

INTRODUCTION: In the preceding section, Jude 11-13, we have a vivid picture of the moral corruption of ungodly seducers: Apostate teachers. These apostate teachers are described as follows:

1. "Spots in your feasts of charity (love), when they feast with you, feeding themselves without fear..." Verse 12
 1. Their evil example and wrong teaching led others into unchristian courses to their own destruction.
2. Their Emptiness and Instability.
 1. "Clouds they are without water, carried about of winds." Verse 12
 1. They promised much but delivered nothing.
 2. They professed to have something to give but they could not give what they had not,
3. Their Inability to Deliver. "Clouds they are without water, carried about of winds." Verse 12
 1. They were unstable in doctrine, carried about by every intellectual pronouncement.
 2. James 1:8; "A double minded man is unstable in all his ways."
4. Their Utter Unfruitfulness. "Trees whose fruit withereth, without fruit, twice dead, plucked up by the roots." V-12
 1. They are like autumn trees, which ought to be full of fruit but they are not.
 2. They are like the barren fig tree: appeared to be alive; promise to deliver fruit but do not deliver. Matt. 21:18-21; Mark 11:12-14
 3. There was not fruit because there was no life. John 15:8
5. Their shameless and turbulent temper. "Wild waves of the sea foaming out their own shame." Verse 13
 1. Isaiah 57:20; "But the wicked are like the troubled sea, when it cannot rest, whose waters cast up mire and dirt."
6. Misleading guides and their future destiny.
 1. "Wandering stars, to whom is reserved the blackness of darkness forever." Verse 13

1. The Prophecy Of Enoch. Jude 14-16
 1. An ancient prophecy of judgment against the wicked by Enoch.
 1. "And Enoch also, the seventh from Adam, prophesied of these saying..." Verse 14
 2. Who Enoch was:
 1. He was a preeminently holy man, who was translated to heaven without dying. (Gen. 5:21-23; Heb. 11:5)
 2. No doubt Enoch called "the seventh from Adam" to distinguish him from Enoch the son of Cain. Gen. (Jude 14; Gen. 4:17)
 3. Adam, Seth, Enos, Cainan, Mahaleel, Jared, Enoch, Methuselah, Lamech, and Noah.
2. What Enoch Prophesied. Verses 14, 15, Jude
 1. "The Lord cometh with ten thousand of his saints."
 1. His coming will be in the end of the world the time unknown to man. Matt. 24:36, 42; 25:13. 2 Thess. 1:6-9
 2. He "will come to execute judgment upon all, and to convince (convict) all the ungodly..."
 1. They will answer for all their ungodly deed which they have ungodly committed.
 2. All of their hard speeches which ungodly sinners have spoken against him.
3. What these people are.
 1. These are murmurers, complainers, walking after their own lusts. Verse 16
 1. The murmurer counts God a hard master and himself a good servant.
 2. What murmurers should learn:
 1. Murmuring cannot or benefit them.
 2. Murmuring fills their lives with still deeper anxiety and unrest.
 3. That wars and fightings of life come of the lusts of men. James 4:1, 2
 2. These people were given to vain boasting. V-16
 1. They speak great swelling words.
 2. Having men's persons in admiration because of advantage. Lev. 19:15; "...Thou shalt not respect the person of the poor, nor honor the person of the mighty. Also James 2:1-4

