## ~MISLEAD (114)

[English, give the wrong impression about, misinform, deceive, lie to, hoodwink, delude, take in]

- First he showed, that it would take some time for his personal presence among them to unfold, for he said that prior to that presence, many others would come forth claiming to be him, and that these people would mislead many others, who would willingly follow after them. In fact many men have come forth over time telling others that they were Christ, but they have to date all been found to be false Messiahs. Other conditions needed to be right for the presence of the true Messiah. Thus Jesus warned them, not to be misled!
- For many will come on the basis of my name, saying; I am the Christ, and will mislead many. (Matthew 24:5)
- During this time also, many false prophets would arise, and they would mislead many away from the true Messiah, and his true presence. This certainly has happened with men like Jim Jones and many others who thought that they were the Christ, and could lead people to God.
- And many false prophets will arise and mislead many. (Matthew 24:11)
- During the time of Christ's presence many others would come forth claiming to be him, and they would perform many signs and wonders so as to mislead, if possible, even God's true anointed sons. How then could the true Messiah come to be recognized?
- For false Christ's and false prophets will arise and will give great signs and wonders so as to mislead, if possible, even the chosen ones. (Matthew 24:24)
- He then warned them, that before he returned, that there would be many who would come forth on the basis of his name, stating before all others, that they were the Messiah. These wicked men would indeed mislead many people, but they were not to be deceived by such impostors.
- Many will come on the basis of my name, saying; I am he, and will mislead many. (Mark 13:6)

- John has written them these things to counter those men who are introducing other teachings that are not scriptural. Their goal is to try to mislead others, so that they will follow them, and not the truth. Look at Christendom today, and you will see that it is full of men who follow one another, and not the Bible or God's Holy Spirit. You must worship with spirit and truth!
- These things I write you about those who are trying to mislead you. (1 John 2:26)
- John does not want these little children in the truth to be misled by anyone. People who carry on in righteous conduct, are righteous, and the foremost example of a righteous man is Jesus Christ, who they are following after.
- Little children, let no one mislead you, he who carries on righteousness is righteous, just as that one is righteous. (1 John 3:7)
- His being hurled into the abyss is the crushing of his head because he dies and then only exists in God's memory. Without his evil influence the people of the earth will take an entirely different course. They will do this of their own free will in open response to the good teachings and the positive influences of the New Jerusalem, Zion, God's capital organization on earth.
- Then after one thousand years of such fine rulership Satan will be brought back for a little while so that all mankind can make a truly informed decision on whose rulership they prefer, Yehowah's or Satan's.
- And he hurled him into the abyss and shut it and sealed it over him, that he might not mislead the nations anymore until the thousand years were ended. After these things he must be let loose for a little while. (Revelation 20:3)
- He will again take up his misleading way by gathering nations who are far away, in the four corners of the earth ones who are disposed to want to break free from Zion's rule. Then at the center of the earth, the New Jerusalem will peacefully rule the earth.
- These nations in the four corners are Gog and Magog, ones who are disposed to go along with Satan. Their number is described as the sand of the sea, not necessarily, because of its size but rather because of

it being uncountable, or unforeseeable. It is not predetermined as any number and we will all just have to wait and see how many it will be.

And he will go out to mislead those nations in the four corners of the earth, Gog and Magog, to gather them together for the war. The number of these is as the sand of the sea. (Revelation 20:8)