

BELIEVING A LIE

2 Thessalonians 2:9-10

INTRO:

- A. There are many things often believed that are simply lies.
- B. Those lies may cost you your hope of heaven.
- C. What would you do if your beliefs turned out to be lies?

I. BELIEVING THE DEVIL

- A. Eve did. Genesis 3:1-6, 22-24
- B. He is a liar. John 8:44
- C. He deceives men. 2 Corinthians 11:3,14
 - 1. He steals the word. Luke 8:11-12
- D. He takes men captive. 2 Timothy 2:24-26
- E. He wants to devour us. I Peter 5:8

II. BUY THE TRUTH

- A. And sell it not. Proverbs 23:23
- B. It will set you free. John 8:30-32
- C. His word is truth. John 17:17
 - 1. The incorruptible seed. I Peter 1:23
- D. We must love it. 2 Thessalonians 2:9-10

III. THE PROBLEM

- A. Believing a lie. 2 Thessalonians 2:11-12
- B. Some turn away. 2 Timothy 4:2-4
- C. Hearts grown dull. Matthew 13:13-15
- D. A spirit of stupor. Romans 11:7-8
- E. God gives them up. Romans 1:24-28

CONCLUSION:

- A. Have you believed the lie that everything is OK as long as you're sincere?
- B. Or the lie that homosexuality is just an alternate lifestyle?
- C. Or that you don't have to be baptized to be saved?
- D. Won't you turn your heart to the truth today, and obey it and be saved?