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Living in the Old Testament Covenant, one will believe that "material gain" is godliness. Living in the New Testament Covenant, one will understand that "suffering" is a sure sign you are living in the Covenant of Christ and on His Path of Righteousness.

"And these are they which are sown among thorns; such as hear the word, And the cares of this world, and the deceitfulness of riches, and the lusts of other things entering in, choke the word, and it becometh unfruitful."

MARK 4:18-19 (KJ)

"Now when Jesus heard these things, he said unto him, Yet lackest thou one thing: sell all that thou hast, and distribute unto the poor, and thou shalt have treasure in heaven: and come, follow me."

LUKE 18:22 (KJ)

ammon, Part Two--Teraphims. Father God thank You for right now removing and making powerless any and all evil and replacements to that evil which is within the reader or listener and/or within 1,000 meters of you and bury it until The Messiah releases it, 50-250 meters in the ground from your position, but outside of church property, by the Power of Emmanuel's Blood, His Crucifixion, Resurrection, Descension, and Ascension. Selah and Amen.

Many of you may not recognize the name, Mammon. In a "Dictionary of Angels," Mammon has these references: (Aramaic-riches)-- in occult local lore, a fallen angel now ruling in Hell as one of the arch-demons and Prince of tempters. In De Plancy, "Dictionaire Infernal," Mammon Is Certified As Hell's ambassador to England. He is equated with Lucifer, Satan, Beelzebub, and even with Nebuchadnezzar. Mammon is a demon of avarice. He holds the throne of this world, as St. Francesca observed in one offered 93 visions. The medieval notion was that Mammon was a Syrian God.

I am in the habit of personifying different words that we take for granted in the Bible, such as peace, honesty, truth, justice, virtue. I personify these words as spiritual beings. It is a model. The Bible is filled with different models and this is one of them. This model is exemplified in Father God. Our Heavenly Father

personified Himself in the form of Jesus Christ of Nazareth. This is the example, the model of personification found in the Bible. When you look at love, the word love, we all know that God is love. Love is personified in Father God, in His Son, or His personification, Jesus Christ of Nazareth.

Therefore, in my life, and in the lives of some of you, maybe many, you personify those words, like love, peace and justice as entities; as God's Virtues or his Sovereignties, i.e, the fruit of the Spirit. (Galatians 5:22-23) So in this devotional, Mammon is personified; as I believe in reality, Satan is personified as well as Jesus Christ of Nazareth and many other personifications which many view only as words. But there are also other spiritual entities, evil entities which are personified and work among us, even in the church. The one of which I am speaking is called Teraphims. The word Teraphim or Teraphims are plural words but in the Bible speaks or refers to them as a singular household idol for prosperity, a divination tool, or a part of worship ceremonies. (Genesis 31:19, 30, 34; Judges 17:5; Judges 18:14, 17, 18, 20; 1 Samuel 19:13-16; 2 Kings 23:24)

Teraphims are often described as figures, carved images, oracles, household idols, tools of divination but always associated with material gain and riches. I believe the household idol or Teraphim carved images were created for what someone actually saw; a personification. I believe in folklore, Teraphims have been represented as King Midas with the golden touch--everything he touched turned into gold. In folklore, I believe Rumpelstiltskin is a representation of a Teraphim. And in Jack and the beanstalk, the duck that laid the golden eggs is a representation of a Teraphim—or I should say a duck possessed by a Teraphim. Write to me if you know of or have heard of other examples which may fit into this paradigm: janthonyallen@hotmail.com.

In the church today, I believe the Teraphims, representatives of the prosperity teachings, are in many churches. Jesus taught on the Kingdom of Heaven; not of the kingdom of gold, silver, selfishness, material gain, opulence, nor decadence--where did this kind of thinking come from? I say, from Mammon, and his Teraphim army that has invaded today's church. See these references: Jewish Encyclopedia, Teraphim of the Hebrews, and Bible Encyclopedia.

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