Doting about Questions

Doting 3552 noseo, nos-eh'-o from 3554; to be sick, i.e. (by implication, of a diseased appetite) to hanker after (figuratively, to harp upon):--dote.

3554 nosos, nos'-os of uncertain affinity; <u>a malady (rarely figuratively, of moral disability):--disease, infirmity, sickness.</u>

Remember the noisome and grievous sore that is on the Serpents and the Scorpions?

Dote Oxford Dictionary *verb 1.* be extremely and uncritically fond of. **ARCHAIC** 2. **be silly or feebleminded**, especially as a result of old age.

2Ti 3:6-9 For of this sort are they which creep into houses, and lead captive silly women laden with sins, led away with divers lusts, Ever learning, and never able to come to the knowledge of the truth. Now as Jannes and Jambres withstood Moses, so do these also resist the truth: men of corrupt minds, reprobate concerning the faith. But they shall proceed no further: for their **folly** shall be manifest unto all men, as theirs also was.

Folly: Oxford Dictionary lack of good sense; foolishness.

Questions 2214 zetesis, dzay'-tay-sis from 2212; a searching (properly, the act), i.e. a dispute or its theme:--question.

2212 zeteo, dzay-teh'-o of uncertain affinity; to seek (literally or figuratively); specially, (by Hebraism) to worship (God), or (in a bad sense) to plot (against life):--be (go) about, desire, endeavour, enquire (for), require, (X will) seek (after, for, means). Compare4441

4441 punthanomai, poon-than'-om-ahee ...to question, i.e. ascertain by inquiry (as a matter of information merely...by implication, to learn (by casual intelligence):--ask, demand, enquire, understand.

Does this verse sound familiar?

2Ti 3:7 Ever learning, and never able to come to the knowledge of the truth.

1Ti 6:4<u>He is proud, knowing nothing, but doting about questions and strifes of</u> words,

Strifes of words

Strifes 3055 logomachia, log-om-akh-ee'-ah from the same as 3054; disputation about trifles ("logomachy"):--strife of words.

3054 logomacheo, log-om-akh-eh'-o from a compound of 3056 and 3164; to be disputatious (on trifles):--strive about words.

3056 logos, log'-os from 3004; something said (including the thought); by implication, a topic (subject of discourse), also reasoning (the mental faculty) or motive; by extension, a computation...guestion, reason...speech, talk...utterance, word, work.

Disputation Oxford Dictionary noun 1. debate or argument.

Trifles Oxford Dictionary plural noun: **trifles 1.** a thing of little value or importance.

3164 machomai, makh'-om-ahee middle voice of an apparently primary verb; to war, i.e. (figuratively) to quarrel, dispute:--fight, strive.

Strife Oxford Dictionary 1. angry or bitter disagreement over fundamental issues; conflict.

Do these definitions describe a controversy out there right now? He, his, him, She, hers, her. Does the pronoun debate and the transgender debate ring a bell? Somebody on TV recently was asked to define what a 'woman' is. She couldn't due to her wanting to be 'politically' correct. Does critical race theory fit this description? Does 'Equity' fit this description? Anyone involved in this rhetoric has the Scorpion mentality. And we will see by looking at that verse in context, that is exactly what groups this is referring to.

1Ti 6:4 He is proud, knowing nothing, but doting about questions and strifes of words, whereof cometh envy, strife, railings, evil surmisings,

Notice where is is referring to He is proud, knowing nothing, but doting about questions and strifes of words then it says "whereof cometh". It is from those that are proud (self conceited).

Envy 5355 phthonos, fthon'-os probably akin to the base of 5351; ill-will (as detraction), i.e. jealousy (spite):--envy.

5351 phtheiro, fthi'-ro probably strengthened from phthio (to pine or waste); properly, to shrivel or wither, i.e. to spoil (by any process) or (generally) to ruin (especially figuratively, by moral influences, to deprave):--corrupt (self), defile, destroy.

Strife 2054 eris, er'-is of uncertain affinity; a quarrel, i.e. (by implication) wrangling:--contention, debate, strife, variance.

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Railings 988 blasphemia, blas-fay-me'-ah from 989; vilification (especially against God):--blasphemy, evil speaking, railing.

989 blasphemos, blas'-fay-mos from a derivative of 984 and 5345; scurrilious, i.e. calumnious (against men), or (specially) impious (against God):--blasphemer(-mous), railing.

984 blapto, blap'-to a primary verb; properly, to hinder, i.e. (by implication) to injure:--hurt.

5345 pheme, fay'-may from 5346; a saying, i.e. rumor ("fame"):--fame.

