

RESISTING PEDDLERS OF PERDITION

2 Peter 2:1-3

I. THE ORIGIN OF FALSE TEACHERS (v. 1a)

A. A Problem throughout History—*But there were also false prophets among the people*

B. A Present Reality—*even as there will be false teachers among you*

II. THE OPERATION OF FALSE TEACHERS (v. 1b)

A. Deception through Doctrinal Heresy—*who will secretly bring in destructive heresies...*

B. Denial of Jesus Sovereignty—*even denying the Lord who bought them*

III. THE OUTCOME OF FALSE TEACHING (v. 2)

A. They Gather a Large Congregation—*many will follow...*

B. The Gospel Gains a Bad Reputation—*the way of truth will be blasphemed*

IV. THE OBJECTIVE OF FALSE TEACHERS (v. 3)

A. Exploit People—*By covetousness they will exploit you with deceptive words...*

B. Condemn People—*their destruction does not slumber*