

MENTAL ATTITUDE VICTORY

1. Each believer has either one of two attitudes: divine viewpoint or human viewpoint. The believer is always involved in the conflict of divine viewpoint (DV) vs. human viewpoint.
2. Unbeliever usually thinks human viewpoint (1 Cor. 2:14), but he occasionally lines up with divine viewpoint principles, such as nationalism; however, his mind is blinded and he is not thinking divine viewpoint in spiritual things (cf. 2 Cor. 4:4).
3. A new mental attitude is commanded for the believer (Col. 3:1-2; 2 Cor. 4:4-5; 1 Cor. 2:16).
4. The swaying between two viewpoints in the Christian life must be fought from within through
 - a. Knowledge of Bible doctrine, 2 Tim 2:15a.
 - b. Application of Bible doctrine, Col. 4:5.
 - c. Grace recovery when necessary, 1 John 1:9.
5. We are commanded to let this mind be in you, which was also in Christ Jesus, Philip. 2:5.
6. In order to know the mind of Christ (1 Cor. 2:16) we need to be mind (Bible) readers.
7. All believers are in full time Christian service (2 Cor. 5:20), and God expects all believers to reflect His viewpoint (DV) on earth.
8. Looking at life from DV will give the believer victory, peace, power, and stability.
9. All changes in the CWL come through renewing of our minds. This is commanded in Romans 12:2.
10. We are commanded to bring every thought into captivity to the obedience of Christ, 2 Cor. 10:5-6.
11. Weapons at our command in this warfare are given in 2 Cor. 10:3-5. The key is the filling of the Holy Spirit, not the OSHGEN.
12. More Commands.
 - 1 Peter 1:13, Gird up the Loins of your MIND.
 - 1 Peter 4:1, Be armed with the same MIND as the LJC.
 - Heb. 12:3, Lest you be weary and faint in your MINDS.
 - Phil. 2:3-4. MA consideration of others.
13. All of these commands require the Filling of the Holy Spirit and Bible doctrine.
14. God has provided a new mental attitude for the believer (2 Tim. 1:7), which requires Bible doctrine for its development.