

the 11th Commandment

The doctor has come: The witches are the disease

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The revered Reverend Hale has come to Salem. Although he comes, because of the terrible possibility of witches, it is still a great honor to have him among us. This busy worker of Gods is a specialist in the field of witchery. Mr. Hale was put to work almost immediately. As soon as he came to the town, he went to Reverend Parris's house and discovered that true witchery was afoot. This cunning man was able to get confessions from three of those people who have been forced to dabble in the forbidden arts of devilry.

Immediately after his success, he started following up leads on other witches. This information was also taken from the children. His follow-ups have lead to the apprehension of many dark worshipers. Reverend Hale almost immediately won over the help of the court, as well as Reverend Parris. Some of the witches' identity have shocked the public, and some husbands have been praying for their wives

survival. The deep hearted Reverend also has been praying for the witches, so that they may see the light of God again. Many have seen the light, but a few are too much rooted into the devils working to ever find the light; so far Hale and the court already have found 12 people beyond the reach of god and condemned them to death.

The latest word is that the Reverend is getting sick from being around witches for so long. He went screaming out of a court hearing, yelling "I denounce these proceedings, I quit this court!" Even if the Reverend has taken a turn for the worst, we of Salem owe him deeply. Thank you Reverend!!!!

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An Ex-Witch Speaks Out

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Editor's note:

The following is a partially completed interview with Abigail Williams.

Andrew Young: Could you tell me a little about yourself?

Abigail Williams: My name is Abigail Williams but people call me Abby. I'm 17 and an orphan. Reverend Parris is my uncle.

AY: Everybody in Salem knows about how you've come to God's side. But isn't it true you once saw the Devil?

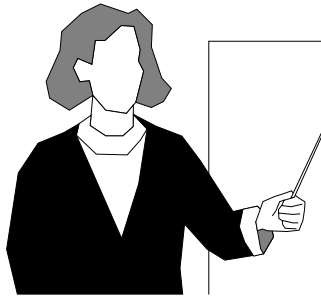
AW: Aye it is. But now I am with God.

AY: What brought about the change?

AW: Reverend Hale made Tituba confess and it ended her power over me. It was awful! I'm so glad I'm free now.

AY: Would you describe some of the experiences you had while under Tituba's influence?

AW: I danced for the Devil! Tituba conjured up Ruth Putnam's dead sisters. And, Tituba made me drink blood! During church, she made me



Abigail showing off her ex-witchcraft ability

laugh at prayer! She comes to me while I sleep. I always hear her laughing in my sleep. It was awful!

AY: What have you done to see the light of God after all this?

AW: After I confessed, I gave the names of those that work for the Devil. I am continuing my work as a member of the court. Twelve have already been executed and it will continue until every last hypocrite is dead.

AY: Your devotion is commendable. But what

do you say to what happened today in court.

AW: Lies! Lies! All Lies!

AY: What about the accusation by your friend Mary Warren that you have never seen the Devil?

AW: She lied. She was under John Proctor's power.

AY: And what about Proctor's charge that you are a whore?

AW: He works for the Devil! He intends to destroy us all!

AY: Do you know that rumors of rebellion have spread?

AW: Why? All these people have been condemned of witchcraft!

AY: But Rebecca Nurse and John Proctor still have weight in this town. Many people can't believe they are linked to Hell. Some even believe John Proctor's story that you and the girls are a fraud!

AW: What nonsense!

AY: Isn't it strange that such outstanding citizens should suddenly be accused of witchcraft? Why did Reverend Hale suddenly quit the court?

AW: Are you doubting me?!?

W: No-I just...

Note: The interview ended abruptly with the interviewer being towed off to jail. It seems that this most exalted member of our staff was working for the Devil. We're most happy to Abigail for the great work she has done for God.