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## Living in the Daze of Deception with Jack Hibbs

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### FRANK:

Ladies and gentlemen, have you ever been told one thing only to find out a little bit later what you were told wasn't true? Have you ever been enticed into a relationship, or enticed into a job, or enticed into a belief system, or enticed into a financial deal, or enticed into believing something was so when it wasn't really so? In other words, you were deceived. We've all been deceived on occasion. The question is, are you being deceived every day by subtle lies that you haven't been able to detect? Because our Lord warned us, watch out that no one deceives you.

The biggest problem with deception is that you don't know you're being deceived. If you knew it, you wouldn't be deceived. Well, there's a brand-new book out written by my friend the great Jack Hibbs, ladies and gentlemen, called 'The Daze of Deception.' If you want to avoid being deceived, you're going to want to pick this up. Jack is with us for the entire hour, the great Jack Hibbs. Why did you write 'The Daze of Deception?' Tell us.

### JACK:

Yeah, first of all, hi, Frank. It's good to be with you. Number one, it came out of the whole COVID experience. It's not a book about COVID. It's a book that was inspired by what I saw during COVID. And that was, the experts couldn't agree on anything, Frank. We all know that. Your viewers are very astute to that fact, that you've got these great guys on one side, the great guys on the other side and they couldn't agree on anything. And so, that just led from the realm of what physicians and researchers were talking about, then it quickly, you know, was taken hold of by political agendas. Nobody wants to talk about politics. I get it. Who does? It's nuts.

But there's a correlation there, Frank, with deception and power. So, the greater the deception, you see the greater control. I've discovered this, just in researching for the book is the greater the deception, often Frank, the more subtle, and more difficult it is to flush out. In fact, I'm convinced now that without a biblical worldview, without the Holy Spirit operating the Scripture in your life, as you well said in the introduction, the level of deception is all around us. We're walking through as it were, a daze, a fog, that without the lantern of God's truth. If you break away from that light, so to speak, you're going to get into the darkness, into the trouble.

And so, the greater the stakes, the more cunning the discipline of deception is by the enemy. It doesn't stop. And so yeah, it was that period of time where hey, man, we're being deceived. We feel like we've been hit, and our head's spinning like a cartoon with stars around it. And then quickly following all of that drama was the gender thing, and BLM, and all so many things. But again, all of it Frank, as you will know, is answered in the Bible.

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**FRANK:**

It is. And the book, 'The Daze of Deception,' ladies and gentlemen, is written in two parts. The first part is called 'Recognizing the Many Kinds of Deception.' We'll get into that with the great Jack Hibbs here in a minute. The second part is standing for God's truth. So, first of all, you've got to recognize you're being deceived. Then once you are, then you can stand for God's truth. And Jack, you mentioned to me when I was out there with you a couple of weeks ago, that this book, you really didn't want to write. The publisher came to you, the great folks at Harvest House. You had done a sermon series, 'The Daze of Deception.' And they came to you and said, Jack, this needs to be book. And you didn't want to do it initially. Why not?

**JACK:**

No, that's exactly true. To be very honest with you, Frank, Lisa and I wrote a book before with David C. Cook Publishers, and it was really hard. We had never written a book before. And so, when we did 'Turn Around at Home,' it was just so hard that I just thought, I'll never do that again. So, I told the beautiful people, they're wonderful at Harvest House. I said, listen. With all due respect, thank you so much. It's very flattering, but no way. And so, we hemmed and hawed back and forth, and they're pretty persistent.

And then when they could not prevail against me on this, I was not going to do it, this was the turning point. They said, can we buy the title from you? We watched the sermon series. We see the title of it. The title sells. Can we buy it from you? And I thought, what? Never thought about that. And so, I said, do you really believe that this is worth time and effort to write? And they said, we have no doubt about it whatsoever. So, they convinced, and I capitulated. And so, we're very, very pleased.

But the response of the book, Frank, it's been crazy. Three different times in the pre-order of the book, it went to Amazon number one in the genre. It went to 38 in all the genres on Amazon. And then, as well as Walmart and Barnes and Noble. So, I just couldn't have asked for anything better. But I've got to tell you, my love is this. My love is that it's plump with Bible and scriptures. And that's what I'm happy about. People are reading the Bible, believer and non-believer alike. They're getting a lot of Bible out of it.

**FRANK:**

Yeah, well, it is very well done. I had the opportunity to read it several months ago and put an endorsement on it as did many other folks. And folks, you're going to want to pick up a copy if you can get it. Amazon is already limiting the number you can get because it is so popular now. I don't know if you know this friends, but most Christian books, they just sell 1000-2000 copies. There's more than 100,000 copies of this book in print already. It's only been out for like a week. Okay?

