

**“A TEACHERS & STUDENTS GUIDE”
TO:**

**A BIBLICAL PERSPECTIVE
OF THE**

“OCCULT”

AND IT'S EFFECT ON THE CHURCH



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This booklet is being written and produced for the benefit of those, who, because of the growing influence of the "Occult" on ourselves and on our children, need additional scriptural information in order to combat the enemy and to:

Hide it's words in our hearts, that we might not sin against Him".

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WHAT IS THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN THE WORDS "CULT" AND "OCCULT?"

Cult - Obsessive devotion to a person(s), or ideal(s), without complete Counsel of The Word of God.

Occult - The Rituals of a Cult; especially when influenced supernaturally, through demonic persuasion.

WHY IS THERE A RESURGENCE OF THE OCCULT BELIEFS AND PRACTICES?

1. THE COMPROMISING OF THE GOSPEL

The late "Bishop James Pike" rejected the biblical position on the

- a) **The Deity of Christ**
- b) **The Virgin Birth**
- c) **Other essential doctrines**

When his son died, since he had rejected the basic principals of faith, he turn to Mediums to contact his son. As a result, Pike became a firm believer in life after death, but through the Occult, not through the Gospel. He not only brought himself to destruction, but many others followed him, and are today, still following him into that abyss.

2. THE WILLINGNESS TO TRY JUST ABOUT ANYTHING THAT MIGHT HAVE AN ANSWER TO THEIR QUESTIONS.

The can be no question that the minds of men and women, young and old alike are being affected by the Media. Looking for answers that will spiritually cost them nothing, even something that they might be able to "buy", without needing to "confess their sins" and be "born again".

The occult fits that perfectly, for about \$ 4.00 a minute on some channels, they intimate that you can have all of life's questions answered.

What a deal, instant answers to life's eternal questions.

What do they call this "instant answer syndrome"? NEW LIFE, YES, NEW LIFE, does that have a familiar sound to it. I listened as I heard their testimonies, their dialog, the marketing of their product, it is geared to reach the gullible, the spiritual nieve, the people at the end of themselves.

Listen, the larger the audience, the more "chance" for some of these "psychics" to make a statement that the listener will feel was just for them.

Listen carefully, and you will hear them keep their "revelations" generic, (meaning it could be applied to many different needs). enough to make them fit just about any situation within that particular revelation area. Strangely enough, most of those listening, are so intent on getting an answer, hopefully one that may even confirm what they have always wanted, that they will readily accept what is said, and treat it as "absolute truth".

3. STRANGELY ENOUGH, THE OCCULT OFFERS A CERTAIN AMOUNT OF "VIRTUAL" REALITY TO SOME PEOPLE.

It is only just beginning, but the age of *Virtual Reality* is upon us. Put the head gear on, and put yourself in a "world" to which you do not belong, but can for a while be a part of, being on the outside watching at the same time becoming a part of the "action" taking place. Frightening, yes. Is it really here, yes, and in my humble opinion, just as it can be used with simply putting on a "Virtual Reality" helmet, so the mind is taken over by the suggestions, impulses, and ultimate sensitivity to the "Virtual Reality of the Occult". While not real, it appears to put us into the mental arena we desire to be in.

When it comes to life's basic questions, the OCCULT seems to provide answers that at least meet a need not being met being answered by Christianity, perhaps due

to lack of knowledge of the scriptures or disappointment in those professing to be Christians, or in not taking advantage of available teaching. other areas. This is why, at least in my opinion, there needs to be "testimonies" from those that have a knowledge of Jesus Christ through His word and their personal experience, in addition, we need churches that "preach the word" and are in fact, instant in season and out of season.

If we believe that the Bible does not just contain Gods word, but is in fact, God's word, and that it is the only infallible rule of faith and practice, we may become more diligent in "teaching others".

The Bible is the only book that tells us where we came from, where we are, and where we are going.

Let's not let the occult provide *temporal* answers to questions of *eternal* importance.

Do you remember what the powers of hell endeavored to do when Moses was being used of God when confronting Pharaoh

EXODUS 7

8 And the LORD spake unto Moses and unto Aaron, saying,

9 When Pharaoh shall speak unto you, saying, Show a miracle for you: then thou shalt say unto Aaron, Take thy rod, and cast [it] before Pharaoh, [and] it shall become a serpent.

10 And Moses and Aaron went in unto Pharaoh, and they did so as the LORD had commanded: and Aaron cast

down his rod before Pharaoh, and before his servants, and it became a serpent.

11 Then Pharaoh also called the wise men and the *SORCERERS: now the MAGICIANS of Egypt, they also did in like manner with their ENCHANTMENTS.*

12 For they cast down every man his rod, *and they became serpents:*

but Aaron's rod swallowed up their rods.

13 And he hardened Pharaoh's heart, that he hearkened not unto them; as the LORD had said.

14 And the LORD said unto Moses, Pharaoh's heart [is] hardened, he refuseth to let the people go.

Exodus 7:22

22 And the *MAGICIANS of Egypt did so with their ENCHANTMENTS: and Pharaoh's heart was hardened, neither did he hearken unto them; as the LORD had said.*

4. IT IS ALSO A "SIGN OF THE TIMES"

Do you recall the warnings that are given about "deception" in the letter Paul had written to the Thessalonian believers.

II Thess. Chapter 2

1 Now we beseech you, brethren, by the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ, and [by] our gathering together unto him,

2 That ye be not soon shaken in mind, or be troubled, neither by spirit, nor by word, nor by letter as from us, as that the day of Christ is at hand.

3 Let no man deceive you by any means: for [that day shall not come], except there come a falling away first, and that man of sin be revealed, the son of perdition;

4 Who opposeth and exalteth himself above all that is called God, or that is worshipped; so that he as God sitteth in the temple of God, showing himself that he is God.

5 Remember ye not, that, when I was yet with you, I told you these things?

6 And now ye know what withholdeth that he might be revealed in his time.

7 For the mystery of iniquity doth already work: only he who now letteth [will let], until he be taken out of the way.

8 And then shall that Wicked be revealed, whom the Lord shall consume with the spirit of his mouth, and shall destroy with the brightness of his coming:

9 [Even him], whose coming is after the working of Satan with all power and signs and lying wonders,

10 And with all deceivableness of unrighteousness in them that perish; because they received not the love of the truth, that they might be saved.

11 And for this cause God shall send them strong delusion, that they should believe a lie:

12 That they all might be damned who believed not the truth, but had pleasure in unrighteousness.

DECEPTION THROUGH LYING AND OTHER FORMS OF DECEIT WILL BECOME MORE AND MORE PREVALENT AS WE APPROACH THE COMING OF THE LORD.

