

To What Ruin is Your Mind Taking You?

If you have been following us for any length of time, you know that this is a subject I write on often. This past Sunday at church, the minister spoke on this subject and it ignited my passion once again that this very thing, is where we so often fail in our walk as Christians. We use our [stinking thinking](#) instead of the [mind of Christ](#). We must get rid of our stinking thinking and [renew our minds](#) constantly.

We must put on the mind of Christ constantly.

*“For though we walk in the flesh, we do not war after the flesh: (for the weapons of our warfare are **not carnal, but mighty through God** to the pulling down of strong holds;) **casting down imaginations, and every high thing that exalteth itself against the knowledge of God, and bringing into captivity every thought to the obedience of Christ;** and having in a readiness to revenge all disobedience, when your obedience is fulfilled.” 2 Corinthians 10:3-6*

We must take our thoughts into captivity like a lineman on the football field, don't let that thought get past your defenses; grab and tackle it to the ground. Once there put it through the “Jesus Filter”.

Let's face it we can't always hear God speaking to us for many reasons: we are not walking in relationship with God at the time; there is so much external noise, that you simple cannot hear from all the visual and verbal distractions; there is so much internal noise, that you cannot hear because you cannot seem to turn off the talk in your head.

But in God's Word itself, give us a practical application on how to subject every thought to what God would have us think about.

*Finally, brethren, **whatsoever things are true, whatsoever things are honest, whatsoever things are just, whatsoever things are pure, whatsoever things are lovely, whatsoever things are of good report; if there be any virtue, and if there be any praise, think on these things.** Those things, which ye have both learned, and received, and heard, and seen in me, do: and the God of peace shall be with you. Philippians 4:8-9*

This is your physical walk-thru, your “Jesus Filter” until you are to a point or back to a place where you can hear the Holy Spirit speak. If the thoughts that are coming into you, doesn't fit in this description throw them away.

We must discipline our minds as an athlete disciplines his body. *“I keep under my body, and bring it into subjection: lest that by any means, when I have preached to others, I myself should be a castaway.” 1 Corinthians 9:27*

And always remember that even if a person gives you the thought or idea, our war is not against flesh and blood.

“Finally, my brethren, be strong in the Lord, and in the power of his might. Put on the whole armour of God, that ye may be able to stand against the wiles of the devil. For we wrestle not against flesh and blood, but against principalities, against powers, against the rulers of the darkness of this world, against spiritual wickedness in high places.” Ephesians 6:10-12

The battle has already been won by Christ, we have to simply recognize that Satan is a liar and the [father of lies](#) and **not listen**.

If you are unsure what to do or think and need an answer, call on the Lord and he will answer you.

“Call unto me, and I will answer thee, and shew thee great and mighty things, which thou knowest not.” Jeremiah 33:3

Let's continue to move from glory to glory and see what heights of heights the Lord takes us.

“Nevertheless when it shall turn to the Lord, the veil shall be taken away. Now the Lord is that Spirit: and where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is liberty. But we all, with open face beholding as in a glass the glory of the Lord, are changed into the same image from glory to glory, even as by the Spirit of the Lord.” 2 Corinthians 3:16-18

Thank you Lord for your truth, thank you Lord that your truth sets us free. Father right now in the name of Jesus Christ I bind Satan from attacking their minds and in the name of Jesus Christ each person that reads this will have a new mind open to your truth and this is no longer a stronghold for them. Thank you Lord, Amen.

Additional resources for putting on the mind of Christ.

[Getting Rid of Stinking Thinking](#)

[Have you given your mind, body & soul to God?](#)

[Having the Mind of Christ](#)

[Helmet of Salvation](#)

[In Him](#)

[Is His Temple A House of Prayer or a Den of Thieves](#)

[Our Daily Bread](#)

[Trust in the Lord with All Your Heart](#)