People don't want to be deceived, and this book will help them see the truth. So, let's start at the top, Jack because you've got so many chapters. You've got 10 chapters in the first section of

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the book. You've got *The Daze of Global Deception*, *The Daze by Spiritual Deceivers*, *Dazed by Deceptive Spirits*. Where do you want to start? What do you want to talk about first?

**JACK:**

Wherever you want. In fact, to be honest with you, Frank, when you're introducing it, the back end of the book should be at the front in the sense, about the validity of God's Word answering all things. But in all honesty, we had to set up the reader to be in the mindset of holy cow. This is happening around me and then we wanted to throw them the life raft to save them of truth. So, you know, what? We could start right here if you'd like, is the fact that there's just a global deception taking place right now. I had the opportunity this morning. I got a wonderful wake-up call this morning from David Cohen of Newsmax. He was with Secretary Mike Pompeo.

**FRANK:**

He wrote the foreword to this book, by the way. Secretary Mike Pompeo wrote the foreword to days of deception.

**JACK:**

I'll tell you what, Frank. That's a man of integrity, because when I asked him to write the foreword, he said, I'll do it if you can send me the whole book. Don't send me part of it. I have to read the whole thing before I can endorse it. And I loved that. And he wrote a great endorsement. But the thing is this, Mike Pompeo, the 70th Secretary of State of the United States, the things that he's been able to talk about regarding deception among nations where nations held and hold to certain worldviews that you're an expert at addressing Frank.

But all of those worldviews are anchored to some belief system. And those belief systems will dictate the governance of a nation, the very atmospherics of a people, how they think, how they conduct themselves. And so, right now we're watching the World Economic Forum, for example. Who are these people? Well, whoever they are, they actually make policies for national leaders to go home to their countries to implement. That's a bizarre situation.

**FRANK:**

And we're going to talk more about it with the great Jack Hibbs of Calvary Chapel, Chino Hills. By the way, he's the hardest working man out there in preaching, because he preaches three times on Sunday and then on Wednesday, as well (as many other Calvary Chapel pastors do). You've got to check him out. Calvary Chapel, Chino Hills. We're back in two minutes. Don't go anywhere.

If you're low on the FM dial looking for National Public Radio, go no further. We're actually going to tell you the truth here. That's our intent anyway. You're never going to hear 'The Daze of Deception' on NPR. They're probably going to more deceive you, then tell you the truth. But with the great Jack Hibbs, right here. And by the way, I call him the great Jack Hibbs because he is great. You've got to check him out at Calvary Chapel, Chino Hills. That's where he has been the pastor for, how many years now, Jack?

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**JACK:**

Well, we started with six people in the living room of the house. So, it's been 34 years now.

**FRANK:**

Hey, before we get back into the book, you've got to tell the story. You got saved at Calvary Chapel, Costa Mesa and Greg Laurie was preaching. You got saved. That was Chuck Smith's church. There's a movie about it called 'Jesus Revolution,' you can see, about Chuck's Smith's life. But I remember you saying that you had started a Bible study. You were like working in some biotech lab somewhere near Chino Hills. And you started a Bible study and kept growing and growing. And you went down to Chuck, and you sat in his office. You said, hey, Chuck. We need a pastor up here. Pick it up right there. What happened?

**JACK:**

Yeah, well, first of all, he was 100% responsible, because in the first place, he's the one that told us, you're driving from Chino Hills to Costa Mesa to go to church? You should just start a home Bible study. And I just pushed that off for well over a year, to be honest with you. But we started a Monday night Bible study, and it just took off. And so, then what happened was, as we're trying to manage all this, the people wanted to go to a Sunday morning service but I'm working my full-time job. And let me tell you, it was beyond a full-time job. And so, I'm trying to juggle all this stuff. And Frank, you look back at pictures of me in those days, I look like I'm from Auschwitz.

I hardly slept. I was working these two different jobs. And I told Pastor Chuck, I said, you've got to find a pastor for this. I got my career, love it. But these people need a pastor. And so, Chuck Smith, he gets up from behind his desk. And he taps me on the shoulder, and he says, Lord, bless what's happening at Chino Hills. And he walked out of his office. And I was thinking, well, okay. He must have gone to the bathroom or something. I don't know.

I'm waiting. And his secretary comes back and says, can I help you? I said, I'm just waiting for Chuck to come back. She goes, he went home. And two weeks later, I had all my ordination documents. It turned out that that slap on the shoulder was the moment of ordination. And so, we never looked back since.