PLEASE TAKE SPECIAL NOTE OF VRS 11 IN II THESS. AND VRS. 25 IN ROMANS I.

Romans 1:

17 For therein is the righteousness of God revealed from faith to faith: as it is written, The just shall live by faith.

18 For the *wrath of God is revealed from heaven* against all ungodliness and unrighteousness of men, *who hold the truth in unrighteousness*;

19 Because that which may be known of God is manifest in them; for God hath showed [it] unto them.

20 For the invisible things of him from the creation of the world are clearly seen, being understood by the things that are made, [even] his eternal power and Godhead; so that they are without excuse:

21 Because that, when they knew God, they glorified [him] not as God, neither were thankful; but became vain in their imaginations, and their foolish heart was darkened.

22 Professing themselves to be wise, they became fools,

23 And changed the glory of the uncorruptible God into an image made like to corruptible man, and to birds, and fourfooted beasts, and creeping things.

24 Wherefore God also gave them up to uncleanness through the lusts of their own hearts, to dishonour their own bodies between themselves:

25 Who *changed the truth of God into a lie*, and worshipped and served the creature more than the Creator, who is blessed for ever. Amen.

II. OCCULT GLOSSARY OF TERMS:

MAGICIANS,

This is another source of occultism forbidden by God. Most magicians today will readily admit that their trickery is explained by sleight-of-hand, misdirection, and other illusions, some intentionally deceive the gullible and pretend to have supernatural power over elements.

ENCHANTMENTS,

are referred to as incantations by some Bible translators. In the showdown between Moses and the wizards, Ex. 7:11, enchanters and those with magic books were no match for the genuine power of God. They did manage to imitate, but had to ultimately realize that the Power of God was greater.

DIVINATION,

Is an act of fortune-telling, or supposedly telling someone their future

WITCHCRAFT,

Is the dualistic practice of worshipping the god and goddess of nature, including the rituals used in the gaining of power over elements.

It is interesting to note that Peace, was removed from the land because Jezebel practiced witchcraft. Along with the O. T. References to witchcraft, the New Testament also condemns it in the letter Paul wrote to the church at Galatia recorded in Gal. 5:20.

**PROGNOSTICATORS, SOOTHSAYING,
CLAIRVOYANCE,**

Are all the practice of having innate (from within) knowledge of the future

SORCERY,

Seems to indicate a person proficient in the use of drugs. (See scriptures on sorcery)

ASTROLOGERS, STARGAZERS,

Those through evil powers endeavor to interpret the future through the study of the stars.

MEDIUMS,

Otherwise called SPIRITISM, OR NECROMANCY, which involves the conjuring up the dead.

WIZARDS,

One who possesses a Familiar Spirit

FAMILIAR SPIRITS

One through which an evil spirit or spirits may speak through, or in some cases even using men to write through. This, in my opinion, is why we are constantly being plagued by erroneous information being made equal to, or even beyond, the "Written Word of God", ie: the "Book of the Mormon", (Mormons) "The Keys to the Scripture and Health", (used by the Christian Scientist Organization), or "The

New World Translation", no doubt written especially for the promulgation of the (Jehovah's Witnesses doctrine").

OMENS OR SIGNS,

These are statements from the WORD as to the credibility of the Miracles claimed by the Occult.

Isaiah 44:25 Indicates: "He causeth the omens to fail just so they would see their folly".

Deut. 18:10-12 lets us know that, "it is an abomination to seek Omens".

INTERPRETING OMENS is often connected with snake charming.

**SCRIPTURES CONTAINING
THESE OCCULT TERMS:**

MAGICIANS, ENCHANTMENTS, SOOTHSAYERS,
DIVINATION, FAMILIARS SPIRITS,
WITCHCRAFT, PROGNOSTICATORS,
STARGAZERS, SORCERERS, ASTROLOGERS,

Genesis 41: 8 And it came to pass in the morning that his spirit was troubled; and he sent and called for all the *MAGICIANS* of Egypt, and all the wise men thereof: and Pharaoh told them his dream; but [there was] none that could interpret them unto Pharaoh.

Genesis 41: 24 And the thin ears devoured the seven good ears: and I told [this] unto the *MAGICIANS*; but [there was] none that could declare [it] to me.

Exodus 7: 11 Then Pharaoh also called the wise men and the *SORCERERS*: now the *MAGICIANS* of Egypt, they also did in like manner with their *ENCHANTMENTS*.

Exodus 7: 22 And the *MAGICIANS* of Egypt did so with their *ENCHANTMENTS*: and Pharaoh's heart was hardened, neither did he hearken unto them; as the *LORD* had said.

Exodus 8: 7 And the *MAGICIANS* did so with their *ENCHANTMENTS*, and brought up frogs upon the land of Egypt.

Exodus 8: 18 And the *MAGICIANS* did so with their *ENCHANTMENTS* to bring forth lice, but they could not: so there were lice upon man, and upon beast.

Exodus 8: 19 Then the *MAGICIANS* said unto Pharaoh, This [is] the finger of God: and Pharaoh's heart was hardened, and he hearkened not unto them; as the LORD had said.

Exodus 9: 11 And the *MAGICIANS* could not stand before Moses because of the boils; for the boil was upon the *MAGICIANS*, and upon all the Egyptians.

Leviticus 19: 31 Regard not them that have *FAMILIAR SPIRITS*, neither seek after *WIZARDS*, to be defiled by them: I [am] the LORD your God.

Leviticus 20: 6 And the soul that turneth after such as have *FAMILIAR SPIRITS*, and after *WIZARDS*, to go a whoring after them, I will even set my face against that soul, and will cut him off from among his people.

Numbers 24: 1 And when Balaam saw that it pleased the LORD to bless Israel, he went not, as at other times, to seek for *ENCHANTMENTS*, but he set his face toward the wilderness.

Deuteronomy 18: 11 Or a *CHARMER*, or a *CONSULTER WITH FAMILIAR SPIRITS*, or a *WIZARD*, or a *NECROMANCER*.

1 Samuel 15: 23 For *REBELLION* [is as] the sin of *WITCHCRAFT*, and *STUBBORNNESS* [is as] *INIQUITY AND IDOLATRY*. Because thou hast rejected the word of the LORD, he hath also rejected thee from [being] king.

1 Samuel 28:3 Now Samuel was dead, and all Israel had lamented him, and buried him in Ramah,

even in his own city. And Saul had put away those that had *FAMILIAR SPIRITS*, and the *WIZARDS*, out of the land.

1 Samuel 28:9 And the woman said unto him, Behold, thou knowest what Saul hath done, how he hath cut off those that have *FAMILIAR SPIRITS*, and the *WIZARDS*, out of the land: wherefore then layest thou a snare for my life, to cause me to die?

