

A LETTER TO YOU FROM SATAN

I saw you yesterday as you began your daily chores. You started your day without praying. As a matter of fact, you didn't even bless your meals, or pray before going to bed last night. You are so unthankful – I like that about you. I cannot tell you how glad I am that you have not changed your way of living, Fool, you are mine.

Remember, you and I have been going steady for years, and I still don't love you. As a matter of fact, I hate you, because I hate God. I am only using you to get even with God. He kicked me out of heaven, and I'm going to use you as long as possible to pay Him back.

You see, Fool, God loves you and He has great plans in store for you. But you have yielded your life to me, and I'm going to make your life a living hell. That way, we'll be together twice. This will really hurt God.

Thanks to you, I'm really showing Him who's boss in your life with all of the good times we've had. We have been watching dirty movies, cursing people out, stealing, lying, being hypocritical, fornicating, over eating, telling dirty jokes, gossiping, being judgmental, back-stabbing people, disrespecting others – especially those in leadership positions, no respect for the Church, bad attitudes. SURELY you don't want to give all this up.

Come on, Fool, let's burn together forever. We've got some hot plans for us. This is just letter of appreciation from me to you. I'd like to say THANKS for letting me use you for most of your foolish life. You are so gullible, I laugh at you. When you are tempted to sin, you give in. HA HA HA – you make me sick.

Sin is beginning to take its toll on your life. Before long I'll have you worn out and I'll need new blood. So go ahead and teach others – children, unbelievers, less-mature Christians. Show 'em how to sin. All you have to do is smoke weed, get drunk or drink while under-aged, cheat, gamble, gossip, fornicate, and live as selfish as possible. Do all of this in the presence of children and unbelievers and less-mature Christians, and they will do it too. They're like that.

Well, Fool, I have to let you go for now. I'll be back in a couple of seconds to tempt you again. If you were smart, you would run somewhere, confess your sins, and live for God with what life you have left. It's not my nature to warn anyone, but to be your age and still living a life of sin, it's becoming a bit ridiculous. Don't get me wrong, I still hate you.

Your “buddy,”

SATAN

P.S. – If you really love me, you won't share this letter with anyone.

SOME FACTS FROM THE BIBLE

For although they knew God, they neither glorified him as God nor gave thanks to Him, but their thinking became futile and their foolish hearts were darkened.

Romans 1:21

If you continue in unthankfulness, you'll continue to have your heart darkened.

Satan himself masquerades as an angel of light. It is not surprising, then, if his servants masquerade as servants of righteousness. Their end will be what their actions deserve.

2 Corinthians 11:14-15

Be discriminating about who you hang with, who you follow!

This is the verdict: Light has come into the world, but men loved darkness instead of light because their deeds were evil. Everyone who does evil hates the light, and will not come into the light for fear that his deeds will be exposed.

John 3:19-20

Have your deeds been evil? Have you been avoiding the light?

Don't you know that when you offer yourselves to someone to obey him as slaves, you are slaves to the one whom you obey — whether you are slaves to sin, which leads to death, or to obedience, which leads to righteousness?

Romans 1:16

WHO ARE YOU GOING TO SERVE?

Jesus said to them, "If God were your Father, you would love Me, for I came from God and now am here. I have not come on My own; but He sent Me. Why is My language not clear to you? Because you are unable to hear what I say. You belong to your father, the devil, and you want to carry out your father's desire. He was a murderer from the beginning, not holding to the truth, for there is no truth in him. When he lies, he speaks his native language, for he is a liar and the father of lies. Yet because I tell the truth, you do not believe Me!"

John 8:42-45

Jesus says your response to Him reflects who is your "father." Believe Satan's lies and Satan is your father. Believe Jesus and God is your Father!

(Believe = TRUST in Him!)

Jesus said, "The time has come! The Kingdom of God is near. Repent and believe the Gospel!"

Mark 1:15

Repent means to turn away from the sinful ways of the world! Turn to Jesus!

To believe the Gospel is to put your faith in the GOOD NEWS that:

"...Christ died for our sins just as the Scriptures said. He was buried, and He was raised from the dead on the third day..."

1st Corinthians 15:3-4

Faith in the Gospel is

LIFE-CHANGING FAITH !

Those God converts WILL change!

So, before entering into a faith relationship with Jesus Christ,

COUNT THE COST !

Jesus said, "Unless you repent, you too will all perish."

Luke 13:3

You **MUST** repent! You **MUST** turn away from your sins – and keep turning away for the rest of your life! In fact, repentance is the lifestyle of a healthy Christian!

At times, it will be **HARD!**

Hard or not, acceptance or refusal of this **GOOD NEWS** will determine your destiny.

"He who believes in the Son has everlasting life; and he who does not believe the Son shall not see life, but the wrath of God remains on him."

John 3:36

- ♥ Thank Jesus for dying for your sins,
- ♥ Declare that you're turning from your sin and turning to Him,
- ♥ Thank Jesus for rising from the dead so you can have a new life, and
- ♥ Believe on Jesus, trust Jesus, and receive Him into your life and be your Lord (your Master) and your Savior.



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