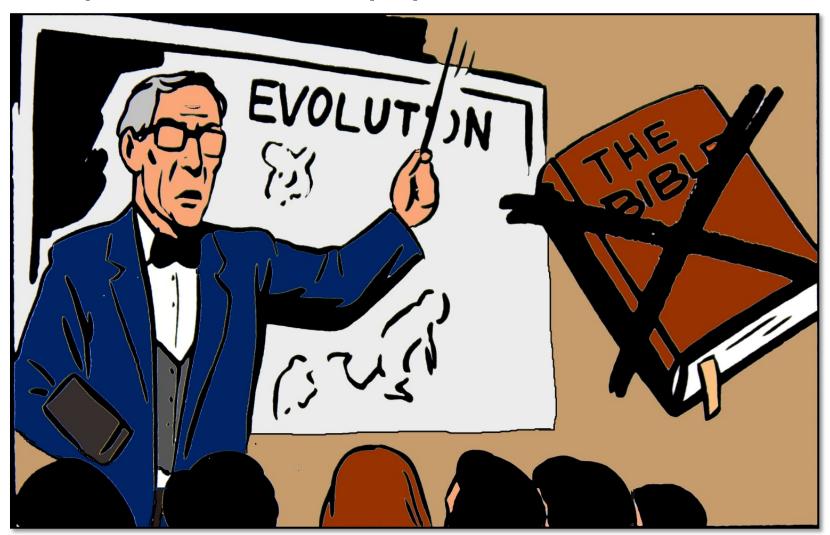
## 1 Timothy Chapter 4 (Verse 1 to 6) In the Latter Times

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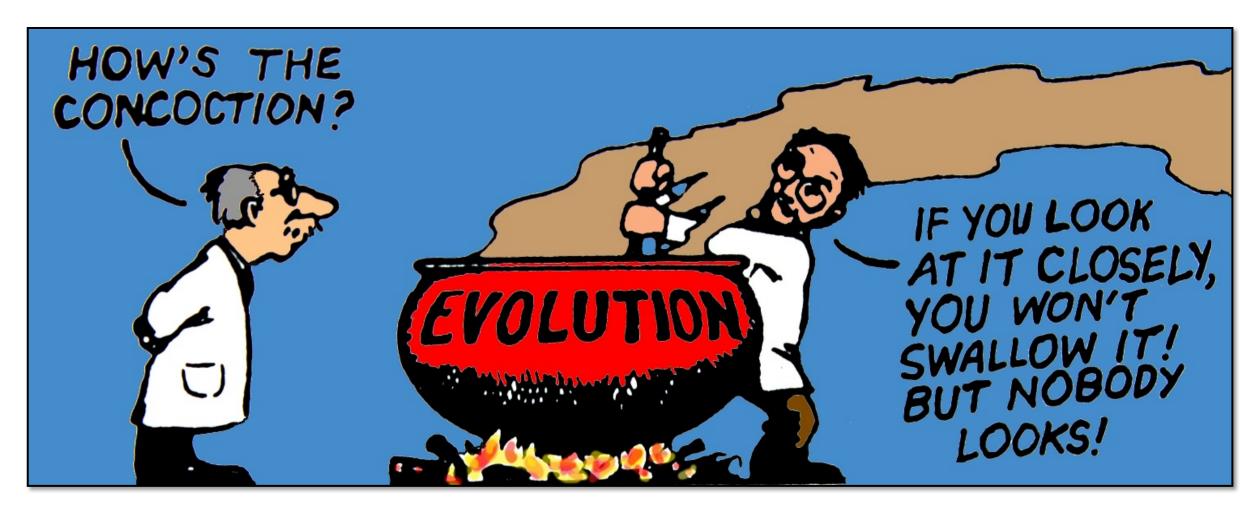
1TI.4:1 Now the Spirit speaketh expressly, that in the latter times some shall depart from the faith, giving heed to seducing spirits, and doctrines of devils;

It is likely that every person on earth is curious about what is going to happen next. "What does the future hold?" we wonder. The future exists, but we cannot see it but God does! But if you really want to see what the future holds, here in these verses is the Holy Spirit of God, who does see, giving us glimpses about the end of all things. What is going to

happen? Faith in the Lord, which is our only way of becoming right in the sight of God, is lessening in today's world. "Modern" people don't want to trust in Jesus Christ. In this verse, we find that exactly such a lessening of faith is a sign of the end of all things.

