



Malaysian school hit by 'mass hysteria' still closed, but journalists hear screams from the classrooms

"... Last Monday to Wednesday, more than 100 female and male students and teachers were allegedly struck by mass hysteria to the extent that the school was forced to shut down on Thursday to avoid more students from being possessed. ..."

Straits Times, 17 April 2016

Another three Kota Baru schools report cases of hysteria among students

"KOTA BARU (THE STAR/ASIA NEWS NETWORK) - There seems to be an "epidemic" of mass hysteria after three more schools were affected over the past one week.

The latest schools to be struck with the "body possession phenomenon" are SMK Pengkalan Chepa 1 (five female students), SMK Kemumin (20 students) and SMK Kubang Kerman 3 (eight students)."

Straits Times, 18 April 2016

<http://www.mirror.co.uk/news/weird-news/nearly-100-schoolchildren-possessed-devil> on 18 May 2016



Almost 100 schoolchildren are thought to have been 'possessed' by the devil - and see visions of a man in black trying to kill them. In what has been described as a mass case of demonic possession, the pupils in Peru are experiencing seizures alongside their horrifying hallucinations.



Mark 9:14-29

Master, I have brought unto thee my son, which hath a dumb spirit; and wheresoever he taketh him, he teareth him: and he foameth, and gnasheth with his teeth, and pineth away (*become paralyzed*): ...

Mark 9:14-29

And they brought him unto him: and when he saw him, straightway the spirit tare him (*violent convulsions*); and he fell on the ground, and wallowed (*rolled*) foaming. And he asked his father, How long is it ago since this came unto him? And he said, Of a child. And oftentimes it hath cast him into the fire, and into the waters, to destroy him:...

1 John 4:4

Ye are of God, little children, and have overcome them: because greater is he that is in you, than he that is in the world.

Earnest Prayer – Spiritual battle!

Major thrust of Mark 9:14-29
Disciples were not able!

Mark 9:14-29

And when he (*Jesus*) came to his disciples, he saw a great multitude about them, and the scribes questioning with them.
 ... And he asked the scribes, What question ye with them?
 • *Father of demon possessed child:*
 I spake to thy disciples that they should cast him out; and they could not.

Mark 9:14-29

..., He (*Jesus*) rebuked the foul spirit, saying unto him, Thou dumb and deaf spirit, I charge thee, come out of him, and enter no more into him.
 And the spirit cried, and rent him sore, and came out of him: and he was as one dead; insomuch that many said, He is dead.
 But Jesus took him by the hand, and lifted him up; and he arose.

Mark 9:14-29

And when he was come into the house, his disciples asked him privately, Why could not we cast him out?
 And he said unto them, This kind can come forth by nothing, but by prayer and fasting.

Mark 6:7; 13

And he (*Jesus*) called unto him the twelve, and began to send them forth by two and two; and gave them power over unclean spirits;
 And they cast out many devils,...

Mark 9:14-29

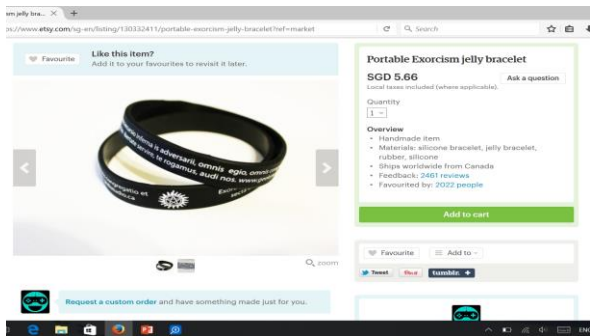
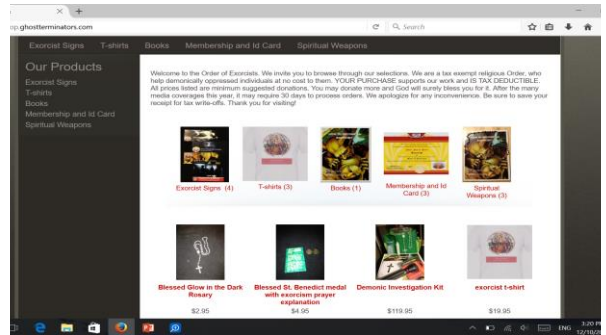
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Diaries of John Sung, 73

...The headmistress told me how a female student, Yang, was possessed by evil spirits after she ate food offered to idols at her aunt's house during Clear Bright Festival (Qingmingjie). On 12 May, four people brought Yang to see me. She thought herself to be greater than Jesus and refused to kneel. I told the others, "...we must trust the power of God rather than our own." After we prayed, Yang was back to normal. I said, "...many preachers used the power of God to bring glory to themselves; drawing attention to oneself is sin."

