

You Asked For It!

4: God, Satan, Lying Prophets, Deceptive Politicians, and a Person Who Stands for Truth
1 Kings 22:1-28

Does God sometimes use Satan to accomplish His purposes? In 1 Kings 22, we find an instance where God did just that. What does such a thing tell us about our God? What does it tell us about we who are God's children and servants?

Historical Background 22:1-7

The Story

1. Two kings reveal the condition of their spiritual lives. 22:8
2. Micaiah, a prophet of God, "lies" to the kings. 22:9-16
3. Micaiah delivers on his reputation for honesty. 22:17-18
4. Micaiah reveals the truth about spiritual warfare. 22:19-23

• God is _____ in human affairs.

• God can employ _____ as well as

_____ ,

while never _____ .

• Satanic blindness results in _____ .

5. Micaiah pays a price for his honesty and integrity. 22:24-28

• God's faithful servants _____ .

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Welcome to Crossroads Community Church!

We're glad you chose to worship with us this morning. If this is your first time visiting us, please take a moment to fill out visitor's card and leave it in the offering box. You will find the visitor cards on the back table. You can also find us at nevadacrossroadschurch.org and on Facebook.

Order of Service for October 24, 2021

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From Pastor Tom

Good morning! I'm glad you're here!

"Gracious is the Lord, and righteous. Yes, our God is compassionate. The Lord preserves the simple; I was brought low, and He saved me. Return to your rest, O my soul, for the Lord has dealt bountifully with you" (Psalm 116:5-7).

Take time to reflect on these words from the Lord as you prepare for worship ... and for a new week! What do they tell you about God? What do they say that has been true in your life? What do you find in these words that causes you to be thankful? What needs do these two verses uncover in you? Rest? Compassion? Trust? Quietly use them in prayer as our worship begins.

May we have a sense of God's presence and direction in our worship this morning! Thanks for being here and for being a blessing to the Crossroads family!

-- Tom

Worship through Offerings & Tithes

As a part of our worship today, offering baskets are available on the back table. The ministry at Crossroads depends on the regular giving of the church family. Giving offers us a way to express our faith that God will care for us just as He cares for the lily and the sparrow.

Matthew 6:25-34

Announcements

Home Group tonight at 6:00

Please join us for the final session in the "Goliath Must Fall" study series. Tonight we'll take a look at a giant in many of our lives called Addiction. How does Jesus the giant-slayer help us deal with addictions? You're invited to come even if you've missed previous sessions. You'll be glad you did! At the Rea home, 628 W. Arch St.

Youth Group this Wednesday, 6:30 pm

All young people are invited to a fun fall evening at Cris and Donna's this Wednesday! *contact us for location*. Please let Jessica know if you plan to be there -- and if you're bringing a friend / friends -- so the leadership team can purchase the materials needed for the evening! Fun, food, and fellowship!

Thanksgiving Dinner, November 21

A Thanksgiving dinner for the whole church and anyone you would like to invite is being planned for Sunday, November 21, immediately following the worship service. More details coming!

Tom absent next Sunday

In Tom's absence, Pastor Jerry Carlin will speak. Jerry was for thirty years Senior Pastor at The Springs Church in Springfield, and currently he is the Church Health Coach for Ev. Free churches in Southwest Missouri and Northwest Arkansas. Jerry has a heart for the ministry of local churches like ours. You'll be blessed by the message and wisdom Jerry will bring next Sunday to Crossroads.

Welcome New Members

We welcome Ryan and Michaela Walker, along with Axton and Adley, as new members of Crossroads Church. We're grateful for the blessing they are to us, and let's pray that we might grow together with them in the knowledge and grace of the Lord Jesus.