5346 phemi, fay-mee' properly, the same as the base of 5457 and 5316; to show or make known one's thoughts, i.e. speak or say:--affirm, say...

Evil surmisings

Evil 4190 poneros, pon-ay-ros' from a derivative of 4192; hurtful, i.e. evil (properly, in effect or influence; figuratively, calamitous; also (passively) ill, i.e. diseased; but especially (morally) culpable, i.e. derelict, vicious, facinorous; neuter (singular) mischief, malice, or (plural) guilt; masculine (singular) the devil, or (plural) sinners:--bad, evil, grievous, harm, lewd, malicious, wicked(-ness)...

Surmisings 5283 huponoia, hoop-on'-oy-ah from 5282; suspicion:--surmising.

5282 huponoeo, hoop-on-o-eh'-o from 5259 and 3539; to think under (privately), i.e. to surmise or conjecture:--think, suppose, deem.

Surmisings Merriam Webster Dictionary : a thought or idea based on very little evidence : GUESS

Evil surmising are bad and evil thoughts that the Scorpions think privately based on little evidence. These are they which throw out accusations wantonly to achieve their end desire of gain.

1Ti 6:4 He is proud, knowing nothing, but doting about questions and strifes of words, whereof cometh envy, strife, railings, evil surmisings,

1Ti 6:5 <u>Perverse disputings of men of corrupt minds</u>, and <u>destitute of the truth</u>, supposing that gain is godliness: from such withdraw thyself.

Perverse disputing 3859 paradiatribe, par-ad-ee-at-ree-bay' from a compound of 3844 and 1304; misemployment, i.e. meddlesomeness:--perverse disputing.

Misemployment: Merriam Webster Dictionary transitive verb: to use (something) in a wrong or harmful way

Meddlesomeness: Merriam Webster Dictionary *given to meddling*

Meddling, Medled, Meddle: Merriam Webster Dictionary to interest oneself in what is not one's concern: interfere without right or propriety

Perverse Disputing

Perverse Merriam Webster Dictionary turned away from what is right or

good: CORRUPT

b: IMPROPER, INCORRECT

c: contrary to the evidence or the direction of the judge on a point of law perverse verdict

: obstinate in opposing what is right, reasonable, or accepted : WRONGHEADED

b: arising from or indicative of stubbornness or obstinacy

3: marked by peevishness or petulance : CRANKY

4: marked by perversion

Perversion Merriam Webster Dictionary the action of <u>perverting</u>: the condition of being <u>perverted</u>

2: a perverted form especially : an aberrant sexual practice or interest especially when habitual

Perverting Merriam Webster Dictionary: to cause to turn aside or away from what is good or true or morally right: CORRUPT

b: to cause to turn aside or away from what is generally done or accepted: MISDIRECT

2a: to divert to a wrong end or purpose : MISUSE **b**: to twist the meaning or sense of : MISINTERPRET

Disputings Dispute Merriam Webster Dictionary <u>intransitive verb</u> to engage in argument: DEBATE especially: to argue irritably or with irritating persistence transitive verb

1a: to make the subject of verbal controversy or disputation

b: to call into question or cast doubt upon

2a: to struggle against: OPPOSE

b: to contend over

Corrupt minds

Corrupt 1311 diaphtheiro, dee-af-thi'-ro from 1225 and 5351; to rot thoroughly, i.e. (by implication) to ruin (passively, decay utterly, figuratively, pervert):--corrupt, destroy, perish.

1225 diaballo, dee-ab-al'-lo from 1223 and 906; (figuratively) to traduce:--accuse.

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Destitute of truth 650 apostereo, ap-os-ter-eh'-o from 575 and stereo (to deprive); to despoil:--defraud, destitute, kept back by fraud.

575 apo, apo' a primary particle; "off," i.e. away (from something near)...In composition (as a prefix) it usually denotes separation, departure, cessation, completion, reversal, etc.

Supposing 3543 nomizo, nom-id'-zo from 3551; properly, to do by law (usage), i.e. to accustom (passively, be usual); by extension, to deem or regard:-- suppose, thing, be wont.

3551 nomos, nom'-os from a primary nemo (to parcel out, especially food or grazing to animals); law (through the idea of prescriptive usage), genitive case (regulation), specially, (of Moses (including the volume); also of the Gospel), or figuratively (a principle):--law.

Gain is godliness

Gain 4200 porismos, por-is-mos' from a derivative of poros (a way, i.e. means); furnishing (procuring), i.e. (by implication) money-getting (acquisition):--gain. Godliness

godliness 2150 eusebeia, yoo-seb'-i-ah from 2152; piety; specially, the gospel scheme:--godliness, holiness.