2 Kings 17:17 And they caused their sons and their daughters to pass through the fire, and used *DIVINATION* and *ENCHANTMENTS*, and sold themselves to do evil in the sight of the LORD, to provoke him to anger.

2 Kings 21:6 And he made his son pass through the fire, and observed times, and used *ENCHANTMENTS*, and dealt with *FAMILIAR SPIRITS* and *WIZARDS*: he wrought much wickedness in the sight of the LORD, to provoke [him] to anger.

2 Kings 23:24 Moreover the [workers with] *FAMILIAR SPIRITS*, and the *WIZARDS*, and the *IMAGES*, and the *IDOLS*, and all the abominations that were spied in the land of Judah and in Jerusalem, did Josiah put away, that he might perform the words of the law which were written in the book that Hilkiah the priest found in the house of the LORD.

2 Chronicles 33:6 And he caused his children to pass through the fire in the valley of the son of Hinnom: also he *OBSERVED TIMES*, and used *ENCHANTMENTS*, and used *WITCHCRAFT*, and dealt with a

FAMILIAR SPIRIT, and with *WIZARDS*:
he wrought much evil in the sight of the
LORD, to provoke him to anger.

Isaiah 2:6 Therefore thou hast forsaken thy people the
house of Jacob, because they be
replenished from the east, and [are]
SOOTHSAYERS like the Philistines, and
they please themselves in the children of
strangers.

Isaiah 8:19 And when they shall say unto you, Seek unto
them that have *FAMILIAR SPIRITS*, and unto
WIZARDS that peep, and that mutter: should
not a people seek unto their God? for the
living to the dead?

Isaiah 19:3 And the spirit of Egypt shall fail in the midst
thereof; and I will destroy the counsel thereof:
and they shall seek to the idols, and to the
CHARMERS, and to them that have
FAMILIAR SPIRITS, and to the *WIZARDS*.

Isaiah 47:9 But these two [things] shall come to thee in a
moment in one day, the loss of children, and
widowhood: they shall come upon thee in
their perfection for the multitude of thy
SORCERIES, [and] for the great abundance of
thine *ENCHANTMENTS*.

Isaiah 47:12 Stand now with thine *ENCHANTMENTS*,
and with the multitude of

thy *SORCERIES*, wherein thou hast laboured from thy youth; if so be thou shalt be able to profit, if so be thou mayest prevail.

Isaiah 47:13 Thou art wearied in the multitude of thy counsels. Let now the *ASTROLOGERS*, the *STARGAZERS*, the monthly *PROGOSTICATORS*, stand up, and save thee from [these things] that shall come upon thee.

Daniel 1:20 And in all matters of wisdom [and] understanding, that the king inquired of them, he found them ten times better than all the *MAGICIANS* [and] *ASTROLOGERS* that [were] in all his realm.

Daniel 2:2 Then the king commanded to call the *MAGICIANS*, and the *ASTROLOGERS*, and the *SORCERERS*, and the Chaldeans, for to show the king his dreams. So they came and stood before the king.

Daniel 2:27 Daniel answered in the presence of the king, and said, The secret which the king hath demanded cannot the wise [men], the *ASTROLOGERS*, the *MAGICIANS*, the *SOOTHSAYERS*, show unto the king;

Daniel 4:7 Then came in the *MAGICIANS*, the *ASTROLOGERS*, the Chaldeans, and the *SOOTHSAYERS*: and I told the dream before them; but they did not make known unto me the interpretation thereof.

Daniel 4:9 O Belteshazzar, master of the *MAGICIANS*, because I know that the spirit of the holy gods [is] in thee, and no secret troubleth thee, tell me the visions of my dream that I have seen, and the interpretation thereof.

Daniel 5:11 There is a man in thy kingdom, in whom [is] the spirit of the holy gods; and in the days of thy father light and understanding and wisdom, like the wisdom of the gods, was found in him; whom the king Nebuchadnezzar thy father, the king, [I say], thy father, made master of the *MAGICIANS*, *ASTROLOGERS*, Chaldeans, [and] *SOOTHSAYERS*;

Daniel 5:15 And now the wise [men], the *ASTROLOGERS*, have been brought in before me, that they should read this writing, and make known unto me the interpretation thereof: but they could not show the interpretation of the thing:

Micah 5:12 And I will cut off *WITCHCRAFTS* out of thine hand; and thou shalt have no [more] *SOOTHSAYERS*:

Occult practices, such as *FORTUNE-TELLING* and *WITCHCRAFT*, which were common among the pagan nations of the ancient world. But **such attempts to control evil spirits were expressly forbidden to the Hebrew people.**

Deut 18:10 11 mentions the following **specific occult practices** which were **forbidden** by the law of Moses.

Deut 18:10 There shall not be found among you any one that maketh his son or his daughter to pass through the fire, or that useth *DIVINATION*, or an *OBSERVER OF TIMES*, or an *ENCHANTER*, or a *WITCH*,
11 Or a *CHARMER*, or a consulter with *FAMILIAR SPIRITS*, or a *WIZARD*, or a *NECROMANCER*. (KJV)

10 Let no one be found among you who sacrifices his son or daughter in the fire, who **practices *DIVINATION* or *SORCERY, INTERPRETS OMENS, engages in *WITCHCRAFT*,***
11 or casts *SPELLS*, or who is *A MEDIUM OR SPIRITIST* or who *CONSULTS THE DEAD*. (NIV)

Passing a Son or Daughter Through the Fire. This phrase refers to the practice of child sacrifice. This seems incredible to us today, but the very fact that it was outlawed by God indicates it must have been done in Bible times

II KI 16:3 records that King Ahaz sacrificed his son in this way. No doubt he thought that such a sacrifice would appease some pagan god. His grandson, King Manasseh, sacrificed his sons two generations later

II Ki 16:3 But he walked in the way of the kings of Israel, yea, and made his son to pass through

the fire, according to the abominations of the heathen, whom the LORD cast out from before the children of Israel. (KJV)

II Ki 21:6 And he made his son pass through the fire, and *OBSERVED TIMES*, and used *ENCHANTMENTS*, and dealt with *FAMILIAR SPIRITS* and *WIZARDS*: he wrought much wickedness in the sight of the LORD, to provoke him to anger. (KJV)

2 Chr 33:6 And he caused his children to pass through the fire in the valley of the son of Hinnom: also he *OBSERVED TIMES*, and used *ENCHANTMENTS*, and used *WITCHCRAFT*, and dealt with a *FAMILIAR SPIRIT*, and with *WIZARDS*: he wrought much evil in the sight of the LORD, to provoke him to anger. (KJV)