## 2TH.2:3 ...for that day shall not come, except there comes a falling away first...

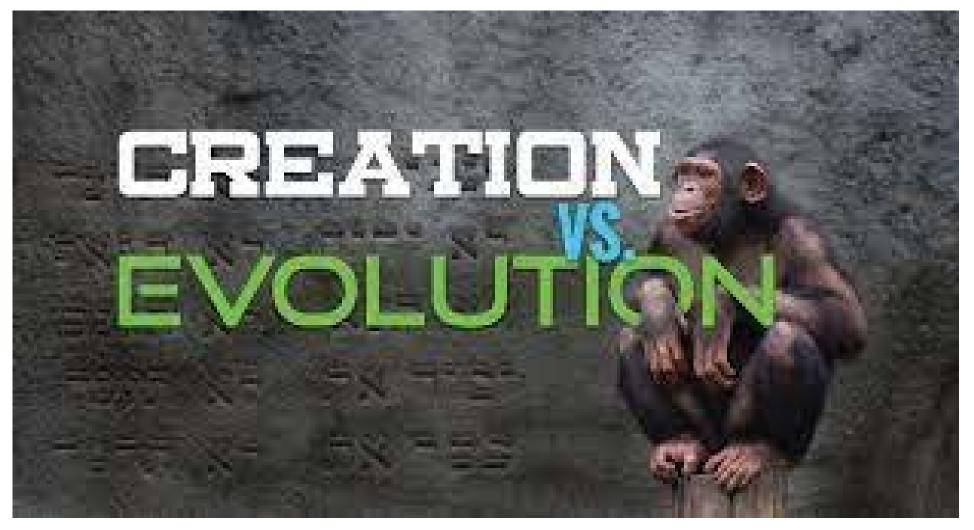
Entire countries of former Christianity have abandoned their faith for the false teaching of evolution, for which there is no foundation in proven fact whatsoever, just pure theories, fantasy and guesswork! That is the basic teaching which has replaced Christianity: evolution, which is the survival of the fittest, dog-eat-dog and might is right! So, what happened to the former Christian faith? It's out the window, even out the windows of some churches! Thanks largely to Charles Darwin and his evolutionary "doctrine of devils".



The result has been total anarchy and chaos! After all, if there is no Creator nor Creation, then life is just a meaningless, chaotic process of Evolution! If there's no God, then there's no Ruler. And if there's no Ruler, then there are no rules! And if there are no rules or laws, then nothing is

either right or wrong! They say-- "A monkey is your God and you might as well 'do your own thing' and do as you please. --Do whatever you want to do! It doesn't matter! Nothing's right! Nothing's wrong! It's merely relative and blah blah blah blah!" "Me first, and to Hell with the rest of you!!"

But we must see God in everything to give it meaning,



reason, purpose, plan, design and a goal. We must try to bring peace, order, and a design for living given us by the Great Designer in His rules and laws, rights and wrongs and absolutes, without which there can be no peace and no order and no happiness.

"...giving heed to seducing spirits..."

**Another prediction regarding the end** time which has found obvious fulfilment has to do with the tremendous and unprecedented upsurge and interest in the occult, psychic phenomena, astrological forecasts, new age belief systems, spiritism, demonology and witchcraft which the World is experiencing today. Of course, if people have rejected and refused to receive the Gospel, the Truth, God's Word says that God Himself will then send them strong delusion that they might believe a <u>lie!</u> (2Th.2:10-12)

When people refuse the <u>Truth</u>, there is nothing left for them to believe but a <u>lie</u>, so they are then wide open for the <u>liars</u> and the <u>false prophets</u>. "For many <u>false prophets</u> shall rise, and shall deceive <u>many</u>!" (Mt.24:11)



1TI.4:2. Speaking lies in hypocrisy; having their conscience seared with a hot iron;

They become "seared in their own conscience as with a branding iron." Historically, severe wounds have often been treated by cauterizing the injury with a hot iron. The idea has been to



stop the bleeding with an initially painful act that will prolong life. And that's what is happening in our world today. People have heard the truth that faith in Jesus Christ is necessary to find God, but they would rather try to save themselves through religious acts that are like the "doctrines of devils."

The conscience is the God-given moral consciousness within each of us (Romans 2:15). If the conscience is "seared"—literally "cauterized"—then it has been rendered insensitive. Such a conscience does not work properly; it's as if "spiritual scar tissue" has dulled the sense of right and wrong, eventually no longer feeling the pain of rejecting God.