**FRANK:**

So right now, let's just give our audience kind of an update. Because I don't know if you've been on since COVID, but COVID hit. I remember this because when COVID hit, I was the last guy to preach at Calvary Chapel, Chino Hills. And then it was like March 15 of 2020. The next week, you know, the President said, you know, 10 days to flatten the curve. That was it. Ten days to flatten the curve. Get another booster. No, that came later, the boosters. [Laughter] But anyway, you shut down for a couple of months. And then you felt God saying, look. We've got to start back up to May 31, I think it was, even though the governor said you can't. What happened then?

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**JACK:**

Gosh, Frank, you know, with all gratitude, thanks, and respect for our staff. You preached that last sermon in house. We didn't know what was about to come. And we never missed a Sunday this way. Immediately, before the next Sunday came around. So, we went from Frank Turek live, to converting the entire sanctuary into about five or seven different sets. Yeah, we had five or seven different sets. Children's Ministry immediately went full-time streaming, women's ministry, new believers.

We were doing sermons. And I asked the staff. I said listen. You can stay home if you want, no harm, no foul, or you come in. And seven days a week, we were cranking out stuff. This staff, I'm telling you I've got the greatest pastoral staff in the universe, and they never stopped. They never stopped. And so, we just had to let Newsom know we're not going to do this any longer. Because look, let's be honest, it turns out the experts, God bless them. They didn't know what was up.

But the bottom line was this. I didn't make the decision based on that. The decision was solely of God. I was reading somewhere in the Bible. I don't even remember where. It doesn't even matter. But I remember this. On April 26, the Lord led me this way. Behold, I've set before you an open door that no man can shut. I immediately recognized that as being his letter to the church at Philadelphia in the book of Revelation. And I got on the phone and announced to the staff, we're going for it. You don't have to show up if you don't want to. You're good. Your job is secured. You're fine, but we're going for it. Doors are opened. Let's do this.

And every staff member came. And what we didn't expect Frank was opening up to a crowd size that was bigger than previous than the shutdown. Because I didn't think what would happen. I didn't realize that if all these other churches did not open up, that Jesus's people would go seek out his Word. And we were completely inundated. And it's been that way ever since.

**FRANK:**

I'll tell you, Jack, back in January 2021, I think maybe you and I preached together. I can't remember. But I had people come up to me at the book table. I always say, hey, where are you from? The guy came from three hours away to go to church because nobody else was open. And it was just Calvary Chapel, Chino Hills.

**JACK:**

And it's a bizarre thing, Frank. And I'm not saying this to be funny. That's still happening. That's still going on. Because here's phase two of the craziness. Phase two was, well, Pastor Jack, it was great being here. But we're going to stay back now. Our church is reopening again. So, thank you for taking care of us while everything was closed. And then they're back in three weeks. And they said, well, our church opened up. But it opened up apologizing that we're white, or BLM, or woke, or this. They opened up wrong.

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So Frank, it's a weird thing, man. Your viewers will know this. Go look around at the churches that fought to stay open or get open and they did it versus the churches who announced (I'm not going to mention any names), who said, we'll see you back here next year. We're shutting down for a year. And that particular pastor in the east coast somewhere in the state of Georgia...

**FRANK:**

Andy Stanley, a friend of mine. Yeah, I know.

**JACK:**

He opened up and opened up wrong. Said the wrong things, did the wrong things. And he wasn't alone in this. So many opened up wrong. And it's almost as though, Frank, that God was testing or maybe shaking the Church to see what she's made of.

**FRANK:**

Now, I had a long conversation, six hour conversation with Andy Stanley about the whole woke thing. And I'm sorry, he's going down the wrong road. He just is. And I say that as a friend. But Jack, you stuck to the truth. You came back, you opened up. And now, it's like, you want to tell people hey, go home. There's too many people here, right? [Laughter]

So, you're preaching through Romans on Sunday. You're preaching through Hebrews on Wednesday, because you want to give people a foundation in theology. Because you have people who weren't Bible students. You had people who came from the Catholic Church, or people who came from the Orthodox Church, people that came from churches that didn't really study the Bible very much. And so, you're trying to give them the truth of the Scriptures.

Now, in the new book, 'The Daze of Deception,' you actually talk about some of these issues, a little bit about COVID, and BLM, and these things, these deceptive things that went on to try and get us to do what we never should have done. And that was close the doors of the Church. We were deceived. And look, in the very beginning, we didn't know if this thing was Ebola or what. Okay, we get it. But after they're saying things like, well, churches, you need to stay closed. But liquor stores, abortion clinics, and casinos can be open because they're essential. You went, hold on. We're being deceived, aren't we?

