

# THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN HUMAN STUPIDITY AND DEMONIC POSSESSION

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Revelation 3:15-16

Human stupidity and demonic activity look very similar because human stupidity can reflect evil actions. However, there is a **HUGE** difference between the two.

Human stupidity is a person choosing to do what is wrong even though they have the knowledge to comprehend what is right. Even though people choose to do what is wrong, evil and wicked, if their authentic **PERSONALITY** has **NOT** changed it is **NOT** demonic possession even though it is a demonic activity.

THE DEMONIC REALM

There is a difference between demonic activity and demonic possession. Anyone can do an evil deed and still be in their right mind. A demonic activity is **ANYTHING** that violates God's word. It's that simple. When God created the earth and everything in it, there was **NO** middle ground.

It was life and death, evilness and righteousness, good and bad, right and wrong, angels and demons, heaven and hell, foolishness and wisdom, sin and holiness, hot and cold, etc. The idea and thought of a middle ground **IS** demonic!

Revelation 3:15-16 says, *"I know what you do, that you are not hot or cold. I wish that you were hot or cold! But because you are lukewarm—neither hot, nor cold—I am ready to spit you out of my mouth."*

**GOD DID NOT CREATE A MIDDLE GROUND.  
HUMANITY DID!**

Demonic possession is something entirely different.

Demonic possession is when an evil spirit has consumed your **PERSONALITY** and replaced it with a demon. When demons possess the body of a person they take over the mental, emotional and social characteristics of an individual.

**IN OTHER WORDS, WHO YOU KNEW BEFORE YOU  
DO NOT RECOGNIZE NOW.**

If you want to differentiate if a person is living foolishly or under demonic possession focus on the stability of the individual **PERSONALITY**. If the personality is **UNRECOGNIZABLE**, something else has taken over!

Understanding and discerning the difference is extremely important because it will decide how people need to be helped. If a person has a stupidity problem they can be taught. However, if a person has a demonic possession problem they need to be delivered.

When a person is under demonic possession they cannot be taught because demons are **NOT** teachable. They are purely evil. Anything evil **MUST** be removed! 1st Corinthians 5:13 says, *"it is not my business to judge those who are not part of the church. God will judge them. But you must judge the people who are part of the church. The Scripture says, "You must get rid of the evil person among you."* NCV.

We are living in a world where it is becoming increasingly difficult to know if a person is bound by human stupidity or if it's demonic possession. This teaching has given you the wisdom you need to help those who **WANT** to be helped.

Wisdom Note: **IF YOU ARE FILLED WITH THE HOLY SPIRIT YOU CANNOT BE POSSESSED BY A DEMON.**  
An unclean thing cannot dwell in a clean vessel.

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