OPERATION OF DARKNESS

WHERE DOES DARKNES OPERATE?

EPHESIANS 2:2 Wherein in time past ye walked according to the course of this world, according to the prince of the power of the air, the spirit that now worketh in the children of disobedience:

HOW DOES HE MOVE ABOUT?

1 PETER 5:8 Be sober, be vigilant; because your adversary the devil walks about like a roaring lion, seeking whom he may devour.

DEMONIC FORCES ARE NOT HUMAN

EPHESIANS 6:12 For we wrestle not against flesh and blood, but against principalities, against powers, against the rulers of the darkness of this world, against spiritual wickedness in high places.

DEMONS ATTEMPT TO WEAR YOU OUT

DANIEL 7:25 [KJV] And he shall speak great words against the most High and shall wear out the saints of the most High,

DEMONS EVEN GO TO CHURCH

LUKE 4:33 Now in the synagogue there was a man who had a spirit of an unclean demon. And he cried out with a loud voice,

HOW DO WE DEFEAT THE DEVIL?

1. RESIST HIM!

1 Peter 5:9 Resist him... steadfast in the faith...

2. SEEK RIGHTEOUSNESS!

Proverbs 14:34 Righteousness exalts a nation... Sin is a reproach to any people.

3. SEEK UNITY!

1 Corinthians 1:10 Now I plead with you, brethren, by the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, that you all speak the same thing, and that there be no divisions among you, but that you be perfectly joined together in the same mind and in the same iudgment.

4. DESTROY UNFORGIVENESS

Mark 11:26 But <u>if you</u> do not forgive, neither

will your Father in heaven forgive your trespasses."

James 4:7 Therefore submit to God. Resist the devil and he will flee from you.