**JACK:**

Yeah, exactly that. And you know, somebody might say, well, you're supposed to obey the authorities that rule over you. That is correct, Romans 13. Absolutely. But you might want to slow down and read Romans 13 slower next time. It says that these authorities that are placed over us, we are to be in submission to because they are God's servants appointed by God for good or to do good. When Gavin Newsom said all strip clubs stay open, marijuana dispensaries stay open, and abortion clinics stay open, and all churches must stay closed, that's when Gavin Newsom's mantle of authority fell off of his shoulders. It was clearly evident to anybody listening and watching with Bible open that it was time to, get this, obey God rather than man. It's absolutely in the Bible in the book of Acts.

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And so, what happened was, and I wrote it down just so I wouldn't forget. Over the course of three Saturdays, Frank, during that period of time, people came to us, and they said, listen. I just accepted Christ. Or they said, I've gone to church for 25 years. I've never heard the term born again before. So, I want to accept Christ. Three thousand eleven people were baptized in three weekends, three Saturdays. Why? Because of truth. They found out that they were deceived into thinking that they were going to heaven, or that they were okay.

But when they heard the word repent, when they heard the word Gospel, when they heard the Word, that Jesus died for their sins and rose again from the grave, that God does not accept our own righteousness into heaven, but only Christ alone. People woke up, and they're still waking up. I think that there's a movement taking place in California. Look, I've been gone for a week in Texas. God bless Texas, right? I couldn't wait to get back to California, Frank. Because whatever gray zone was in California, it's gone now. You're either a Christian or you're not in California. It's very black and white, and I'm loving it.

**FRANK:**

Well, 'The Daze of Deception' gets into the ways that we're being deceived. And you just mentioned that some of the deception, Jack, is coming from people who say they're Christians, who say things that cause us to believe, well, you've just got to be a good person. You'll get into heaven. In fact, there's a chapter in here called Dazed by Deceptions within the Church. Talk about that for a minute. Where are people in the Church deceiving people in the pews, Jack?

**JACK:**

I'm sad to say this. There are people who in the pathology, Frank, it would go this way. There are people who grew up in a church that didn't preach the Gospel. They didn't do biblically based sermons. And so, this young person grew up and then they went to seminary. They felt a tug on their heart, and they went to a seminary. And that seminary didn't teach them the full counsel of God, for example. And so, then they got their degree, and they were ordained as a minister. And so, now they're pastoring a church, and they're giving what they have within them. That's all that they have. They have what they have, and they give what they give.

And so, what happened is, we can become deceived within the Church if the Church departs from the full counsel of God. Imagine this, Frank. Imagine, for example, eschatology. A lot of people want to avoid eschatology, because why? It's controversial. Of course it's controversial. The Bible is the only book in all of the world that is 100% accurate regarding Bible prophecy, which is one of God's ways of proving that he in fact, is eternal, and he can write the future down in advance and put in the Bible that you read about it. Jesus said it this way. I've told you these things in advance, that when they happen, you will believe that I am He. But when pastors are not taught that, then they raise up Christians who do not know that. And imagine teaching a church 75% of the Bible. I don't know. Not a good idea.

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**FRANK:**

Much more with the great Jack Hibbs. The brand-new book, 'The Daze of Deception.' You're going to want to get a copy right away so you can be undeceived or give it to somebody who is deceived. We're back in just two minutes. Don't go anywhere.

Ladies and gentlemen, this Tuesday night, February 20, I will be in Fayetteville, Georgia speaking on 'Correct, Not Politically Correct: About Transgenderism.' We're going to be at, I think it is, Flat Creek Baptist Church in Fayetteville. Go to our website, [CrossExamined.org](http://CrossExamined.org), and you will see Frank Turek calendar there. Click on Events. Then the following weekend, the 24th and 25th, I will be up in Chilliwack, British Columbia. That's up near Vancouver. I'll be doing I Don't Have Enough Faith to Be an Atheist on Saturday. And then on Sunday, we're going to be talking about, 'Does Love Require Approval?' That's at Main Street Church in Chilliwack, British Columbia. And then we have way down in Sarasota, Florida, so going diagonally across the country.

I'm going to be with my friend, Chip Bennett, at the ApologeticCon. That is March 4-6th. And then, March 9, myself, Alisa Childers, and Natasha Crain will be at the Unshaken conference outside of Detroit, Michigan. Look for all that on the website, [CrossExamined.org](http://CrossExamined.org). If you want to see my guest, the great Jack Hibbs, you can see him actually twice a week, Sunday morning at Calvary Chapel, Chino Hills YouTube channel and/or Facebook page, or their website. You can also see him preaching on Wednesday nights at 7 pm Pacific Time. And Jack just goes through the Bible. He's in the book of Romans, book of Hebrews right now. Also, sometimes he has special guests like Charlie Kirk and others.

In fact, Jack, I'm going to be with you in June this year. We're going to talk about 'Correct, Not Politically Correct' during so-called Gay Pride Month. And there's a lot of deception going on Jack. And you point it out so clearly in 'Daze of Deception.' I'm going to read a passage from 1 Timothy 4. It's all over your book. The Spirit clearly says that in latter times, some will abandon the faith and follow deceiving spirits and things taught by demons. Such teachings come through hypocritical liars, whose consciences have been seared with a hot iron. And he goes on. And he also talks about how people will just gather around themselves teachers who say whatever their itching ears want to hear, Jack. It's from within the Church. It's outside the Church. You talk about it a lot in 'Daze of Deception.' What's the solution to all this, Jack? What do we do?

**JACK:**

Well, I want to make everybody clear. What Frank was just quoting, that was not me who wrote that. That was the Apostle Paul who wrote that. And so, because of that, what's so beautiful about the Bible is that God's Word tells us what we need to know in advance. So, if we know these charlatans are going to be manifesting themselves, the greatest thing and I believe it's the only greatest thing that you need, is a humble and consistent diet of the Bible. Now, somebody will just say, oh, that's an old book. My friend, it's not an old book. It's an eternal book. And the

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consumption of the Bible is what is going to keep you from being deceived by what? Frank said it, doctrines of demons.

You mentioned, Frank, us getting together and other conversations and teachings that you're going to do. Your awesome book, I encourage all of your viewers if they don't have it. Get that book, 'Correct, Not Politically Correct.' It's absolutely awesome. Because this gender bending stuff, is actually something that you might be shocked to find out that it's ancient Babylonianism that has resurfaced again. The ancient gods and goddesses, like Athena and Diana, all of these pagans, Zeus, and others. They all had in their practice of worship, child sacrifices. Killing them, yes, of course. But also converting their gender from one that they were born to, to another. This is ancient stuff. What does this mean?

I believe that the current dilemma that our world is going through, which again, is spreading like global wildfire, because it's spiritually driven, is destroying those who are created in the image of God. That's us humans. To confuse the gender, to get a child to be mentally or sexually abused in their own mind. It wasn't enough to do it to them physically. Now, we have done it to their own hearts and minds. This is an attack on innocence. I believe that's rooted in demonic activity. And Frank knows me. I'm not one to go around, we need to cast out that demon and look. You put some holy oil over there. No.

But the Bible is true. In the last days, there's going to be deceiving spirits and doctrines of demons. So, I just ask you this. Who's going to be deceived? And what is it that they're going to teach? Well, it doesn't take a spiritual Einstein to figure out that they're going to teach things that are contrary to the will of God. You're going to know that if you're studying your Bible. You'll hear the counterfeit because you know the truth. And so, this book is a simple attempt to get you to know in these very hot topics of our world today, unity, tolerance, deception, the Church, demons, spirits, what's behind all these things and how you can flush it out. It's not rocket science.

**FRANK:**

Isn't it interesting, Jack, that we are so deceived now that we don't even know what a woman is? That we're too afraid to say what a woman is? That Matt Walsh actually is lauded for simply asking the question, what is a woman? And we know we can change our minds. We can't change our biology. Yet so many people have been convinced that they can almost change their biology but can't change their minds. I mean, talk about deception.

**JACK:**

Frank, I'd like to even just put that back on you. What do you think is happening when someone looks at themselves in the mirror, and I'm not trying to be funny right now. They look in the mirror, and they see certain biological body parts and they deny what they see. They deny it. They just look and they say, that's not who I am.

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**FRANK:**

Right. For people that have true gender dysphoria, that's a mental condition. The problem is, there are many young girls who don't really have that mental condition. They've been persuaded by social media to the tune of 4,000% increase in recent years, to think that this is going to be the solution to their problems. And the research shows, as you well know, Jack, that a majority of these young girls have other comorbidities, meaning other mental health issues. Whether they've had trauma, or autism, or depression, or some other thing that then is lumped on to this idea that they're in the wrong body. And they think that's the solution. When you look at the data, it's not the solution. What happens is, age actually fixes the problem in more than 80% of the cases.

**JACK:**

Wow. I'm glad you just said that. So, in California, remember. Crazy starts in California. So, this whole thing about well, I think I'm homosexual. I think I'm a lesbian. They'll tell me in the foyer, young people. They'll say that. And so, this has been going on Frank, you know, for almost two decades. This is what people need to hear about. Now, these same people who grew up in our children's ministry, and they came to me as a young adult, and they said, I'm leaving. I think I'm whatever. And we don't see them for a while. We don't see them for three years, five years, 10 years.

Guess what's happening, Frank? This is not uncommon. They're coming back to church and they're saying, Pastor Jack, you remember me? And maybe I do, maybe I don't. I'm old now. So, it's irrelevant. And I'll say, what's going on? You know, I told you that I was a homosexual. And I went into that lifestyle searching for meaning and purpose. I didn't find it. It turns out, you just said it a moment ago. Growing up fixes itself. It turns out that I wanted to have a wife. It turns out that I wanted to have kids. It turns out that I wanted to have a mortgage of all things. They just wanted to be normal. And that was a horrible chapter of my life. And Frank, I'm hearing this more and more again.

And then I asked them, how did this happen? Listen to this. They were in school. They were in the fourth grade, fifth grade, sixth grade, when the teacher said, have you ever thought about kissing a boy or kissing a girl, or what it would be to touch someone of the same? Well, if you have, then you're probably a homosexual, or lesbian, or LGBTQ. They planted it in their head. The little child was impressionable. And look, we're fallen creatures. So, the curiosity is there. And so, they talked themselves into, because they were suggested to think about it. I must be some different gender or different attraction.

And I've got news for you. There are so many people waking up saying, yeah, that was a bad deal, bad chapter in my life. So, it just goes to show you. A lie cannot sustain itself. Truth never wavers. Lies will break down over time. The truth? Look, Frank, let's just forget about the Bible and Jesus for a second. If we were evolutionist right now, evolution would have eradicated the LGBTQ world, because it's not the survival of the fittest. I mean, think about it. You know that better than I do.

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**FRANK:**

Now, Jack, you have this in the book, actually, this idea that we ought not follow our feelings or desires, but the truth. Expand upon that, if you would, for a minute.

**JACK:**

Yeah, sure. Everyone knows that our feelings, our desires, they mislead us. Our emotions are at the foundation of these things. At any given time of our development, our bodies and our brains, or how about this? Our bodies and wisdom, rarely (if ever) catch up to one another. They get closer together, I would hope, as we age. But the whole dynamic of I think this, or I want this, just because you think this or want this doesn't mean it's a good idea.

Look, I wanted to be a certain thing in my life growing up, and now I'm glad I'm not that thing. I think Frank, you've said some great, great lines about what I wanted at a certain time of my life. I'm really glad my parents didn't listen to me, because it would have been disastrous for me. You've got to bring your wants under the control and the rule of Christ, to be honest with you. The Bible says bring these thoughts under the rule and the reign of Jesus Christ. Friends, we don't do well without God. Not at all.

**FRANK:**

No, no, no. You know, Martin Luther had a great saying. He said something like, feelings come, and feelings go, and feelings are deceiving. My warrant is the Word of God. Not else is worth believing. In other words, your feelings go up and down, friends. Just think back 10, 15, 20, 30, 40 years or however old you are. Go back to your childhood. Do you feel the same way now as you did then? No. And if you were asked to make a lifelong decision when you were 13, you know?

Even Bill Maher got this right. He said if people knew what they wanted to be when they were eight, the world would be filled with cowboys and princesses. He said when I was a kid, I wanted to be a pirate. Thank God, nobody took me seriously and took me for I removal and pegleg surgery. So, I mean, we know this, Jack. We know this intellectually and yet we're still deceived by it. Why is that, Jack?

**JACK:**

One of the chapters, it's chapter eight. The new tolerance, 'Deceived by the New Tolerance.' You have to accept my new position. No, I don't. I don't. I thank God that when I go to my doctor, he doesn't accept the latest publication by some who knows what. When my doctor examines me, he says you're going to need to go through this procedure. It's going to hurt like the dickens. You're not going to like it, and you're going to have to pay for it. But it's the best thing for you because I want you to live.

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**FRANK:**

Oh, I don't like that. That doesn't make me feel good, Jack. Stop! We're talking to the great Jack Hibbs, 'The Daze of Deception.' You don't want to be deceived, do you? If you don't want to be, get the book 'The Daze of Deception.' It will undeceive you. We're back in two minutes.

Welcome back to I Don't Have Enough Faith to Be an Atheist with me, Frank Turek on the American Family Radio Network. You're listening either on the American Family Radio Network or on the I Don't Have Enough Faith to Be an Atheist podcast. By the way, for those who are listening on the radio, you will not hear the midweek podcast on the radio. You've got to go and find it at I Don't Have Enough Faith to Be an Atheist, the podcast. So, wherever you get podcasts, just search for I Don't Have Enough Faith to Be an Atheist, you'll hear the midweek podcast.

If you're listening to this on Friday, February 16, if you're anywhere near Dayton, Ohio there's still time to come to our Fearless Faith Conference. Go to [DaytonApologetics.com](http://DaytonApologetics.com). It's Friday and Saturday. I'll be there along with the Alisa Childers, Greg Koukl, Jorge Gil, Phoenix Hayes, John Ferrer. We're going to show you how to have a fearless faith in a very hostile world. And today, we're talking to my friend, the great Jack Hibbs, from Calvary Chapel, Chino Hills. Most of you know who Jack is. If you don't, you've been living under a rock. You've got to go to Calvary Chapel, Chino Hills, either website or go to their YouTube channel. Go to 'Real Life with Jack Hibbs.' That's another podcast that you can listen to. It's very well done.

And Jack, there is a lot of deception going on as your book 'The Daze of Deception' describes. You know, one of the things, Jack, that I just can't believe people are so deceived about this, but it boggles my mind. Every single president in modern history, whether they're Republican or Democrat, has been deceived by this idea of Hamas since they originated back about, I don't know, 25 or so years ago. They think, Jack, and people in America think that if we could only get everybody in a room to negotiate a land deal, everything would be fine. When Hamas itself says in their own charter, land deals, meeting together, waste of time. The only way forward is jihad. How can people be so deceived, Jack?

**JACK:**

Isn't it remarkable? Think about it. In fact, it even goes back further than that. If people would stop and read, I think it's 1928, Frank. Correct me if I'm wrong. But the charter.

**FRANK:**

The Muslim Brotherhood?

**JACK:**

Yeah, the Muslim Brotherhood charter, you can read it for yourself, everybody. And they actually tell you, this is our statement of faith. And this is our vision for our ministry. No more Jews, we're going to kill them all. And we're going to completely take over the land of Israel. But listen, everybody. It's news, but it's not news. This has always been since God changed Jacob's

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name in the Bible to Israel. People will say, well, the Palestinians were there first. That's not true. The word Palestinian or Palestine was created by Emperor Hadrian of the Roman Empire in 135 AD to insult the Jews. So, let's just fix that right now.

But here's the deal. Frank, I just want to go for the throat because I know we have a few moments only. But there are so-called Christians that are either, I should be nicer. There are Christians that are either really ignorant, or they're so-called Christians who say things like this. Well, the Jews, they killed Jesus, so they're out, or the Jews today, they don't believe, the nation's basically not believing in Jesus, so it doesn't matter. Let me remind everybody of something. God's covenant with Abraham regarding Israel and the remnant of Israel, the believing of Israel, and the land promised, okay? He gives the borders. God says this is an everlasting covenant. I'll never break it. Okay?

So, if God doesn't keep His covenantal promises to Israel, then He's not going to keep His covenantal promises to you. He doesn't have to. He says, I'm going to make sure this happens. And by the way, one of the things that He says that's going to make sure it happens. He says, in the last days before I return, I'm going to bring Israel back, the Jews, from every part of the world back into their own land, of which they had been dispersed for thousands of years. I'm going to bring them back into their own land.

They're going to come back in their own land in unbelief. And I'm going to cause them to grow grapes again. They're going to have cattle. They're going to prosper. And in those days, they're going to be attacked by a great enemy from the north. They're going to be surrounded, and there's going to be an attempt to drive them into the sea. But when that happens, I'm going to rise up, He says, and I'm going to rescue them.

How do I know this? Bible prophecy. It's there in the book of Ezekiel chapters 36, 37, and 38. It's all there. And there's no other nation in the history of mankind that was a nation, stopped to be a nation, and became a nation again except one, Israel. Isaiah 66 said, shall a nation be brought forth again and born in one day? And yet, Israel came forth in the day that I called it. Friends, listen. Pray for Israel. Are they sinless? No. Do they need Christ? Yes. Are we supposed to pray for the peace of Jerusalem? Absolutely. But as believers, we're supposed to do everything we can evangelistically to bring a Jew to Christ. But don't deny God's work. That's not going to end up good for you.

**FRANK:**

No, it's not. And there's much more in the book, 'The Daze of Deception.' In fact, in the second part of this book, Jack, you've got a couple of chapters about standing for God's truth, 'Equipped for Living in the Last Days,' part one and part two. What do you have in there that can help our listeners?

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**JACK:**

Yep. In a nutshell, it's this. We've become a church culture that's all about getting the person's hand raised, or getting them to the altar, or to step up in the crusade. Look, I don't care how that happens. If you're in a hotel room, and you read a Gideon Bible, and you give your heart to Christ, that's awesome. But listen, we've left it there. That's why we have such an anemic church in the world today. Certainly America. It's all about discipleship. The closing arguments in the book is about, are you a disciple? Are you being discipled? Do you have others? And do you have a good church that's walking you through the doctrines of the Bible?

