

12. The phrase “hidden rocks” depicts the treachery of what?
13. The phrase “water-less clouds” depicts the what?
14. The phrase “trees without fruit” depicts the what?
15. To depict the wasted effort of false teachers, Jude uses what phrase?
16. To depict the aimlessness that ends in total blackness, Jude uses what phrase?
17. The “love feast” was a meal that everyone ate together before celebrating what?
18. False teachers would feast without what?
19. Jude and Peter have a focus on false teachers who operate in the realm of what?
20. Sproul states that Heresy is...the occupation of the scholar and the theologian who are puffed up with knowledge and have no...” what?
21. To say that false teachers are “clouds without water” means that they have no what in them?
22. To be “carried along by the winds” means one has no what?
23. To be “late autumn trees without fruit, twice dead, pulled up by the roots” means the person is void of what?
24. False teachers are out of what?
25. Jude called false teachers “clouds without water” and Peter calls them what?
26. When Peter calls false teachers “wells (or springs) without water,” he is using powerful imagery to say that they are worse than what?
27. False teachers don’t have any fixed and firm convictions drawn from the what?
28. “...the blackness of darkness...” is a reference to what?
29. In verse 18, Peter seems to be saying that false teachers prey on people who are looking for what?
30. False teachers are often articulate because they are often what?
31. False teachers may sound spiritual or profound in what they say but they often allure through the what?
32. What word is often used in the New Testament to refer to the sin nature in general?
33. False teachers promote a kind of religion that tells people they can be right with God and, at the same time, hold on to what?
34. “Our message has to evolve as society evolves” is a lie that appeals to the what?
35. False teachers promise people what?
36. People don’t realize that false teachers are slaves of what?
37. Some false teachers are slaves of what various things?
 - a. A _____
 - b. P _____
 - c. I _____
 - d. Financial _____
 - e. Drug _____
38. By what a man is overcome, by this he is what?
39. If you are trapped by the error of a false teacher, you become a slave of whom?
40. Whatever overcomes a man or defeats a man becomes the what?

41. To what or to whom are you enslaved?

God did not give you His Word to make you a smarter sinner. He gave you His Word to make you more like His Son. Apply what you learn!

Remember: Your responsibility, by God's enabling, is to consistently apply the divine principles and truths you have heard (Philippians 2:12-13; I Timothy 4:7-9; James 1:22-27). As you meditate on this message, ask yourself these questions:

- »»How does God want my beliefs/actions to change?
- »»How can I accomplish this change?
- »»What is the first step toward bringing about this change?

FOR NEXT TIME:

1. Read 2nd Peter through one time
2. Read 2nd Peter 1:1-2:22 five times this week
3. What is the most tragic story in the Bible?
4. What is an apostate? Who is an example in Scripture of an apostate?
5. Why do dogs return to their vomit and pigs return to the mud?

**BLACKEST DARKNESS IS RESERVED FOR THEM
2nd Peter 2:17-19**

The following are questions designed to facilitate greater learning and deeper understanding of spiritual truths presented in the sermon "**Blackest Darkness Is Reserved For Them**," as the sermon is presented. We hope that it will be a catalyst to spiritual growth in your life.

1. The last stanza of Love Without End implies that because God is love, everyone is what?
2. There is no doubt that God is what?
3. Where do we find the statement, "God is love"?
4. The same chapter that twice affirms that God is love is the same chapter that warns against what?
5. False teachers can lead people astray and turn people away from what?
6. In the second chapter of 2nd Peter, he is warning us about what?
7. In 2 Peter 2:10-16, Peter gives us a what of false teachers?
8. In verses 10-13a, Peter sets forth false teachers' what?
9. And in verses 13b-16, Peter speaks of false teachers' what?
10. Peter's basic message in this section is that false teachers who lead others astray with their error will not escape what?
11. In verses 5-11 of Jude's letter, Jude uses almost every literary device possible to describe what?

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