

2026-04-08 Scripture

Scripture References from the Sermon

Explicitly Mentioned References:

1. **Job** (Satan mentioned)
2. **Zechariah** (Satan mentioned)
3. **Matthew** (the devil, the tempter, the enemy, Beelzebub mentioned)
4. **Revelation** (the devil, accuser of the brethren, the serpent, the dragon, destroyers, angel of the abyss mentioned)
5. **2 Corinthians** (prince of this world, angel of light mentioned)
6. **Ephesians** (prince of the power of the air mentioned)
7. **Genesis** (the serpent mentioned)
8. **John** (father of lies, murder from the beginning mentioned)
9. **1 Peter** (roaring lion mentioned)
10. **2 Corinthians** (Belial mentioned)
11. **1 John** (the wicked one mentioned)
12. **1 Peter 5:8** - "Be alert and of sober mind. Your enemy, the devil, prowls around like a roaring lion looking for someone to devour."
13. **John 10:10** - "The thief comes only to steal, kill, and destroy. I have come that they may have life and to have it to the full."
14. **2 Corinthians 4:4** - "The God of this age has blinded the minds of unbelievers so they cannot see the light of the gospel that displays the glory of Christ who is the image of God."
15. **1 Timothy 4:2** - "Such teachings come through hypocritical liars whose consciences have been seared with a hot iron."
16. **Ephesians 4:18-19** - "They are darkened in their understanding and separated from the life of God because of the ignorance that is in them due to the hardening of their hearts."
17. **1 John 2:15-16** - "Do not love the world or anything in the world. If anyone loves the world, love for the Father is not in them. For everything in the world, the lust of the flesh, the lust of the eyes, and the pride of life comes not from the Father, but from the world."
18. **John 8:44** - "You belong to your father, the devil, and you want to carry out your father's desires. He was a murderer from the beginning, not

holding to the truth. There's no truth in him. When he lies, he speaks his native language, and he is a liar and the father of all lies."

19. **Genesis 3:1** - "Now the serpent was more crafty than any of the wild animals the Lord God had made. He said to the woman, did God really say? You must not eat from the tree of the garden."

20. **Isaiah 59:2** - "But your iniquities have separated you from God. Your sins have hidden His face from you so that He will not hear."

21. **Romans 8:1** - "There is now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus."

22. **Hebrews 10:25** - "Do not give up the meeting together"
(paraphrased reference to not forsaking the gathering)

Additional Relevant References Based on Themes:

- **Matthew 4:1-11** (Satan tempting Jesus in the wilderness - referenced in sermon)
- **Mark 5:1-20** (Legion of demons cast into pigs - alluded to)
- **Luke 10:18** (Satan falling from heaven)
- **Revelation 12:4** (Satan taking a third of angels with him)
- **James 4:7** (Resist the devil and he will flee)
- **Proverbs 27:17** (Iron sharpens iron - accountability theme)
- **Ecclesiastes 4:9-12** (Two are better than one - mat carrier theme)