

YEAR OF CAIN/SPIRIT OF CAIN: WHAT THIS SPIRIT DOES

- 1. DECEIT**
- 2. INSOLENT**
- 3. ARROGANCE**
- 4. MURDER**
- 5. ENVY**
- 6. STRIFE**
- 7. VIOLENCE**
- 8. GREED**

DEMONIC SPIRITS COME IN CLUSTERS...

CAIN IN THE BIBLE SHOWS US HE WANTED TO APPROACH GOD, ON HIS OWN TERMS... WHEN HE KILLED HIS OWN BROTHER.

LET'S LOOK AT SOME PARALLELS IN THE BIBLE:

JOSEPH'S BROTHERS WHO SOLD HIM OUT

JACOB'S MOTHER REBEKKAH WHO CONVINCED JACOB TO STEAL HIS BROTHER ESSAU'S BIRTHRIGHT.

KING SAUL WAS CHOSEN BY GOD AND HE HAD EVERYTHING, BUT BECAUSE OF SIN, EVEN HE WAS TORMENTED, LIED, DISOBEDIENT, TO THE POINT, HE EVEN SOUGHT HELP FROM A WITCH.

KING HEROD WHO HAD THE FIRST BORN KILLED....

ALL OF THESE EXAMPLES WERE OF A CAIN SPIRIT, MURDERING, PRIDE, ETC...

WAYS OF CAIN:

DESCRIBES ANY RELIGIOUS SYSTEM THAT TRIES TO EARN THEIR WAY BY EVIL ACTIONS.

EMPHASIZES PRIDE RATHER THAN OUR NEED FOR GOD

LOOKS AT HUMANITY'S GOODNESS RATHER THAN HUMANITY'S SINFULNESS.

TAKES YOU AWAY FROM THE ONE TRUE PATH TO MANY PATHS.

LEADS TO ETERNAL DEATH RATHER THAN ETERNAL LIFE.

THE SPIRIT OF CAIN WEARS MANY HATS..., THIS SPIRIT WALKS HAND IN HAND WITH BALAAM

SCRIPTURES FOR READING :

JUDE 1:11

WOE UNTO THEM! FOR THEY HAVE GONE IN THE WAY OF CAIN, AND RAN GREEDILY AFTER THE ERROR OF BALAAM FOR REWARD, AND PERISH IN THE GAINSAING OF KORAH.

PHIL 3:19

WHOSE END IS DESTRUCTION, WHOSE GOD IS THEIR BELLY, AND WHOSE GLORY IS IN THEIR SHAME, WHO MIND EARTHLY THINGS

2 PET 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.

HEB 11:4

BY FAITH ABEL OFFERED UNTO GOD A MORE EXCELLENT SACRIFICE THAN CAIN, BY WHICH HE OBTAINED WITNESS THAT HE WAS RIGHTEOUS, GOD TESTIFYING OF HIS GIFTS, AND BY IT HE BEING DEAD YET SPEAKETH...

1 JOHN 3:12

NOT AS CAIN, WHO WAS OF THAT WICKED ONE, AND SLEW HIS BROTHER, AND WHEREFORE SLEW HE HIM? BECAUSE HIS OWN WORKS WERE EVIL, AND HIS BROTHER'S RIGHTEOUS...