

STRONGHOLDS

WINNING THE WAR IN YOUR MIND

1. The battle for your _____ is won or lost in your _____.

2. Your thoughts will _____ you, so you have to control your _____.

Romans 7:15-24 I do not understand what I do. For what I want to do I do not do, but what I hate I do...19 For I do not do the good I want to do, but the evil I do not want to do—this I keep on doing... 22 For in my inner being I delight in God's law; 23 but I see another law at work in me, waging war against the law of my mind and making me a prisoner of the law of sin at work within me. 24 What a wretched man I am!

Philippians 4:12 I know what it is to be in need, and I know what it is to have plenty. I have learned the secret of being content in any and every situation, whether well fed or hungry, whether living in plenty or in want.

Content = _____

2 Corinthians 10:3-5 Though we live in the world, we do not wage war as the world does. The weapons we fight with are not the weapons of the world. On the contrary, they have divine power to demolish strongholds. We demolish arguments and every pretension that sets itself up against the knowledge of God, and we take captive every thought to make it obedient to Christ.

We must _____.

A stronghold is a _____ we _____.

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You cannot _____ what you cannot _____.

We don't know the _____ we believe are _____

Jeremiah 17:9 The heart is deceitful above all things and beyond cure.

Proverbs 14:12 There is a way that appears to be right, but in the end it leads to death.

How do I _____ the stronghold?

Proverbs 21:22 One who is wise can go up against the city of the mighty and pull down the stronghold in which they trust.

1. Identify the _____.

2. Ask _____ questions.

3. _____ the lie.

The _____ you need is a power you don't _____.

Philippians 4:13 I can do all this through him who gives me strength.

Ephesians 1:19-20 I also pray that you will understand the incredible greatness of God's power for us who believe him. This is the same mighty power 20 that raised Christ from the dead and seated him in the place of honor at God's right hand in the heavenly realms.

Ephesians 6:17 ...and take the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God.

The _____ Principle:

_____ THE LIES, _____ WITH TRUTH

Hebrews 4:12 The word of God is alive and active. Sharper than any double-edged sword, it penetrates even to dividing soul and spirit, joints and marrow; it judges the thoughts and attitudes of the heart.