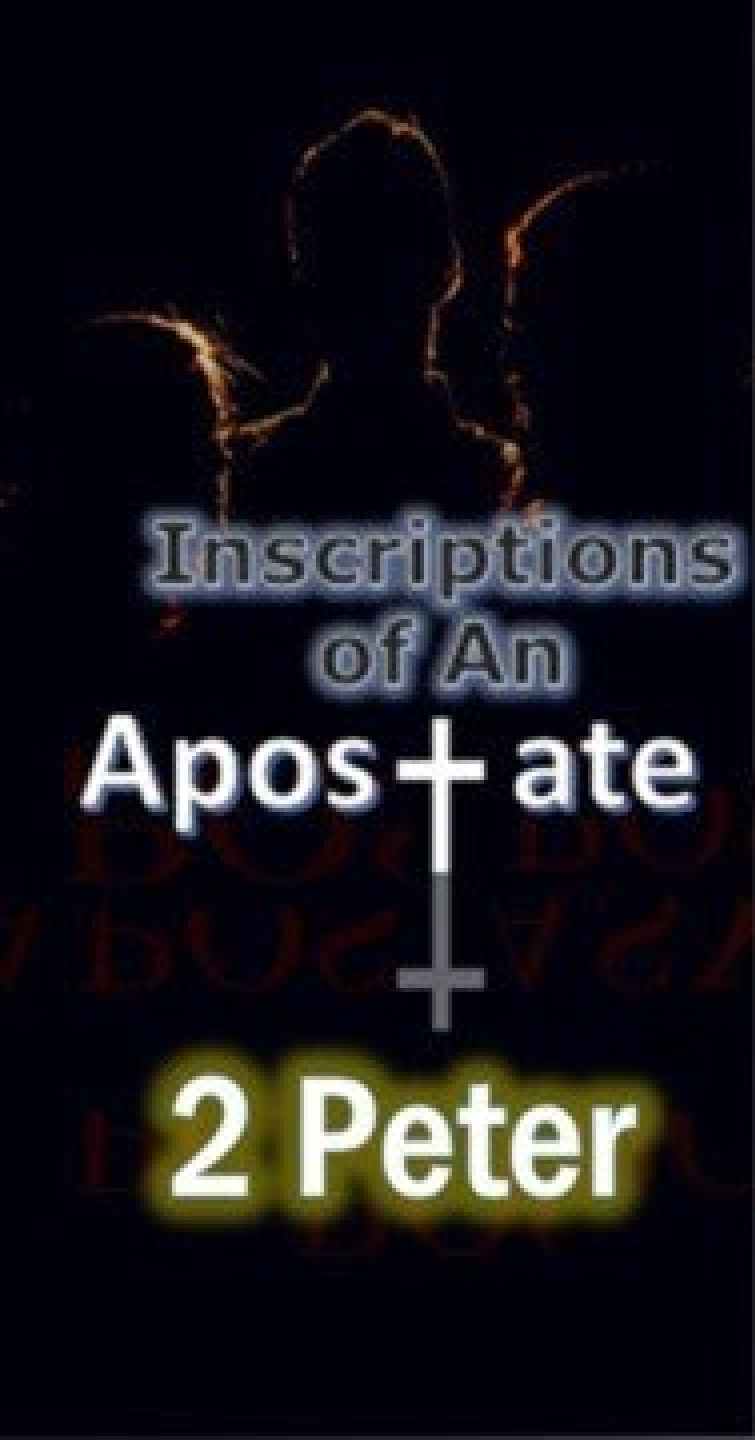
## **2 Peter 2:11**

- **Whereas angels, which are greater in power and might, bring not railing accusation against them before the Lord.**



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II. Beastly Behavior  
Presumption. v.12-14

## **2 Peter 2:12**


- **But these, as natural brute beasts, made to be taken and destroyed, speak evil of the things that they understand not; and shall utterly perish in their own corruption;**



## 2 Peter 2:10-16

### B. What Is It? v. 13

#### 1. Beastly Ignorance. v.12



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## Peter 2:13


- **And shall receive the reward of unrighteousness, as they that count it pleasure to riot in the daytime. Spots they are and blemishes, sporting themselves with their own deceivings while they feast with you;**



