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What constitutes '...blasphemy against the Holy Spirit'? Does this affect Salvation? Any thoughts please.

**Re: THOUGHTS ON MATT 12 v 31-32 - posted by dann (), on: 2005/6/27 17:24**

You may want to check out a ([http://www.sermonindex.net/modules/newbb/viewtopic.php?topic\\_id5925&forum35](http://www.sermonindex.net/modules/newbb/viewtopic.php?topic_id5925&forum35)) previous thread on this topic.

Most understand these verses in the context of the Pharisees declaration regarding where Christ was getting the authority/ability to cast out demons. Christ was casting out demons by the finger of God (that is, the Holy Spirit). By attributing the works of Christ to demons rather than to the Holy Spirit, they were blaspheming the Holy Spirit.

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**Re: - posted by cjk, on: 2005/6/27 17:33**

Thankyou, should have looked a little harder.