

The Gerasene Demoniac

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Spiritual Principle: _____!

“The reason the Son of God appeared was to destroy the devil's work.” 1 John 3:8b (NIV)

“But if I drive out demons by the finger of God, then the kingdom of God has come to you.” Luke 11:20 (NIV)

A POWER ENCOUNTER

1. The Power of _____

“When Jesus stepped ashore, he was met by a demon-possessed man from the town. For a long time this man had not worn clothes or lived in a house, but had lived in the tombs. When he saw Jesus, he cried out and fell at his feet, shouting at the top of his voice, ‘What do you want with me, Jesus, Son of the Most High God? I beg you, don't torture me!’ For Jesus had commanded the evil spirit to come out of the man. Many times it had seized him, and though he was chained hand and foot and kept under guard, he had broken his chains and had been driven by the demon into solitary places.” Luke 8:27-29 (NIV)

Truth: It is impossible to belong to _____.

2. The Power of _____

“For Jesus had said to him, ‘Come out of this man, you evil spirit!’” Mark 5:8 (NIV)

“The one who is in you is greater than the one who

is in the world.” 1 John 4:4b (NIV)

“Jesus asked him, ‘What is your name?’ ‘Legion,’ he replied, because many demons had gone into him.’” Luke 8:30 (NIV)

Truth: _____
as we think they are.

“A large herd of pigs was feeding there on the hillside. The demons begged Jesus to let them go into them, and he gave them permission.” Luke 8:32 (NIV)

“When those tending the pigs saw what had happened, they ran off and reported this in the town and countryside, and the people went out to see what had happened. When they came to Jesus, they found the man from whom the demons had gone out, sitting at Jesus' feet, dressed and in his right mind; and they were afraid. Those who had seen it told the people how the demon-possessed man had been cured. Then all the people of the region of the Gerasenes asked Jesus to leave them, because they were overcome with fear. So he got into the boat and left.” Luke 8:34-37 (NIV)

Two Takeaways

1. No one _____
 2. Some people _____
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