II Kings 23:10 reveals that it was mainly the *PAGAN GOD MOLECH* who required this awful sacrifice. But other false gods apparently also demanded it

II Ki 23:10 And he defiled Topheth, which is in the valley of the children of Hinnom, that no man might make his son or his daughter to pass through the fire to Molech. (KJV)

II Ki 17:31 And the Avites made Nibhaz and Tartak, and the Sepharvites BURNT THEIR CHILDREN IN FIRE to Adrammelech and Anammelech, the gods of Sepharvaim. (KJV)

Jer 19:5 They have built also the *HIGH PLACES* of *Baal*, to *BURN THEIR SONS WITH FIRE FOR BURNT OFFERINGS UNTO BAAL*,

which I commanded not, nor spake it, neither
came it into my mind: **(KJV)**

WITCHCRAFT. The practice of **WITCHCRAFT**, or **DIVINATION**, was a means for extracting information or guidance from a pagan god. The word describes the activity of Balaam **THE SOOTHSAYER, OR PROFESSIONAL PROPHET**, who was hired to curse Israel

Num 22:7 And the elders of Moab and the elders of Midian departed with the rewards of **DIVINATION** in their hand; and they came unto Balaam, and spake unto him the words of Balak. **(KJV)**

Num 23:23 Surely there is no enchantment against Jacob, neither is there any **DIVINATION** against Israel: according to this time it shall be said of Jacob and of Israel, What hath God wrought! **(KJV)**

Josh 13:22 Balaam also the son of Beor, the soothsayer, did the children of Israel slay with the **SWORD** among them that were slain by them. **(KJV)**

It also describes the woman at En Dor who brought up the spirit of Samuel. All the major prophets condemned **DIVINATION**.

Isa 44:25 That frustrateth the tokens of the liars, and **MAKETH DIVINERS MAD**; that turneth wise men backward, and maketh their knowledge foolish; **(KJV)**

Jer 27:9 Therefore hearken not ye to your prophets, nor to your **DIVINERS**, nor to your **DREAMERS** nor to your **ENCHANTERS**, nor to your **SORCERERS**, which speak unto you, saying, Ye shall not serve the king of **BABYLON**: **(KJV)**

Jer 29:8 For thus saith the **LORD** of hosts, the God of Israel; Let not your prophets and your

DIVINERS, that be in the midst of you,
deceive you, neither hearken to your dreams
which ye cause to be dreamed. (**KJV**)

Ezek 13:9 And mine hand shall be upon the prophets
that see vanity, and that divine lies: they shall
not be in the assembly of my people, neither
shall they be written in the writing of the house
of Israel, neither shall they enter into the land of
Israel; and ye shall know that I am the Lord
GOD. (**KJV**)

The only places where information is given on the actual means
people used in ***DIVINATION*** is in

Gen 44:5 Is not this it in which my lord drinketh, and
whereby indeed he ***DIVINETH?*** ye have
done evil in so doing. (**KJV**)

Ezek 21:21 For the king of ***BABYLON*** stood at the
parting of the way, at the head of the two
ways, to use ***DIVINATION***: he made his
arrows bright, he ***CONSULTED WITH***
IMAGES, he ***LOOKED IN THE LIVER***.

22 At his right hand was the ***DIVINATION*** for
Jerusalem, to appoint captains, to open the
mouth in the slaughter, to lift up the voice
with shouting, to appoint battering rams
against the gates, to cast a mount, and to
build a fort. (**KJV**)

In the case of Joseph's divining cup, the diviner apparently
interpreted the shape of a puddle of oil floating on the water in
the cup describes the king of ***BABYLON*** as he tried to decide
which way to approach Jerusalem. It portrays him as throwing
down a handful of arrows, hoping that a certain one will point
to a route which he believes is the will of his god. It also
records that "***HE CONSULTS THE IMAGES, HE LOOKS***
AT THE LIVER"

Ezek 21:21 For the king of *BABYLON* stood at the parting of the way, at the head of the two ways, to use *DIVINATION*: he made his arrows bright, he consulted with images, **he looked in the liver.**

READING AND INTERPRETING THE LIVERS OF SACRIFICIAL ANIMALS was *ANOTHER FORM OF DETERMINING THE WILL OF THE GODS*. All these forms of superstition, of course were forbidden among the Hebrew people.

Soothsaying. Soothsaying is a relatively rare word in the Bible which describes some form of *DIVINATION*, the practitioner of which is also described by the **KJV** as
"OBSERVER OF TIMES"

Deut 18:10 There shall not be found among you any one that maketh his son or his daughter to *pass through the fire*, or that useth *DIVINATION*, or an *OBSERVER OF TIMES*, or an *ENCHANTER*, or a *WITCH*,
11 Or a *CHARMER*, or a consulter with *FAMILIAR SPIRITS*, or a *WIZARD*, or a *NECROMANCER*. (**KJV**)

Because it sounds like a Hebrew word for cloud, some scholars believe it refers to cloud reading. This may have been similar to tea leaf reading or astrology, which is a reading of the stars. God forbids the practice

Lev 19:26 Ye shall not eat any thing with the blood: neither shall ye use *ENCHANTMENT*, *NOR OBSERVE TIMES*. (**KJV**)

Wicked King Manasseh was also guilty of this sin

II Ki 21:6 And he made his son pass through the fire, and *OBSERVED TIMES*, and used *ENCHANTMENTS*, and dealt with *FAMILIAR SPIRITS* and *WIZARDS*: he wrought much wickedness in the sight of the *LORD*, to provoke him to anger. (**KJV**)

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he wrought much evil in the sight of the LORD, to provoke him to anger. (KJV)

The prophets of the Old Testament also condemned this occult practice

Isa 2:6 Therefore thou hast forsaken thy people the house of Jacob, because they be replenished from the east, and are **SOOTHSAYERS like the Philistines, and they please themselves in the children of strangers. (KJV)**

Isa 57:3 But draw near hither, **ye sons of the SORCERESS, the seed of the adulterer and the whore. (KJV)**

Jer 27:9 Therefore **hearken not ye to your prophets,** nor to your **DIVINERS,** nor to your **DREAMERS,** nor to your **ENCHANTERS,** nor to your **SORCERERS,** which **speak unto you,** saying, Ye shall not serve the king of **BABYLON: (KJV)**

Micah 5:12 And I will cut off **WITCHCRAFTS** out of thine hand; and thou shalt have no more **SOOTHSAYERS: (KJV)**

Interpreting Omens. Behind this phrase, also rendered as *ENCHANTMENTS* (KJV), lie four different Hebrew words. The most common of the four occurs in

Genesis 30:27, in reference to Laban's "experience";

Gen 30:27 And Laban said unto him, I pray thee, if I have found favour in thine eyes, tarry: for I have learned by experience that the LORD hath blessed me for thy sake. (KJV)

referring to Joseph's cup; and in

Gen 44:5 Is not this it in which my lord drinketh, and whereby indeed he *DIVINETH?* ye have done evil in so doing. (KJV)

<**Numbers 23:23**> and <**24:1**>, describing Balaam's activity.

