

# GENESIS

THE CORRUPTION OF MAN





# The Brother's Killer

Genesis 4:1-15





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Now Abel was a keeper of sheep,  
and Cain a worker of the ground.



## Genesis 4:3–4

In the course of time Cain brought to the LORD an offering of the fruit of the ground,

and Abel also brought of the firstborn of his flock and of their fat portions.





## Genesis 4:5

And the LORD had regard for Abel and his offering,  
but for Cain and his offering he had no regard.



## Hebrews 11:4

**By faith** Abel offered to God a **more acceptable** sacrifice than Cain, through which he was commended as righteous, God commending him by accepting his gifts.





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Warren Wiersbe

**“Cain wasn’t rejected because of his offering,  
but his offering was rejected because of Cain:  
his heart wasn’t right with God.”**



**Genesis 4:5**

**So Cain was very angry, and his face fell.**





## Genesis 4:6–7

The LORD said to Cain, “Why are you angry, and why has your face fallen? If you do well, will you not be accepted? And if you do not do well, sin is crouching at the door. Its desire is contrary to you, but you must rule over it.”



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**“Cain killed his brother when church was over,”**

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**“If you want to find out Cain’s condition of heart,  
you will find it after the service...  
You know a man best, out of church.”**

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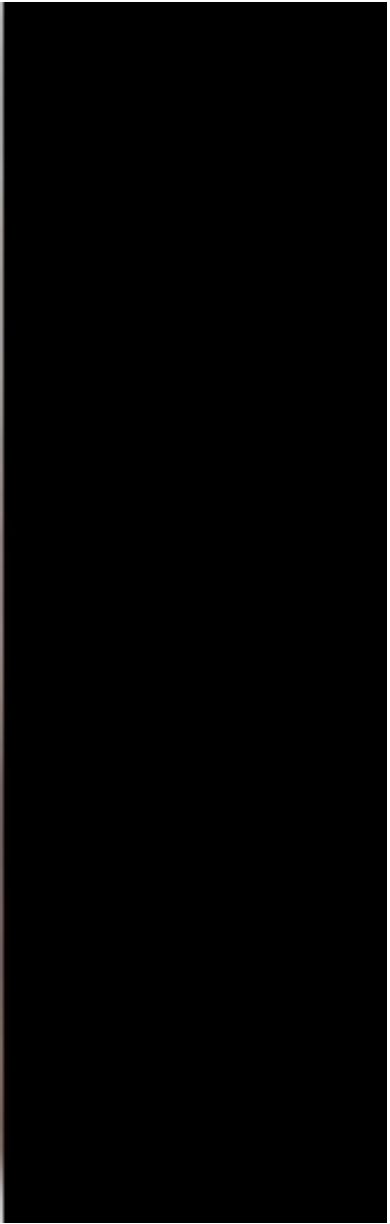






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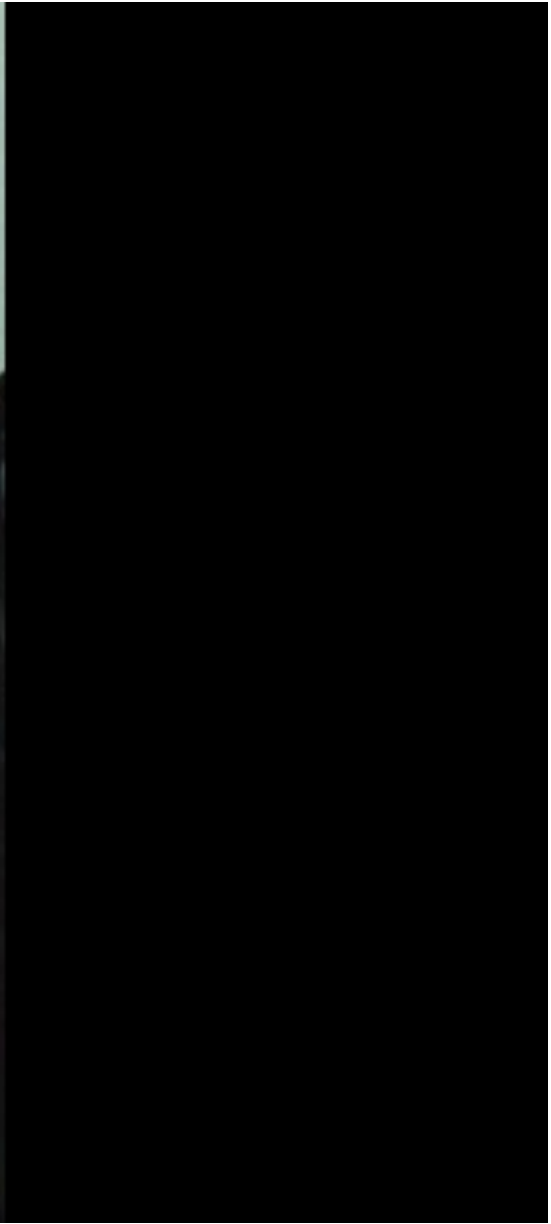




