

The Devil On The Pulpit

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From dawn to dusk, the preacher is preaching the *word*
whenever he takes the altar, there's holistic fire and healing to the congregants,
he has a prayer cloth on the neck, which he uses to suppress the *devil*,
and whenever he waves the prayer cloth towards his irreversible masses,
tens of hundreds of them, fall apart in his *devilish powers*
his outdoor rallies to wow the world, speak volumes of his magnetic tongue,
hope for change, expectations for instant miracles, is what he instills in his followers,
and as change and miracles catch up with his hopeless followers,
he quickly becomes the most outspoken preacher in the region,
more and more broken souls blindly join him for spiritual healing,
instead, are caught up in a cult, the gospel message of fasting finally to death,
in their volumes, they all agree to abide by the Devil's teachings on his pulpit,
and as the 'Devil' gains lots of wealth, years go by,
his followers continues to perish in the name of fasting to death, to meet their creator.