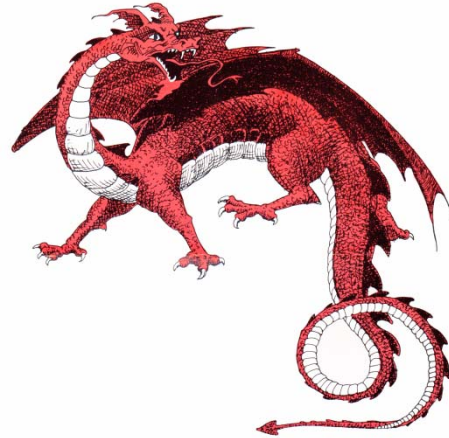


# “We Do the Devil’s Work When...”

(Selected Scriptures)



Introduction: **Be Spiritually Alert** (I Peter 5:8)

Satan sows tares among the wheat (Mt. 13:38; II Cor.11:13)

**\* Beware that you are not working for “the other side”!**

**I. *We Do the Devil’s Work When...***

**We distract others from hearing God’s Word** (Acts 13:7–f)

(The Devil hates God and anything that belongs to Him - Mt 16:23)

**II. *We Do the Devil’s Work When...***

**We disguise ourselves and play a game of religious pretense** (2 Cor. 11:14-15)

(The Devil is a hypocrite (He wears a mask) – 2 Cor. 11:14)

**III. *We Do the Devil’s Work When...***

**We disrespect the authorities God places over us** (3 John 1:9-11; cp. I Sam. 15:23;

Num.16 – the Rebellion of Korah)

(The Devil is an arrogant insubordinate – Isaiah 14:13-14)

**IV. *We Do the Devil’s Work When...***

**We disseminate gossip and slander the character of others** (I Timothy 3:7, 5:13-15;

Titus 2:5-10)

(The Devil is a slanderer – Rev. 12:10)

Satan seeks any "dirt" he can get to belittle Christ, Christians and Christianity



**V. *We Do the Devil’s Work When...***

**We distort the truth and tell lies** (Acts 5:3)

(The Devil is a liar – John 8:44)

**VI. *We Do the Devil’s Work When...***

**We disrupt the unity of the church** (John 17:9-f \*v.15)

(The Devil (diabolos) is a divider of the brethren - James 3:14-16)