

The Pain of the Enemy

I Peter 5:8; II Peter 2:1-3

I. The Nature of Satan

- A. A personal being - Job 1:6-12
- B. Subordinate, created being - Col. 1:15-17
- C. Rebellious against God - Isaiah 14:12-14
- D. Self-centered, desirous of worship - Matt. 4:8,9
- E. Liar - John 8:44
- F. Deceitful - Rev. 12:9
- G. Dangerous - I Peter 5:8

II. The Methods of Satan

- A. Distorts the truth - Get. 3:4,5
- B. Steals the truth - Matt. 13:19
- C. Deceives our thinking - II Cor 11:3
- D. Sets traps - I Tim. 3:7
- E. Uses others - Matt. 24:24
- F. Blinds us to truth - II Cor. 4:4

III. The Defense Against Satan

- A. Salvation & truth - II Thess. 2:9,10
- B. The armor of God - Eph 6:11
- C. Prayer for protection - John 17:15
- D. Forgiveness of others - II Cor. 2:10,11
- E. Apply the Word - Matt. 4:1-11

IV. Grace & Truth

- A. God, in His abundant grace, has given me the ability to live victoriously over satan's schemes
- B. Truth is my greatest weapon against satan