Num 23:23 Surely there is no *ENCHANTMENT* against Jacob, neither is there any *DIVINATION* against Israel: according to this time it shall be said of Jacob and of Israel, What hath God wrought! (KJV)

Num 24:1 And when Balaam saw that it pleased the LORD to bless Israel, he went not, as at other times, to seek for *ENCHANTMENTS*, but he set his face toward the wilderness. (KJV)

Lev 19:26, ans Deut 18:10-14, specifically outlawed this practice as well.

Lev 19:26 Ye shall not eat any thing with the blood: neither shall ye use enchantment, nor observe times. (KJV)

Deut 18:10-14

- 10 There shall not be found among you any one that maketh his son or his daughter to pass through the fire, or that useth *DIVINATION*, or an *OBSERVER OF TIMES*, or an *ENCHANTER*, or a *WITCH*,
- 11 Or a *CHARMER*, or a consulter with *FAMILIAR SPIRITS*, or a *WIZARD*, or a *NECROMANCER*.
- 12 For all that do these things are an *ABOMINATION* unto the LORD: and because of these *ABOMINATIONS* the LORD thy God doth drive them out from before thee.
- 13 Thou shalt be perfect with the LORD thy God.
- 14 For these nations, which thou shalt possess, hearkened unto *OBSERVERS OF TIMES*, *AND UNTO DIVINERS*: but as for thee, the LORD thy God hath not suffered thee so to do. **(KJV)**

Another of the words used for the practice seems to mean "**whisper**," and it may indicate the way the *ENCHANTER* *lowered his voice*. In

Eccl 10:11 Surely the serpent will bite without enchantment; and a babbler is no better. **(KJV)**

INTERPRETING OMENS is connected with snake charming.

SORCERY or **WITCHCRAFT** is forbidden in the law of Moses

Exod 22:18 Thou shalt not suffer a **WITCH** to live.
(KJV)

Deut 18:10 There shall not be found among you any one that maketh his son or his daughter to pass through the fire, or that useth **DIVINATION**, or an **OBSERVER OF TIMES**, or an **ENCHANTER**, or a **WITCH**,
(KJV)

SORCERY was apparently practiced by the worst of the kings of Israel and Judah

II Ki 9:22 And it came to pass, when Joram saw Jehu, that he said, Is it peace, Jehu? And he answered, What peace, so long as the whoredoms of thy mother Jezebel and her **WITCHCRAFTS** are so many? (KJV)

2 Chr 33:6 And he caused his children to pass through the fire in the valley of the son of Hinnom: also he **OBSERVED TIMES**, and used **ENCHANTMENTS**, and used **WITCHCRAFT**, and dealt with a **FAMILIAR SPIRIT**, and with **WIZARDS**: he wrought much evil in the sight of the LORD, to provoke him to anger. (KJV)

but it was denounced by the prophets:

Nahum 3:4 Because of the multitude of the whoredoms of the wellfavoured harlot, the mistress of **WITCHCRAFTS**, that selleth **NATIONS** through her whoredoms, and **FAMILIES** through her **WITCHCRAFTS**. (KJV)

CONJURING SPELLS. This phrase, also translated as charm, appears in

Deuteronomy 18:11>,Or a **CHARMER**, or a **CONSULTER** with **FAMILIAR SPIRITS**, or a **WIZARD**, or a **NECROMANCER**. (KJV)

once in the

Psalms 58:5 Which will not hearken to the voice of **CHARMERS**, charming never so wisely.

And twice in Isaiah

47:9 But these two [things] shall come to thee in a moment in one day, the loss of children, and widowhood: they shall come upon thee in their perfection for the multitude of thy **SORCERIES**, [and] for the great abundance of thine **ENCHANTMENTS**.

10 For thou hast trusted in thy wickedness: thou hast said, None seeth me. Thy wisdom and thy knowledge, it hath perverted thee; and thou hast said in thine heart, I [am], and none else beside me.

11 Therefore shall evil come upon thee; thou shalt not know from whence it riseth: and mischief shall fall upon thee; thou shalt not be able to put it off: and desolation shall come upon thee suddenly, [which] thou shalt not know.

12 Stand now with **thine ENCHANTMENTS**, and with the multitude of **thy SORCERIES**, wherein thou hast laboured from thy youth; if so be thou shalt be able to profit, if so be thou mayest prevail.

Sometimes it is rendered as ENCHANTMENTS. A different Hebrew word lies behind this translation in 19:3

Isa 19:3 And the spirit of Egypt shall fail in the midst thereof; and I will destroy the counsel thereof: and they shall *SEEK TO THE IDOLS*, and to the
the
CHARMERS, and to them that have
FAMILIAR SPIRITS, and to the *WIZARDs*.
(KJV)

. Because it is related to a word for **bind**, it may mean **casting a SPELL** ("**SPELL-binding**"). One scholar suggests it has to do with **tying a MAGIC knot**.

CONSULTING MEDIUMS This phrase may refer to the same thing as practicing *WIZARDRY*. The word describes **the WITCH at En Dor** whom **Saul engaged to conduct a seance and bring up the spirit of Samuel**

1 Sam. 28:3,9; Now Samuel was dead, and all Israel had lamented him, and buried him in Ramah, even in his own city. And Saul had put away those that had *FAMILIAR SPIRITS*, and the *WIZARDS*, out of the land. (KJV)

(FAMILIAR SPIRITS, KJV). The woman succeeded either by the power of God or the power of the Devil. As with other practices in this list, it was forbidden by the law of God, practiced by bad kings, and condemned by the prophets. In two places the prophet Isaiah hinted that consulting mediums may be a kind of ventriloquism

1 Sam 8:19 Nevertheless the people refused to obey the voice of Samuel; and they said, Nay; but we will have a king over us; **(KJV)**

1 Sam 29:4 And the princes of the Philistines were wroth with him; and the princes of the Philistines said unto him, Make this fellow return, that he may go again to his place which thou hast appointed him, and let him not go down with us to battle, lest in the battle he be an adversary to us: for wherewith should he reconcile himself unto his master? should it not be with the heads of these men? **(KJV)**

SPIRITISM. The word for *SPIRITIST* always appears with *WITCH*. The root of the word in Hebrew is the verb "to know." In modern English *WIZARD* means someone very wise or inventive, a very clever or skillful person. *But in the Bible it is always a forbidden thing, a kind of black MAGIC.* This is why most modern versions translate the word as *spiritist, fortune-teller, or SORCERER.*

NECROMANCY is another word used for *CALLING UP THE DEAD* The phrase occurs only in

• **Deuteronomy 18:11** Or a *CHARMER*, or a *CONSULTER* with *FAMILIAR SPIRITS*, or a *WIZARD*, or a *NECROMANCER* (KJV)

although this is exactly what an Old Testament *WITCH* did. The Bible gives us no indication that we can expect to talk with people who have died.