WHY DID JESUS REFER TO THE PHARISEES AS A  
**"CHILD OF HELL"**

IN MATTHEW 23:15?







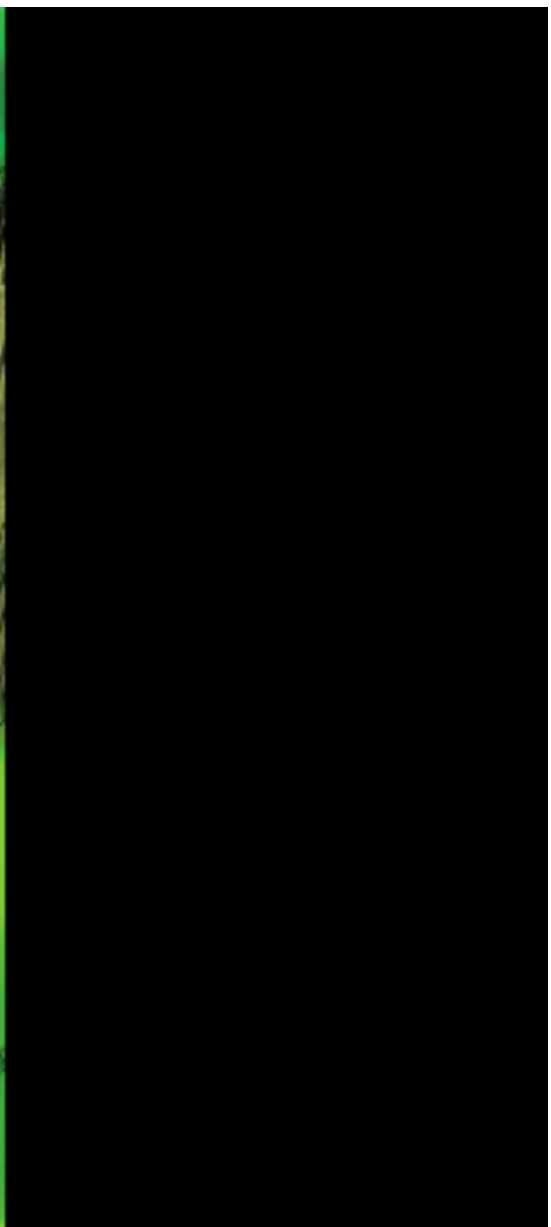
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A close-up photograph of golden wheat stalks, showing the intricate details of the grain heads and the surrounding awns. The lighting is warm, highlighting the texture of the wheat. The text 'WEEDS AND WHEAT' is overlaid on the left side of the image in a serif font.

WEEDS AND  
WHEAT







## 1 John 3:11–12

For this is the message that you have heard from the beginning, that we should **love one another**. We should not be like Cain, who was of the evil one and murdered his brother...



## Genesis 4:9

Then the LORD said to Cain,  
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Then the LORD said to Cain,  
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He said, “I do not know; am I my brother’s keeper?”



## Genesis 4:10

And the LORD said, "What have you done?  
The voice of your brother's blood is crying to me  
from the ground."





## Revelation 6:9–10

When he opened the fifth seal, I saw under the altar the souls of **those who had been slain for the word of God** and for the witness they had borne. They cried out with a loud voice, “O Sovereign Lord, holy and true, **how long before you will judge and avenge our blood on those who dwell on the earth?**”





## Matthew 23:35

so that **on you may come all the righteous blood** shed on earth, from the **blood of righteous Abel** to the blood of Zechariah the son of Barachiah, whom you murdered between the sanctuary and the altar.





## Romans 16:20

The God of peace will soon crush Satan under your feet. The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you.