

A SPOOKY SERMON:

Saul & The Spiritist of Endor

1 Samuel 28; 16:14

I. Hauntingly Disturbing Facts

- A. Our age is an age of _____.
Matthew 13; 2 Corinthians 4:3-4; Galatians 1:4;
Ephesians 6:10-13; 2 Thess. 2:7; 2 Peter 3:3

2 Timothy 3:1 “ _____ times will come
2 Cor. 11:14 “ _____ as angel of light”

James 1:13-18 “Don’t be _____.”

Revelation 3:14-22 “Don’t be _____.”

(3:20 is not talking about salvation, but restored fellowship)

B. Frightening facts about King Saul

1. He was a _____ man.

2. He was a complete spiritual
_____.

3. He refused to genuinely _____.

II. A ghostly event

- A. Old Testament Jewish law
Deuteronomy 18:11; Leviticus 19:31; 20:6, 20:27
- B. A real fright night!
 - 1. Samuel _____ appeared, not a ghost.
 - a. Proves _____ after _____.
 - b. Proves _____ exists apart from _____ . See 2 Corinthians 5:9.
 - 2. Saul's _____ eventually led to _____.
31:3-6; 1 John 4:18; Psalm 56:11; 118:6

III. With God it's all treats, no tricks

- A. The Bible never _____ spiritism, witchcraft, ghost-hunting, or the occult in any form or way.
Deuteronomy 18:10-12; Acts 19:18-19
- B. Samuel's appearance was a _____ act of God. It was a message Saul _____ to hear, but didn't _____ to hear.
- C. The medium of Endor performed _____ acts after Samuel appeared and left.
- D. Believers in Jesus should not _____ in evil, the occult, spiritism, or witchcraft. It is serious business! 1 John 4:4; 1 Corinthians 6:19; 2 Corinthians 6:16