MAGIC. The Hebrew word translated as **MAGIC** appears only in connection with Egyptian and **BABYLONIAN MAGICIANS**. The first cluster of verses relates to Joseph in Egypt

Gen. 41:8,24; And it came to pass in the morning that his spirit was troubled; and he sent and called for all the **MAGICIANS** of Egypt, and all the wise men thereof: and Pharaoh told them his dream; but there was none that could interpret them unto Pharaoh. (KJV)

the second appears in connection with the plagues

Ex. 7:11-9:11; Then Pharaoh also called the wise men and the **SORCERERS**: now the **MAGICIANS** of Egypt, they also did in like manner with their **ENCHANTMENTS**. (KJV)

and the third deals with Daniel and the **VARIOUS GOVERNMENT-SUPPORTED MAGICIANS** of **BABYLON**

Dan 1:20 And in all matters of wisdom and understanding, that the king inquired of them, he found them ten times better than all the **MAGICIANS** and **ASTROLOGERS** that were in all his realm. (KJV)

Dan 2:2 Then the king commanded to call the **MAGICIANS**, and the **ASTROLOGERS**, and the **SORCERERS**, and the Chaldeans, for to shew the king his dreams. So they came and stood before the king. (KJV)

Dan 4:7 Then came in the **MAGICIANS**, the **ASTROLOGERS**, the Chaldeans, and the **SOOTHSAYERS**: and I told the dream before

them; but they did not make known unto me the interpretation thereof. (KJV)

Dan 5:11 There is a man in thy kingdom, in whom is the spirit of the holy gods; and in the days of thy father light and understanding and wisdom, like the wisdom of the gods, was found in him; whom the king Nebuchadnezzar thy father, the king, I say, thy father, made master of the *MAGICIANS, ASTROLOGERS*, Chaldeans, and *SOOTHSAYERS*; (KJV)

This term is never used in connection with the nation of Israel, so apparently it was not a threat or a temptation. In all the Old Testament contexts the ineffectiveness of *MAGICIANS* is underscored.

MAGIC actually comes from a Greek word which appears several times in the New Testament. **Simon the SORCERER** is one example

Acts 8:9 But there was a certain man, called **Simon**, which **beforetime** in the same city **used SORCERY, and BEWITCHED** the people of Samaria, giving out that **himself was some great one**: (KJV)

And **Elymas** the *SORCERER* is another

Acts 13:6 And when they had gone through the isle unto Paphos, they found a **certain SORCERER, a false prophet**, a Jew, whose name was **Bar-jesus**: (KJV)

They may have been something like the "**itinerant Jewish exorcists**," also mentioned in the Book of Acts

Acts 19:13 Then certain of the vagabond Jews, **exorcists**, took upon them to call over them which had evil spirits the name of the Lord

Jesus, saying, We adjure you by Jesus whom Paul preacheth. (KJV)

who **attempted to drive evil spirits out of people in the name of Jesus.**

Still another New Testament word translated **SORCERY** comes from the *same Greek word as our English word, PHARMACY. Quite obviously this has to do with drugs;* a more relevant and contemporary application could hardly be found. The denunciations contained in

Rev 9:21 Neither repented they of their **MURDERS**, nor of their **SORCERIES**, nor of their **FORNICATION**, nor of **THEIR THEFTS**. (KJV)

Rev 18:23 And the light of a candle shall shine no more at all in thee; and the voice of the bridegroom and of the bride shall be heard no more at all in thee: for thy merchants were the great men of the earth; **for by thy SORCERIES were all nations deceived.** (KJV)

Rev 21:8 **But the fearful, and unbelieving, and the abominable, and murderers, and whoremongers, and SORCERERS, and idolaters, and all liars,** shall have their part in the lake which burneth with fire and brimstone: which is the second death. (KJV)

and

Rev 22:15 For without are **dogs, and SORCERERS, and whoremongers, and murderers, and idolaters, and whosoever loveth and maketh a lie.** (KJV)

apply to those who use drugs to bring on trances during which they claim to have supernatural knowledge or power.

Gen 44:5 Is not this it in which my lord drinketh, and whereby indeed he divineth? ye have done evil in so doing. (KJV)

Ezek 21:1 And the word of the LORD came unto me, saying,

**Ezek 21:1-32 CHAPTER 21 KING JAMES
VERSION (SEE NIV VERSION NEXT)**

1 And the word of the LORD came unto me, saying,
2 Son of man, set thy face toward Jerusalem, and drop thy word toward the holy places, and prophesy against the land of Israel,
3 And say to the land of Israel, Thus saith the LORD; Behold, I am against thee, and will draw forth my **SWORD** out of his sheath, and will cut off from thee the righteous and the wicked.
4 Seeing then that I will cut off from thee the righteous and the wicked, therefore shall my **SWORD** go forth out of his sheath against all flesh from the south to the north:
5 That all flesh may know that I the LORD have drawn forth my **SWORD** out of his sheath: it shall not return any more.
6 Sigh therefore, thou son of man, with the breaking of thy loins; and with bitterness sigh before their eyes.
7 And it shall be, when they say unto thee, Wherefore sighest thou? that thou shalt answer, For the tidings; because it cometh: and every heart shall melt, and all hands shall be feeble, and every spirit shall faint, and all knees shall be weak as water: behold, it cometh, and shall be brought to pass, saith the Lord GOD.
8 Again the word of the LORD came unto me, saying,
9 Son of man, prophesy, and say, Thus saith the LORD; Say, A sword, a **SWORD** is sharpened, and also furbished:

- 10 It is sharpened to make a sore slaughter; it is furbished that it may glitter: should we then make mirth? it contemneth the rod of my son, as every tree.
- 11 And he hath given it to be furbished, that it may be handled: this **SWORD** is sharpened, and it is furbished, to give it into the hand of the slayer.
- 12 Cry and howl, son of man: for it shall be upon my people, it shall be upon all the princes of Israel: terrors by reason of the **SWORD** shall be upon my people: smite therefore upon thy thigh.
- 13 Because it is a trial, and what if the **SWORD** contemn even the rod? it shall be no more, saith the Lord GOD.
- 14 Thou therefore, son of man, prophesy, and smite thine hands together, and let the **SWORD** be doubled the third time, the **SWORD** of the slain: it is the **SWORD** of the great men that are slain, which entereth into their privy chambers.
- 15 I have set the point of the **SWORD** against all their gates, that their heart may faint, and their ruins be multiplied: ah! it is made bright, it is wrapped up for the slaughter.
- 16 Go thee one way or other, either on the right hand, or on the left, whithersoever thy face is set.
- 17 I will also smite mine hands together, and I will cause my fury to rest: I the LORD have said it.
- 18 The word of the LORD came unto me again, saying,
- 19 Also, thou son of man, appoint thee two ways, that the **SWORD** of the king of **BABYLON** may come: both twain shall come forth out of one land: and choose thou a place, choose it at the head of the way to the city.
- 20 Appoint a way, that the **SWORD** may come to Rabbath of the Ammonites, and to Judah in Jerusalem the defenced.
- 21 For the king of **BABYLON** stood at the parting of the way, at the head of the two ways, to use

- DIVINATION*: he made his arrows bright, he consulted with images, he looked in the liver.
- 22 At his right hand was the *DIVINATION* for Jerusalem, to appoint captains, to open the mouth in the slaughter, to lift up the voice with shouting, to appoint battering rams against the gates, to cast a mount, and to build a fort.
- 23 And it shall be unto them as a false *DIVINATION* in their sight, to them that have sworn oaths: but he will call to remembrance the iniquity, that they may be taken.
- 24 Therefore thus saith the Lord GOD; Because ye have made your iniquity to be remembered, in that your transgressions are discovered, so that in all your doings your sins do appear; because, I say, that ye are come to remembrance, ye shall be taken with the hand.
- 25 And thou, profane wicked prince of Israel, whose day is come, when iniquity shall have an end,
- 26 Thus saith the Lord GOD; Remove the diadem, and take off the crown: this shall not be the same: exalt him that is low, and abase him that is high.
- 27 I will overturn, overturn, overturn, it: and it shall be no more, until he come whose right it is; and I will give it him.
- 28 And thou, son of man, prophesy and say, Thus saith the Lord GOD concerning the Ammonites, and concerning their reproach; even say thou, The sword, the **SWORD** is drawn: for the slaughter it is furbished, to consume because of the glittering:
- 29 Whiles they see vanity unto thee, whiles they divine a lie unto thee, to bring thee upon the necks of them that are slain, of the wicked, whose day is come, when their iniquity shall have an end.
- 30 Shall I cause it to return into his sheath? I will judge thee in the place where thou wast created, in the land of thy nativity.
- 31 And I will pour out mine indignation upon thee, I will blow against thee in the fire of my wrath, and

deliver thee into the hand of brutish men, and
skilful to destroy.
32 Thou shalt be for fuel to the fire; thy blood shall be
in the midst of the land; thou shalt be no more
remembered: for I the LORD have spoken it.
(KJV)

Ezek 21:1-32 CHAPTER 21
NEW INTERNATIONAL VERSION

- 1 The word of the LORD came to me:
2 "Son of man, set your face against Jerusalem and
preach against the sanctuary. Prophecy against the
land of Israel
3 and say to her: "This is what the LORD says: I am
against you. I will draw my **SWORD** from its
scabbard and cut off from you both the righteous
and the wicked.
4 Because I am going to cut off the righteous and the
wicked, my **SWORD** will be unsheathed against
everyone from south to north.
5 Then all people will know that I the LORD have
drawn my **SWORD** from its scabbard; it will not
return again.'
6 "Therefore groan, son of man! Groan before them
with broken heart and bitter grief.
7 And when they ask you, 'Why are you groaning?'
you shall say, 'Because of the news that is coming.
Every heart will melt and every hand go limp;
every spirit will become faint and every knee
become as weak as water.' It is coming! It will
surely take place, declares the Sovereign LORD."
8 The word of the LORD came to me:
9 "Son of man, prophesy and say, "This is what the
Lord says: "'A sword, a sword, sharpened and
polished--
10 sharpened for the slaughter, polished to flash like
lightning! "'Shall we rejoice in the scepter of my
son? The **SWORD** despises every such stick.
11 "'The **SWORD** is appointed to be polished, to be
grasped with the hand; it is sharpened and
polished, made ready for the hand of the slayer.
12 Cry out and wail, son of man, for it is against my
people; it is against all the princes of Israel. They

- are thrown to the **SWORD** along with my people.
Therefore beat your breast.
- 13 "Testing will surely come. And what if the scepter,
which the **SWORD** despises, does not continue?
declares the Sovereign LORD.'
- 14 "So then, son of man, prophesy and strike your
hands together. Let the **SWORD** strike twice, even
three times. It is a **SWORD** for slaughter-- a
SWORD for great slaughter, closing in on them
from every side.
- 15 So that hearts may melt and the fallen be many, I
have stationed the **SWORD** for slaughter at all
their gates. Oh! It is made to flash like lightning, it
is grasped for slaughter.
- 16 O sword, slash to the right, then to the left,
wherever your blade is turned.
- 17 I too will strike my hands together, and my wrath
will subside. I the LORD have spoken."
- 18 The word of the LORD came to me:
- 19 "Son of man, mark out two roads for the **SWORD**
of the king of **BABYLON** to take, both starting
from the same country. Make a signpost where the
road branches off to the city.
- 20 Mark out one road for the **SWORD** to come
against Rabbah of the Ammonites and another
against Judah and fortified Jerusalem.
- 21 **For the king of BABYLON will stop at the fork
in the road, at the junction of the two roads, to
seek an omen: He will cast lots with arrows, he
will consult his idols, he will examine the liver.**
- 22 Into his right hand will come the lot for Jerusalem,
where he is to set up battering rams, to give the
command to slaughter, to sound the battle cry, to
set battering rams against the gates, to build a ramp
and to erect siege works.
- 23 **It will seem like a false omen to those who have
sworn allegiance to him, but he will remind
them of their guilt and take them captive.**
- 24 "Therefore this is what the Sovereign LORD says:
'Because you people have brought to mind your

