

BE NOT DECEIVED

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Intro. Deception (self and by others) most common practice. In secular--called PR, advertising, my side. In rel life began in Eden, continues 1 Jn 1:8, end-time, 2 Tim 3:13. Satan does to nations, Rev 20:3. Warning ag certain decpts today. Both be not and don't dec self. Midd and pass.

I. Concn Sowing, Gal. 6:7.

- A. It is a certain law. Otherwise God is snubbed.
- B. It has certain consequences. If to flesh, corruption. Baby, cap. 490 yrs. If to Spirit, life, Daniel. Context of giving, 6, and doing good, 9-10. Encourage little Xn. SS, yp, Mrs. Posey phone. Be not deceived, it is worth doing good. If don't, be not dec. will reap sorrow.

II. Concn Sin, Jas 1:16

- If we do sow to flesh prone to self-dec as to whose fault it is.
- A. The power of Desire. Tempt-test or solicit to evil. Here. Can't blame God, 12, He is untemptable. Not Satan (tho sometimes is, but not to use as excuse). Is our desire. Lust is bad and good. Here both. Desire for ease, riches, security, image. Don't blame anyone but own desire. Image leads to cutting corners. In business, children.
  - B. The Process of desire. Desire conceives a sin-the particular one for that desire. Sin runs course and brings death. When is sin finished? Death along way. In building up image you kill image of being godly leader.

III. Concn. Separation, 1 Cor. 15:33

- A. Separation is from wrong phil of life. In this case, pres life only counts. Do we act now like bel in tes life? Lk 12:16ff. 1 Jn 2:15-17. And from gang that practice it.
- B. Separation to righteousness, 34, evil crowd, bunch, gang, Sober up righteously, and sin compt good morals. not. Stop sinning. People will see knoweldge of God in separated life. Even some church people not best crowd. 2 Tim 2:22.

IV. Concn. salvation, 1 Cor. 6:9-11

- A. Unrighteous will not enter heaven. Only those washed (middle-exercise of faith), sanctified, just (pass). On name of Jesus=all that He is.
- B. Righteous do live a certain way. Eff=soft, voluptuous, reviler=abuser with language. Extortion=drive hard bargain.

Concl. Don't dec self and don't let anyone else or Satan dec