
THE SINS OF BALAAM

1 – The WAY of Balaam

2 Peter 2:15-16

*“Forsaking the right way, they have gone astray. They have followed **the way of Balaam**, the son of Beor, who loved gain from wrongdoing, but was rebuked for his own transgression; a speechless donkey spoke with human voice and restrained the prophet's madness.”*

2 – The ERROR of Balaam

Jude 11-13

*“Woe to them! For they walked in the way of Cain and abandoned themselves for the sake of gain to **Balaam's error** and perished in Korah's rebellion.*

Other Examples of “Balaam’s Error”:

- Jannes & Jambres (2 Timothy 3:8)
- Simon the Sorcerer (Acts 8:9-24)
- The Troublesome Slave Girl (Acts 16:16-18)

3 – The **TEACHING** of Balaam

Revelation 2:14

*“But I have a few things against you: you have some there who hold the **teaching of Balaam**, who taught Balak to put a stumbling block before the sons of Israel, so that they might eat food sacrificed to idols and practice sexual immorality.”*

Numbers 31:16

“Behold, these caused the children of Israel, through the counsel of Balaam, to commit trespass against the LORD in the matter of Peor, and there was a plague among the congregation of the LORD.”