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Mark 14:38

Watch and pray, that ye enter not into temptation: the spirit indeed is willing, but the flesh is weak.

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2 Cor. 2:10-11

To whom ye forgive any thing, I forgive also: for if I forgave any thing, to whom I forgave it, for your sakes forgave I it in the person of Christ; Lest Satan should get an advantage of us: for we are not ignorant of his devices.

Mark 9:14-29

... but if thou canst do any thing, have compassion on us, and help us.
Jesus said unto him, If thou canst believe, all things are possible to him that believeth.
And straightway the father of the child cried out, and said with tears, Lord, I believe; help thou mine unbelief.

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Daniel 9:3ff

In the first year of his reign I Daniel understood by books the number of the years, whereof the word of the LORD came to Jeremiah the prophet, that he would accomplish seventy years in the desolations of Jerusalem.

And I set my face unto the Lord God, to seek by prayer and supplications, with fasting, and sackcloth, and ashes:

And I prayed unto the LORD my God, and made my confession, and said,

Daniel 9:3ff

O LORD, according to all thy righteousness, I beseech thee, let thine anger and thy fury be turned away from thy city Jerusalem, thy holy mountain: because for our sins, and for the iniquities of our fathers, Jerusalem and thy people are become a reproach to all that are about us.

Now therefore, O our God, hear the prayer of thy servant, and his supplications, and cause thy face to shine upon thy sanctuary that is desolate, for the Lord's sake.

Daniel 10:2ff

In those days I Daniel was mourning three full weeks.

I ate no pleasant bread, neither came flesh nor wine in my mouth, neither did I anoint myself at all, till three whole weeks were fulfilled.

Daniel 10:2ff

Then I lifted up mine eyes, and looked, and behold a certain man clothed in linen, whose loins were girded with fine gold of Uphaz:

His body also was like the beryl, and his face as the appearance of lightning, and his eyes as lamps of fire, and his arms and his feet like in colour to polished brass, and the voice of his words like the voice of a multitude.

Daniel 10:2ff

... Then said he unto me, Fear not, Daniel: for from the first day that thou didst set thine heart to understand, and to chasten thyself before thy God, thy words were heard, and I am come for thy words.

Daniel 10:2ff

But the prince of the kingdom of Persia withstood me one and twenty days: but, lo, Michael, one of the chief princes, came to help me; and I remained there with the kings of Persia.

Now I am come to make thee understand what shall befall thy people in the latter days: for yet the vision is for many days.

Ephesians 6:18-20

Praying always with all prayer and supplication in the Spirit, and watching thereunto with all perseverance and supplication for all saints.

And for me, that utterance may be given unto me, that I may open my mouth boldly, to make known the mystery of the gospel,

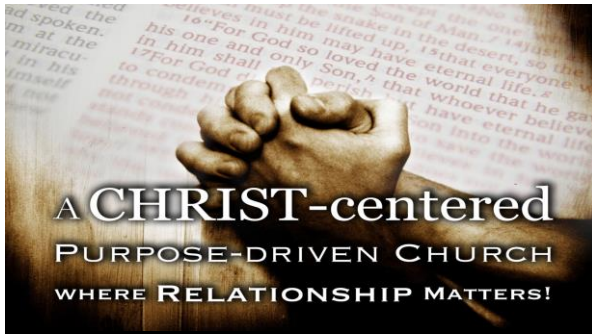
For which I am an ambassador in bonds: that therein I may speak boldly, as I ought to speak.

2 Thess. 3:1-2

Finally, brethren, pray for us, that the word of the Lord may have free course, and be glorified, even as it is with you:
And that we may be delivered from unreasonable and wicked men: for all men have not faith.

Ephesians 6:13

For we wrestle not against flesh and blood, but against principalities, against powers, against the rulers of the darkness of this world, against spiritual wickedness in high places.



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