Satan has deceived most of the people who are on Earth today and has led them astray, out of the Will of God and against God! So that now they have taken God and the Bible out of their schools and Christ even out of Christmas, out of their governments and even out of some of their



churches, where they merely preach social service and pious platitudes of the social gospel! --Modernists who no longer believe the Bible, who no longer believe in Jesus as the Son of God, nor in Salvation and its need by Mankind! (Ps.14:1; Ac.20:30)

All these horrors of today are the result of unbelief in God and His Son, Jesus Christ, of unbelief in

Salvation on the cross and their rejection of His Love! Their anti-Christ evil has resulted in selfishness, cruelty, horrible wars and terrible hell-bombs! They make vile music, the sounds of Hell, ugly modern art, ugly fiendish weird movies, cartoons depicting devils, monsters, witches and the children of Hell itself! They have turned God's paradise on Earth into the Devil's own Hell! (Heb.3:12; Ro.16:17-18; Jude 10-20)



1TI.4:3 forbidding to marry, and commanding to abstain from meats, which God hath created to be received with thanksgiving of them which believe and know the truth.

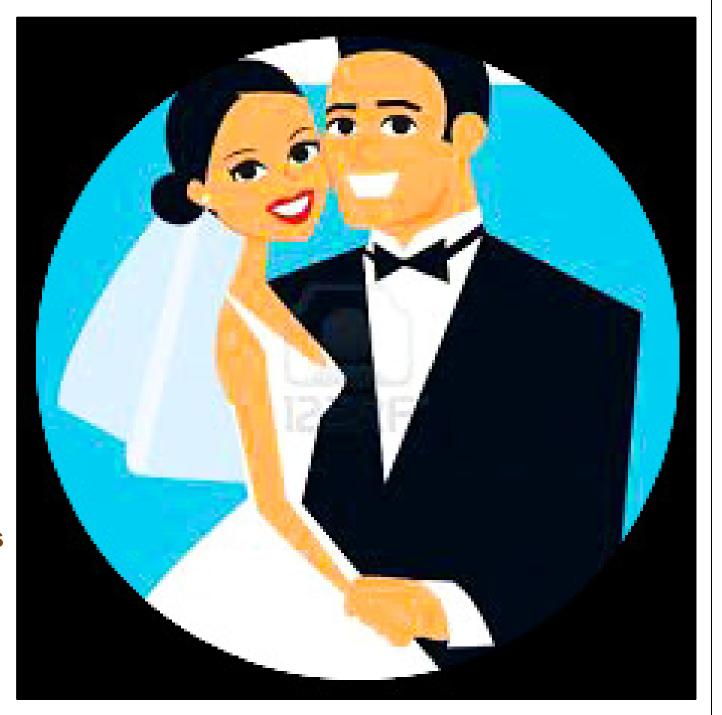
There are religions which prohibit sex and marriage, beginning with the Catholic Church prohibiting marriage to their priests and nuns! The apostle Paul said there will come false teachers teaching not to eat meat and forbidding to marry. If they won't let them marry, the Bible says they burn in their lusts, men with men working that which is unseemly. (Rom.1:27)

We certainly highly agree with their stand against birth control, abortion and most other things. But that business of celibacy has caused them nothing but trouble and is still one of their biggest problems, and it should be!

GEN.2:18 And the LORD God said, it is not good that the man should be alone; I will make him a help meet for him.

At the present time, outspoken advocates are attempting to redefine marriage. No longer, in their minds, is marriage to be defined as one man, one woman, joining together as one, "until death do us part." It has already been redefined because matrimony is for the most part considered to be a temporary state in which marriage lasts "until we get tired of each other."

Now advocates are attempting to dispose of the idea that marriage is between a man and a woman. And where will the advocates go next? The final step is that they will "forbid marriage" altogether, as though something is wrong with those who marry.





Paul discusses those who "promote abstaining from foods": "One person," he said, "may eat anything, while the weak person eats only vegetables. Let not the one who eats despise the one who abstains, and let not the one who abstains pass judgment on the one who eats, for God has welcomed him" (Romans 14:2-3).

In other words, to eat

or not eat certain foods is not the point. In the future, groups that forbids certain food substances will gain prominence. Whether we eat certain foods or not does not matter, except that such insistence will be another <u>sign</u> that <u>the end</u> of all things may be near.

