

WEARY OF WORRY? FIGHT THE GOOD FIGHT!

“But thanks be to God, who made us his captives and leads us along in Christ’s triumphal procession. Now wherever we go he uses us to tell others about the Lord and to spread the Good News like a sweet perfume.”
(2 Corinthians 2:14 NLT)

Dear your name,

As you fight the good fight of faith today, remember this: Your mind is where the battle will take place. Whatever you allow to captivate your mind will rule your life. Will it be the Word of God or the lies of Satan? Make the wiser choice for---

THE DECISION IS YOURS.

If you want the Word to reign in your life, make up your mind now to resist the devil when he comes to plant doubts within you. Refuse to surrender to the circumstantial pressure he brings your way. Decide at the onset that you WILL NOT succumb to this trial. Dig your heels in! Stand immovable upon the promises of God. Jesus will be your strength. He will be your courage for making wiser choices.

When thoughts come that are contrary to God’s will, cast them down. Think upon the words of Philippians 4:8 and practice using them in your life. And above all, don’t worry. Worrying is meditating the thoughts of Satan. Think positive; your victory comes when trusting the Lord with your thoughts.

When you recognize you are worrying, stop it immediately. Replace worried, fearful, and doubtful thoughts with the Word. If you are afraid: seek the Savior, sing, pray, and trust Him. He loves you!

Be assured, Satan will continually try to tell you that your situation is hopeless. He will persistently peddle doubt, defeat, and discouragement. But if you won’t allow him to sell you his goods, his commission will be zero. If you don’t buy his lies, he can’t use them in your life; render them powerless.

God has promised that He will always cause you to triumph in Christ. You are guaranteed victory over any adversity you face today. Make up your mind right now to be a winner and you’ll spread the knowledge of victory in Christ everywhere you go. Be an “overcomer” in your Lord Jesus; He promised!

SCRIPTURE STUDY: Philippians 4:4-9 (NLT)

Paul’s Final Thoughts

Always be full of joy in the Lord. I say it again—rejoice! Let everyone see that you are considerate in all you do. Remember, the Lord is coming soon.

Don’t worry about anything; instead, pray about everything. Tell God what you need, and thank him for all he has done. If you do this, you will experience God’s peace, which is far more wonderful than the human mind can understand. His peace will guard your hearts and minds as you live in Christ Jesus.

And now, dear brothers and sisters let me say one more things as I close this letter. Fix your thoughts on what is true and honorable and right. Think about things that are pure and lovely and admirable. Think about things that are excellent and worthy of praise. Keep putting into practice all you learned from me and heard from me and saw me doing, and the God of peace will be with you.