

Worship Sunday 10:20 AM Bible Study Sunday 5:00 PM Wednesday 7:00 PM

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Trust in the LORD forever, For in GOD the LORD, we have an everlasting Rock. Isaiah 26:4

#### Store In My Heart

Psalms 91:4

He will cover you with his pinions, and under his wings you will find refuge; his faithfulness is a shield and buckler.

Another Psalm that speaks of God's protection for those who are His. As a bird will cover her little ones to give shelter in times of difficulty, God will spread over us as a protection from the trials and difficulties of this world. A bird will rarely protect those that are not her own and God's protection is reserved for those who follow Him.

The second image is of shield and buckler. God stands between us and the enemy as protection. Again it is conditional. We must put our trust in God or His protection will not be ours.

In a society rushing after sin, we need to submit to God for the protection we need against the wickedness around us.



April 2023

## Gospel Meeting **April 23-27** Jared Hagan Of Brookhill, AL Sunday 10:20 am & 5:00 pm Monday - Thursday 7:00 pm The Quitting Bell Lazarus and the problem of suffering Imperfect but Saved The Thief on the Cross

Resurrections of the Old Testament Relief for the Afflicted – Comfort Worthy of the Gospel

#### **Contact Us**

We want opportunities to speak with others about the Lord's Kingdom.

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#### For Our Information

Merrill Berryhill is healing from skin cancer treatments.

David Laubach has colon test tomorrow.

Jim Soliday is doing better. He should get last week's heart test results this week.

Ruben Keisler still has dr appointments regarding his spine problems.

This afternoon we start in 2Kings 15:27

Wednesday we will start Hebrews 11:7.

Pray for our meeting. Flyers are available for mailing or handing out



# Satan's Craftiness

### **Gilbert Alexander**

Beware of the craftiness of Satan. The wiles of the devil are many, and we must stand against them (**Ephesians 6:11**). The whole armor of God is the only effectual means that we have to overcome the deceit that the evil one uses against us. Even in the midst of religious activity, Satan casts his seeds of doubt to undermine the faith of the unwary and the easily deceived ones. He comes sometimes through "learned" professors and "theologians" from religious schools and universities to tell the world that "the faith" of the Word of God (**Jude 3**) is actually a composite of legends, traditions, and symbols borrowed from Roman paganism. These "professors" tell the world that facts of historical events, authorship of the Scriptures, and even the true identity of characters in the Bible may have no basis in reality.

By casting doubt upon the authenticity of the Scriptures, the devil tries to undermine the whole structure of the faith by destroying its foundation. In truth, no human history has the credentials of the Scriptures. No human history has been scrutinized and validated over and over as the Scriptures have. One of Satan's devices is the equating of human tradition and Scripture so that, by showing the fallacies of some human traditions, he may try to make the Scriptures appear to be false. Those who give good and diligent heed to the Scriptures are, by their knowledge of the Word of God, able to recognize and distinguish human tradition and to see their errors. The Scriptures warn of apostasy, and it has occurred many times, but truth remains true (**Hebrews 3:12; 2Thessalonians 2:3-4; 1Timothy 4:1-7**). Simply reading the Scriptures thoughtfully surely will impress the reader with the wisdom, goodness, and harmony of the Word of God. Faith comes by hearing the Word of God (**Romans 10:17**), and faith is sustained and strengthened by the Word of God (**Colossians 1:9-12; 1John 2:14**).

Search the Scriptures. See what the Bible actually teaches. Strengthen and solidify your faith by the knowledge of the Word of God. Learn by careful study how to handle aright the Word of Truth. Feed upon the milk and meat of the Word, and it will bring health to your soul.

(Placing doubt about the Word of God in the mind of men has been used by the evil one since the beginning of time. It will be his way to deceive until the end of time. Too many do not believe in God simply because they have not read and considered His Word due to this simple deception. DLH)