## The Mindset of the Conqueror! More Than Conquerors, Pt. 2 Romans 8:5–17

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Romans 8:37, No, <u>in all these things</u> we are <u>more than</u> <u>conquerors</u> through him <u>who loved us.</u>

Romans 8:1, Therefore, there is now <u>no condemnation</u> for those who are in Christ Jesus,

Romans 7:15, I do not understand what I do. For what I want to do I do not do, but what I hate I do.

<u>Romans 7:24, What a wretched man I am! Who will rescue</u> <u>me</u> from this body that is subject to death? **25** <u>Thanks be to God, who delivers me</u> through Jesus Christ our Lord!

Romans 6:1, What shall we say, then? Shall we go on sinning so that grace may increase? 2 By no means! We are those who have died to sin; how can we live in it any longer?

<u>Romans 8:2</u>, because <u>through</u> Christ Jesus the <u>law of the</u> <u>Spirit</u> who gives life has <u>set you free</u> from the <u>law</u> of <u>sin and</u> <u>death</u>.

**Hebrews 10:11,** Day after day every priest stands and performs his <u>religious duties</u>; again and again he offers the <u>same sacrifices</u>, <u>which can never take away sins</u>. **12** But when <u>this priest</u> had offered for all time <u>one sacrifice for sins</u>, he sat down at the right <u>hand of God</u>,

Romans 12:2, Do not conform to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind. Then you will be able to test and approve what God's will is—his good, pleasing and perfect will.

## A Conqueror's Mindset Knows:

#### 1. Your Mindset Determines Your MOTION

**Romans 8:5,** Those who live according to the flesh have their <u>minds set on what the flesh desires</u>; but those who live in accordance with the Spirit have their <u>minds set on what the Spirit desires</u>.

**Colossians 3:2,** Set your minds on things above, not on earthly things.

**Philippians 4:8,** Finally, brothers and sisters, whatever is true, whatever is noble, whatever is right, whatever is pure, whatever is lovely, whatever is admirable—if anything is excellent or praiseworthy—think about such things. **9** Whatever you have learned or received or heard from me, or seen in me—put it into practice.

## 2. The Wrong Mindset Leads to Spiritual MELTDOWN

Romans 8:6, The mind governed by the <u>flesh is death</u>, but the mind governed by the <u>Spirit is life and peace</u>. **7** The mind governed by the flesh is hostile to God; it does not submit to God's law, nor can it do so. **8** Those who are in the realm of the flesh cannot please God.

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

**2 Corinthians 4:7,** ... we have this treasure in jars of clay to show that this all-surpassing power is from God and not from us.

## 3. A Spirit-Filled Mindset Leads to VICTORY

Romans 8:9, You, however, are not in the realm of the flesh but are in the realm of the Spirit, if indeed the Spirit of God lives in you. And if anyone does not have the Spirit of Christ, they do not belong to Christ. 10 But if Christ is in you, then even though your body is subject to death because of sin, the Spirit gives life because of righteousness... 12 Therefore, brothers and sisters, we have

an obligation—but it is not to the flesh, to live according to <u>it</u>. **13** For if you live according to the flesh, you will die; but if by the Spirit you put to death the misdeeds of the body, you will live.

**Galatians 5:16,** So I say, walk by the Spirit, and you will not gratify the desires of the flesh.

Galatians 2:20, I have been crucified with Christ and I no longer live, but Christ lives in me.

**Luke 9:23, ... "**Whoever wants to be my disciple must deny themselves and take up their cross daily..."

# 4. The Spirit-Filled Mindset Drives Out FEAR

Romans 8:15, The Spirit you received does not make you slaves, so that you <u>live in fear again</u>; rather, the Spirit you received brought about your <u>adoption to sonship</u>. And by him we cry, "<u>Abba, Father</u>." ... 17 Now if we are children, then we are heirs—heirs of God and co-heirs with Christ...

**2 Timothy 1:7,** For the Spirit God gave us does not make us timid, but gives us power, love and self-discipline.

**John 1:12,** Yet to all who did receive him... he gave the right to become children of God—

<u>Galatians 4:6</u>, Because you are his sons, God sent the Spirit of his Son into our hearts... **7** So you are no longer a slave, but God's child.