- guilt by your open rebellion**, revealing your sins in all that you do-- because you have done this, you will be taken captive.
- 25 "O profane and wicked prince of Israel, whose day has come, whose time of punishment has reached its climax,
- 26 this is what the Sovereign LORD says: Take off the turban, remove the crown. It will not be as it was: The lowly will be exalted and the exalted will be brought low.
- 27 A ruin! A ruin! I will make it a ruin! It will not be restored until he comes to whom it rightfully belongs; to him I will give it.'
- 28 "And you, son of man, prophesy and say, 'This is what the Sovereign LORD says about the Ammonites and their insults: "'A sword, a **SWORD**, drawn for the slaughter, polished to consume and to flash like lightning!
- 29 Despite false visions concerning you and lying **DIVINATIONS** about you, it will be laid on the necks of the wicked who are to be slain, whose day has come, whose time of punishment has reached its climax.
- 30 Return the **SWORD** to its scabbard. In the place where you were created, in the land of your ancestry, I will judge you.
- 31 I will pour out my wrath upon you and breathe out my fiery anger against you; I will hand you over to brutal men, men skilled in destruction.
- 32 You will be fuel for the fire, your blood will be shed in your land, you will be remembered no more; for I the LORD have spoken.'" (NIV)

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Deut 18:10 There shall not be found among you any one that maketh **his son or his daughter to pass through the fire**, or that useth ***DIVINATION***, or an ***OBSERVER OF TIMES***, or an ***ENCHANTER***, or a ***WITCH***, (KJV)

Gen 15:1 After these things **the word of the LORD** came unto Abram in a vision, saying, **Fear not, Abram: I am thy shield, and thy exceeding great reward.** (KJV)

Isa 19:3 And the **spirit of Egypt shall fail** in the midst thereof; and I will destroy the counsel thereof: and they shall seek to the idols, and to the ***CHARMERS*** and to them that have ***FAMILIAR SPIRITS***, and to the ***WIZARDS*** (KJV)

**IN THE RESEARCH DONE BY MR. HOLMBERG,
GAINESVILLE, FL: REEL TO REAL MINISTRIES THE
FOLLOWING INFORMATION WAS DISCOVERED**

LOOK CLOSELY AT MATT 6:22,23

**"IF THEREFORE YOUR EYE IS CLEAR, YOUR
WHOLE BODY WILL BE FULL OF LIGHT. BUT
IF YOUR EYE IS BAD, YOUR WHOLE BODY
WILL BE FULL OF DARKNESS. IF THEREFORE
THE LIGHT THAT IS IN YOU IS DARKNESS,
HOW GREAT IS THE DARKNESS!"**

THE OCCULT IN PRINTED MEDIA:

1. TEENAGE MAGAZINES CONTAIN
HOROSCOPES
2. HEAVY METAL MAGAZINES OFFER A
VARIETY OF OCCULTIC PARAPHERNALIA
THROUGH MAIL ORDER
3. HEAVY METAL ALBUMS AND Cds BOLDLY
PICTURE SATANIC SYMBOLS IN SUPPORT OF
THE BANDS WORLD VIEW
NOVELS ARE PUBLISHED FOR TEENAGERS
AND ADULTS WITH THEMES INVOLVING
SATANIC RITUAL AND OCCULT MYSTICISM
4. COMIC BOOKS CAPTURE THE IMAGINATION
OF THE YOUNGER CHILDREN
5. DUNGEONS AND DRAGONS IS A FANTASY
ROLL PLAYING GAME
NO ONE HAS MEASURED THE SUICIDE AND
CRIME CARRIED OUT BY ITS PARTICIPANTS.

THE OCCULT IN MUSIC:

**THE NAME AND WORK OF JESUS IS
CONSTANTLY BEING RIDICULED IN ROCK AND**

ROLL MUSIC. EVERY FACET OF HIS LIFE AND MISSION IS CRITICIZED AND MOCKED

ONE OF THE SONGS, SUNG BY A VERY POPULAR SINGING GROUP, NAMED, "**THE SON OF JESUS**", IS **FILLED WITH SACRILEGE**, SUGGESTING AMONG OTHER THINGS THAT JESUS WAS INVOLVED IN THE OCCULT AND THAT **HE HAD ILLGITIMENT CHILDREN BY MARY MAGDALENE.**

LUDICHRIST, COVEN, **DARK WIZARD**, AND VIRTUALLY DOZENS OF OTHER GROUPS OPENLY SING ABOUT THIS WICKEDNESS.

MANY OF THE ROCK GROUPS OPENINGLY STATE THEIR DESIRE FOR HELL AND PORTRAY THAT IN THEIR SONGS:

1. GO TO HELL (ALICE COOPER)
2. HOTTER THAN HELL (KISS)
3. ALOHA FROM HELL (CRAMPS)
4. SEE YOU IN HELL (GRIM REAPER)
5. CITIZENS OF HELL (CJSS)
6. CONDEMNED TO HELL (RIGOR MORTIS)
7. HIGHWAY TO HELL (AC/DC)
8. BURN IN HELL (TWISTED SISTER)
9. GONNA RAISE HELL (CHEVY TRUCK)
10. PRINCESS OF HELL (MERCIFUL FATE)
11. HELL PATROL (RAVEN)

AS A RESULT, THEY HAVE MANY PARENTS, NOT WANTING TO HEAR THEIR CHILDREN'S "KIND OF MUSIC", THEY THEN, INADVERTENTLY PUSHED THEM BEHIND CLOSE DOORS, AND AS A RESULT, **HAVE NO IDEA THAT THEY ARE BEING INDOCTINATED WITH UNGODLINESS AND EVEN SUGGESTIONS FOR SUICIDE?**

THE OCCULT IN TELEVISION:

SATURDAY MORNING ANIMATION

EASTERN PHILOSOPHY, THE OCCULT, SATANIC TEACHING ARE COMMONPLACE IN ANIMATION.

MONISM (ALL ONE) PANTHEISM (ALL IS GOD), SHAMANS, WIZARDS, MAGICIANS, WITCHES, COVENS, ANCIENT OCCULT BOOKS, DEMON POSSESSIOIN, AND EXORCISM PROVIDE A SHORT LIST OF THE TEACHINGS PRESENTED.

THE AVERAGE AMERICAN CHILD WILL LOG 22,000 HRS. OF TELEVISION

THE OCCULT IN MOVIES:

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NO WONDER WE ARE TOLD THAT FELLOWSHIP WITH THE WORLD IS ENMITY AGAINST GOD.....

James 4:4

4 Ye adulterers and adulteresses, know ye not that the friendship of the world is enmity with God? whosoever therefore will be a friend of the world is the enemy of God.

1 JOHN 2:15,16

15 Love not the world, neither the things [that are] in the world. If any man love the world, the love of the Father is not in him.

16 For all that [is] in the world, the lust of the flesh, and the lust of the eyes, and the pride of life, is not of the Father, but is of the world.

17 And the world passeth away, and the lust thereof: but he that doeth the will of God abideth for ever.

TAKE HEED!
ETERNITY
MAY BE AT STAKE