COL.2:16 Let no man therefore judge you in meat, or in drink...

1TI.4:4 For every creature of God is good, and nothing to be refused, if it be received with

thanksgiving:

1TI.4:5 For it is sanctified by the word of God and prayer.

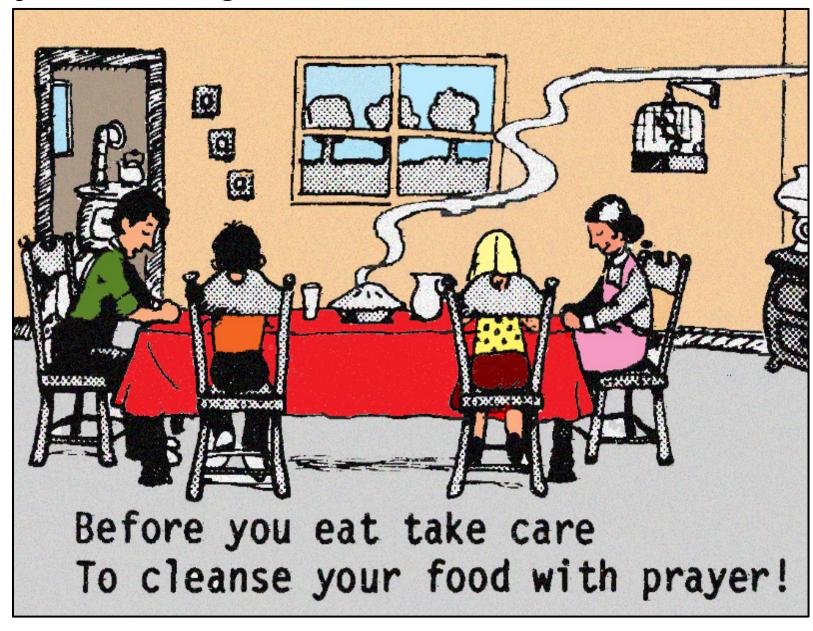
LUK.10:8 And into whatsoever city ye enter, and they receive you, eat such things as are set before you:

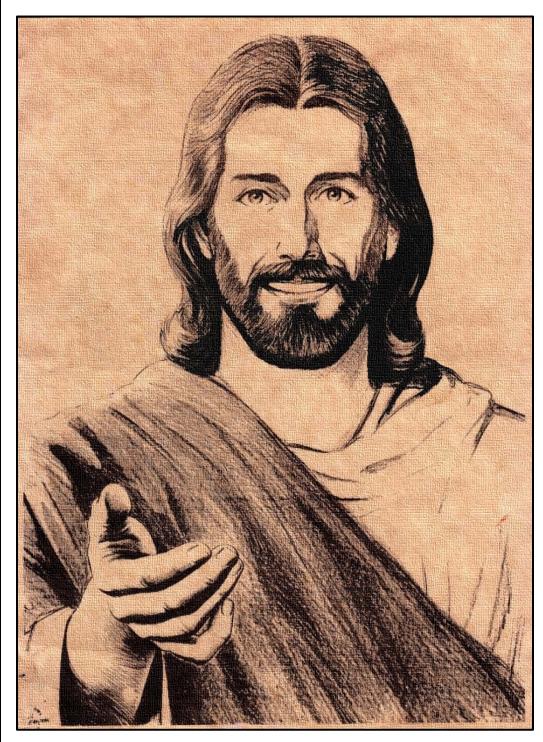
## The Apostle Paul said,

"I am persuaded that nothing is unclean of itself, for every creature of God is good and nothing to be refused if it be received with a word of thanksgiving and prayer. But him who thinks that is a sin, to him it is sin!" (Tit.1:15; Ro.14:14; Ro.14:23.)

If you are persuaded by the lies and opinions of others and you

believe eating some meat or certain food is a sin, then to you it becomes a sin!





1TI.4:6 If thou put the brethren in remembrance of these things, thou shalt be a good minister of Jesus Christ, nourished up in the words of faith and of good doctrine, whereunto thou hast attained.

You can receive Jesus at this very moment. It is a free gift of God. If you haven't done it yet, please do this simple prayer:

"Jesus, please forgive all my faults. I accept that You are the Son of God and You died for me. I invite You into my heart and life. Thank you for your gift of eternal life and please fill me with Your Holy Spirit. Help me to read and understand Your Word. Amen"

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