

spirits can be cast out by us & rebuked by us or driven away by us if they are causing an attack.

2. **I'm quite sure I was not possessed by this demon because the attacks only occurred very rarely from the outside, not within my own spirit or mind, but just attacking an organ of my body, as Satan sometimes will do & can do to afflict you & cause you trouble.**

3. **Job & Paul & many other great heroes of the Bible suffered such attacks.** Job was tested by the Enemy with the permission of God (Job 1:6-12), & Paul had a "thorn in the flesh", an evil spirit, "a messenger of Satan", that afflicted him, but did not possess him, but which he apparently couldn't even get rid of because, as he described it, he thought perhaps it was to keep him humble because he'd had such great revelations & experiences with the Lord!—2Cor. 12:7; 1Sam. 18:10.

4. **So this attacker kept annoying me off & on for about four years from that time when she first came under the name of the Sphinx, & which we ferreted out in a revelation from the Lord at that time, finding out who she was, & rebuked her power over Davidito, not realising she was going to attack me next!**

5. **It's very important when you're exorcising or rebuking evil spirits that you command them not only by name & to get out, but to get away from where you are, out of also the house, & even name some other place to which they should go!**

6. **"All power is given unto Me in Heaven & in Earth",** Jesus said (Mt. 28:18), & we have Jesus, so we have His power, so that even the evil spirits & demons are subject unto us, as the Apostles soon discovered after they started following Christ! (Mat. 10:1; Lk. 9:1; 10:17-19; Acts 8:7)

7. **The Lord is very concerned that you understand all of these things & that you know how to deal with them & that you be enlightened on these subjects in order that you can face down the Devil & his demons & resist them & cast them out & rebuke them & drive them away & get rid of their annoyances & pestering & afflictions!—Especially now that you're going to Southern mission fields where they're rife & plentiful & very common & very powerful, because not many people know how to deal with them.**

8. **In fact, in the Southern fields they're even worshipped & venerated & sacrificed to & whole religions are built upon some of these evil gods & goddesses of the demon World, the Devil's own officers & leaders & angels & Archangels.**

9. **Well, PTL! But you say, "Why get into all this stuff about demons & the Devil & Hell & all his dirtywork?"** Well, we must not be ignorant of his devices (2Cor. 2:11) & we must be able to know how to handle him & his demon powers & how to protect ourselves from them & how to rebuke & get rid of them when necessary in their attacks, & to understand how Satan's World operates.

10. **Satan's powers are very real, & yet not to be feared, much less worshipped, but to be resisted & rebuked & exorcised & gotten rid of & reprov'd & cast out & sent away, so that they won't bother us, once you have learned whatever lesson God is allowing them to teach you by affliction.** "Many are the afflictions of the righteous, but the Lord delivereth him out of them all", thank the Lord. King David said, "Before I was afflicted I went astray: but now have I kept Thy Word."—Ps. 34:19, 119:67.

11. **So all of this is for your benefit to help you understand how the Enemy works so you'll know how to defeat him, & to know the formula that God has made very clear in His Word, how to handle the attacks of the Enemy, how to resist Satan so he'll flee from you, how to lift up the standard of the Holy Spirit against him.** "When the Enemy comes in like a flood, the Spirit of God will raise a standard against him!"—Jam. 4:7; Isa. 59:19.—You must know what the standard is & how to use it, the Word of God!

12. **It is also definitely helpful, as any experienced exorcist will tell you, to know the name of the demon, devil or evil spirit with whom you're dealing.** Because if you speak to them by name & then rebuke or resist or cast them out in the name of Jesus, that is so specific it is a power that God has given to you & me through Christ that they cannot resist & they cannot disobey, but they must be subject unto you & they must obey when you call them by name & tell them exactly what to do!—To get their hell out of here!—And tell 'm where to go! Hallelujah!

13. **Boy, how the Devil lies to you, how he tries to get you down, how he tries to discourage you & depress you & cause you to give up & quit!** Like King David said when downhearted: