

## The Nature of Deception

### I. Characteristics of an effective lie

- A. Sounds \_\_\_\_\_
- B. Based on \_\_\_\_\_ but not on \_\_\_\_\_
- C. Depends on \_\_\_\_\_
- D. Introduces \_\_\_\_\_
- E. Encourages reliance on \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_
- F. Denies the \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ of Jesus Christ.

### II. Covenant Relationship of our Thoughts

- A. "Make no covenant with the enemy ...."
- B. A simple definition: Covenant = an \_\_\_\_\_-, usually sealed by an \_\_\_\_\_.
- C. Principle of Agreement  
*Matthew 18:19*
- D. An example of God's faithfulness to uphold *an ungodly* covenant
  - 1. Joshua 9:3-15
  - 2. 2 Samuel 21:1-2

### III. Law of Sowing and Reaping

A. Thoughts as "Seed"

B. You reap \_\_\_\_\_ you sow

*Galatians 6:8*

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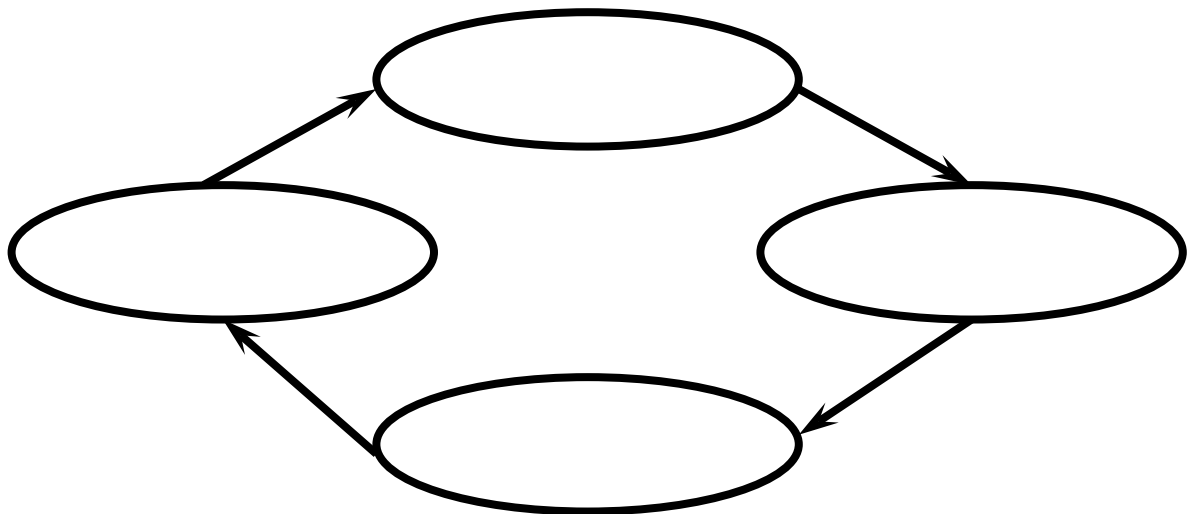
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### IV. Belief Expectation Cycle



## V. The Remedy for Deception

- A. Embracing the truth - \_\_\_\_\_
- B. Old Covenants are destroyed by \_\_\_\_\_
- C. Believing anything that denies the Deity, Lordship and Sacrifice of Jesus Christ is \_\_\_\_\_
1. Because it's sin, the \_\_\_\_\_ remedy is to treat it as such.
  2. We remain trapped by the power of the old covenants until we apply the blood of the new covenant through:
    - a)
    - b)
    - c)
- D. If you never \_\_\_\_\_ it, you'll struggle to \_\_\_\_\_ it!
- E. \_\_\_\_\_ on the truth you've received!