Because that's how you're going to grow. That's how you're going to be effective. And this is how we want it to end. When Christ comes for us either by rupture, meaning we blow our heart out, or rapture, He calls us up. I don't care which it is. I want to be caught being busy about my Father's business. I won't know that unless I'm an actual disciple. So, if you gave your heart to Christ, that's the first step. The rest of the way is being sanctified by the Holy Spirit, using the Word of God in your life daily. I call that an exciting Christian life.

**FRANK:**

Yeah, Jesus didn't say make believers. He said, make disciples. And that's another whole category. That sanctification, that's not just justification. And that's a long-term process, friends. That's going from a babe in Christ to somebody who is conformed to the image of God's Son. That's what Romans 8 says. Jack, you've been going through the book. Where are you in Romans right now? You're probably in Romans 8, aren't you?

**JACK:**

We're in Romans 8. We've been there for a few months. We'll be there for a couple of months more, I think.

**FRANK:**

Just in Romans 8. It's like the peak of the Bible. Right? See, that's the beauty of going to a Calvary Chapel, ladies and gentlemen. You're not going to have one verse wrenched out of context, and having the pastor boogying off in some direction he wants to go. You're going to have verse by verse teaching, which will help you become a disciple, which will help you understand what the truth is. And that's what Jack Hibbs and other Calvary Chapel pastors tend to do. In following Chuck Smith, who founded the whole denomination, if you will, we're just going to go verse by verse.

And Jack, you've been doing that for years, and you're going to continue to do it. So, you've got to keep that going. And this new book, 'The Daze of Deception,' has very practical insights on how to make sure you're not deceived. I mean, Jack in there, when Jesus says, make sure you're not deceived. And Paul talks about lying spirits and doctrines of demons. How do we protect ourselves against this stuff, Jack? What do we do? Where do we turn?

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The book of Ephesians chapter six, God tells us through the Apostle Paul, that He's given us everything that we need to fight this fight and win this because we've got the shield of faith, for example. Romans 10:17 says faith comes by hearing, hearing the Word of God. The sword of the Spirit, we're given that. The Bible says that's the Bible itself. We've got the breastplates of righteousness. We've got our feet shod with the preparation of the Gospel, meaning that all of us are to do the work of an evangelist.

The helmet of salvation, notice your head is protected by the knowledge that you're saved. Saved from what? Saved for what? We're saved from Hell and our sins, and we're saved for heaven. We need to start living the life He's given us now, which is certainly positionally in heaven. And imagine the effect that we can have on the world around us for good if we just realize that our citizenship is already preserved for us in heaven. We're just waiting to arrive. In the meantime, we're going to give them Jesus.

**FRANK:**

By the way, folks, that's what the word predestined means. It doesn't mean you don't have a choice. It means if you're in Christ, you're guaranteed to be made into the image of His Son. You're guaranteed to be glorified, as Paul talks about in Romans chapter eight. Yes, you have a choice. But once you've made that choice, you're guaranteed the destination, which is to be like Jesus, and to be glorified with Him in heaven. And there can't be better news than that, Jack. We've got to undeceive people with this truth. But you know what, Jack? In today's society, if you tell somebody something like that, you're being offensive. How can that be Jack? You're giving them the words of eternal life.

**JACK:**

Yeah, I have to be offensive. Jesus said that He was offensive, and that if you follow Him, the same is going to happen to you. In other words, remember. He said that if you love me, then keep my commands, right? And also this, don't be upset when people hate you for speaking the truth because they hated me first. I'll sum up with this. Who was the most loving individual ever known to mankind? Jesus. Who's the most cursed? Whose name is used to be a cuss word all around the world? Jesus.

How do you reconcile that? I actually can't. I just know this, that if I live, and love, and speak, and care, and stand for what He's told me to do, there are those who are going to be delivered out of darkness, and there are those that are going to hate me and want to kill me. If that's true in my life, then I'm honored to be a follower of the Master. I'm happy to be a sheep dog in His kingdom.

**FRANK:**

Well Jack, you're doing great work out there. Love watching you, love being with you when I can be. Friends, you need to get the book, 'The Daze of Deception' if you can get it. Go to Amazon and order a copy immediately. If they're out of paperbacks, then get the Kindle. Just get the

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book. Give it to people you know who are open to being undeceived. This book will help. Jack, it's always a pleasure having you on brother.

**JACK:**

Love you, Frank. See you next time.

**FRANK:**

Love you as well. I'll see you definitely in June, hopefully before. Ladies and gentlemen, check it out, 'The Daze of Deception.' Also check out Jack's teaching and podcast, 'Real Life with Jack Hibbs.' And Lord willing, we will see you here next week. God bless.

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