*Thursday, October 10, 2013*

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I John 4:1-3 Beloved, believe not every spirit, but try the spirits whether they are of God: because many false prophets are gone out into the world. 2 Hereby know you the Spirit of God: Every spirit that confesses that Jesus Christ is come in the flesh is of God: 3 And every spirit that confesses not that Jesus Christ is come in the flesh is not of God: and this is that spirit of antichrist, whereof ye have heard that it should come; and even now already is it in the world. (KJV)

Name that Lord; sounds like a popular game show where whoever gives the right response gets the prize. Well, what you actually see is a test, a spiritual one to see if the person preaching has received the revelation of Christ personally and is teaching the people the complete name of our Lord. Those who confess Jesus Christ is come in the flesh are those people who know who they are in Christ and understand the mystery of the gospel that is hid to the outward carnal man who only sees and understands Jesus after the flesh.

Romans 8:7-9 Because the carnal mind is enmity against God: for it is not subject to the law of God, neither indeed can be. 8 So then they that are in the flesh cannot please God. 9 But ye are not in the flesh, but in the Spirit, if so be that the Spirit of God dwell in you. Now if any man has not the Spirit of Christ, he is none of his. (KJV)

If the preacher or teacher does not have a working knowledge of Christ the Son of God then they are not going to be acknowledged by God. This is why we have so many manmade doctrines and denominations floating around. Once you allow the Lord to reveal the Son to you personally then you will be able to see right through these facades and walk away from this carnal nonsense man settles for.

II John 1:7-8 For many deceivers are entered into the world, who confess not that Jesus Christ is come in the flesh. This is a deceiver and an antichrist. 8 Look to yourselves, that we lose not those things which we have wrought, but that we receive a full reward. (KJV)

Notice again that when we see Christ involved in the doctrine, it is then that you are complete and able to receive your full reward, not just the bits and pieces many others settle for. Those that don’t know the name which is above every name, and who they are in Christ are considered deceivers and not receivers.

II John 1:9-11 Whosoever transgresses, and abides not in the doctrine of Christ, hath not God. He that abides in the doctrine of Christ, he hath both the Father and the Son. 10 If there come any unto you, and bring not this doctrine, receive him not into your house, neither bid him God speed: 11 For he that bids him God speed is partaker of his evil deeds. (KJV)

The revelation of Christ is what allows you to know our Father who in turn reveals to you who His Son is and what name He goes by. I know those other doctrines look good and sound so close; being preached by all those nice people, but this is just the comfort zone the enemy likes to see people settle for. However, these are the same preachers who thought they were speaking on behalf of our Lord; only to find out they didn’t know His name.

Galatians 1:6-8 I marvel that ye are so soon removed from him that called you into the grace of Christ unto another gospel: 7 Which is not another; but there be some that trouble you, and would pervert the gospel of Christ. 8 But though we, or an angel from heaven, preach any other gospel unto you than that which we have preached unto you, let him be accursed. (KJV)

If you had a son and came home one day from work only to find out someone had switched him and gave you someone else’s son instead would you accept him, or would you be a bit put off? Well our Father in heaven doesn’t expect you to settle for a stranger’s son, but for nothing less than His own Son.

God bless dearly loved, and have a prosperous day in Christ Jesus our Lord.