## 2 Peter 2:10-16

### B. What Is It? v. 13

1. Beastly Ignorance. **v.12**
2. Beastly Immorality **v.13**



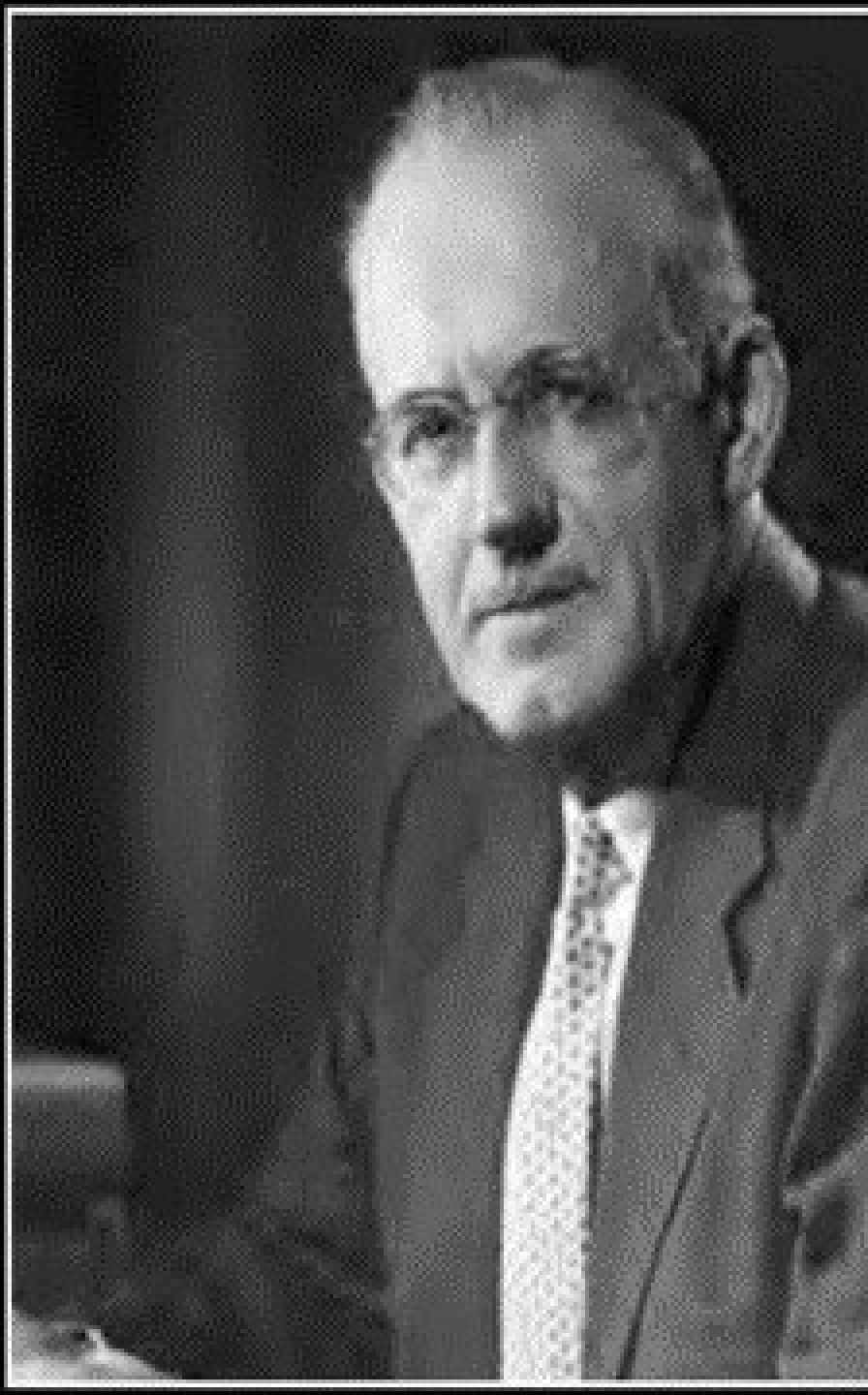
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# Peter 2:14

- **Having eyes full of adultery, and that cannot cease from sin; beguiling unstable souls: an heart they have exercised with covetous practices; cursed children:**






When a person, yielding to God and believing the truth of God, is filled with the Spirit of God, even his faintest whisper will be worship.

— *Aiden Wilson Tozer* —

## 2 Peter 2:10-16

### B. What Is It? v. 13

1. Beastly Ignorance. **v.12**
2. Beastly Immorality **v.13**
3. Beastly Influence **v.14**



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III. Godless Greed.

v.14-16

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## **2 Peter 2:15**

- **Which have forsaken the right way, and are gone astray, following the way of Balaam the son of Bosor, who loved the wages of unrighteousness;**



# Peter 2:16

- **But was rebuked for his iniquity: the dumb ass speaking with man's voice forbad the madness of the prophet.**



# Conclusion



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# How to Remain Morally Pure

1. Expect to **\_Win**
2. Replace the Secret **\_Mental Pictures**
3. Make a Covenant with Your **\_Eyes**
4. Give God's Spirit His Most Effective **\_Weapon**
5. Remove All Provisions for **\_Defeat**
6. Establish a Bond of **\_Accountability**
7. Realize That Many Battles Must Be **\_Fought**

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# How to Remain Morally Pure

8. Learn to Live in the **\_Fear of God**
9. Learn God's Limitation to **\_Curiosity**
10. Use Sensual Thoughts to Drive You into the **\_Word**



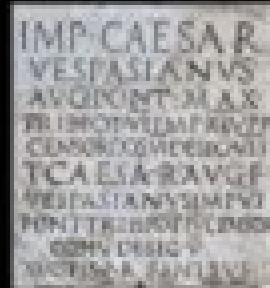
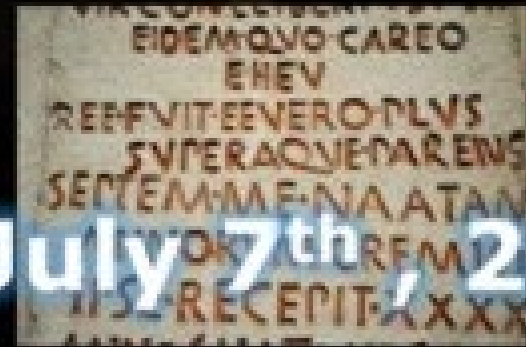
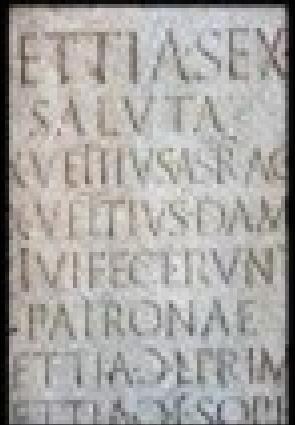
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