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# 1

## Free From Worry

**Come unto me, all ye that labour and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you, and learn of me; for I am meek and lowly in heart: and ye shall find rest unto my souls. For my yoke is easy, and my burden is light.**

**Matthew 11:28-30**

God doesn't want you to worry about anything. God wants you to enjoy His peace every minute of the day as long as you live. He wants you to possess His peace and learn how not to worry. God is ready to teach you this truth today.

To help you understand the nature of worry, think for a moment about the areas of your life that cause you to worry. They are the things in your own personal life that you love or care about—your family, your children, your business, circumstances, people around you, friends, church.

You may read in the newspaper about someone in another state who killed his children. You may shake your head and say, "That is too bad," but you don't worry about it because it seems so far away. However, when something happens in your own home, you begin to worry. You have to love someone in order to worry about that person.

So, why do you worry? Because you fail to give something or someone to God. You try to carry the load of life on your own strength, but you are not big enough to do so. God has made provision to help you. He wants to carry it for you. But, if you don't give it to God, He will let you go ahead and carry it. The result is that you will be beaten down into the ground because you can't carry all the problems that come your way. You need to forget them. Take your problems and give them to God in their entirety. When you give them to Him, He does away with them very quickly.

The problems that *you* try to handle on your own become the mountains in your life. If *you* try to handle them, they get bigger and bigger and bigger. And the valleys get deeper and deeper.

Give your problems to God. He will mash the mountains down. He will reach down and pull the

valleys up. The light of God can shine across your problem, and only then can you see clearly. God doesn't have any valleys. There is nothing unsuccessful about Him. He never changes, and the Bible never changes. The only reason we have valleys is because we don't trust God—we don't give our problems to Him.

Many people don't turn their problems over to God because they don't know how. They want to figure them out and do their own thing.

### **Turning Everything Over to God**

I thought I was a smart businessman when I worked my way up from making twenty-five cents a day on a Tennessee farm to making \$4,000 a week. I thought I was pretty smart. But when I turned my life completely over to God, I found out that I was pretty dumb. Now I don't ask Norvel Hayes where he is or where he wants to be. I ask God to tell me what He wants me to do. This is a much better choice.

There have been times when I am driving down a road, and the Holy Spirit begins to manifest Himself to me and reveal great opportunities. For example, through the guidance

of the Holy Spirit, I purchased a piece of property for \$9,000 and sold it later on for \$100,000. There was no effort involved.

About a year ago, I bought a piece of property for \$80,000. Today, it is worth approximately \$600,000. This highly profitable transaction required no effort on my part, except walking into a lawyer's office to sign the papers.

I have asked the Lord, "Jesus, why do You bless me like this?"

"Because you passed my test," He answered. "How did I pass your test?"

You fulfilled the Scripture," He said. "My test for the human race and the Church is obedience to the Scriptures."

This statement seems simple to me. God has a test He wants you to pass.

He said, "I don't have any other test except the Scriptures. Tell my people that there are blessings attached to each verse that is fulfilled by any believing Christian."



## **Even As Thy Soul Prospereth**

I asked the Lord, "Jesus, why have you blessed me with a quarter of a million dollars just like that?"

He said, "You worked with a young woman for eight years. This caused you to get this deal. She was living in adultery then, but after eight years, she got saved. So your soul prospered with her."

I would dare say that businessmen all across America want to be rich. They would like to make \$100,000 just like that, with no effort. And they would like to have health and not be sick.

They need to remember that God said, "Let your soul prosper, then you can prosper financially and prosper in health."

**Beloved, I wish above all things  
that thou mayest prosper and be in  
health, even as thy soul prospereth.**

**3 John 2**

Allow the Lord to guide your life and show you opportunities you never dreamed possible. Remember that earning \$4,000 a week doesn't

mean that you are very intelligent, because God can allow you to earn a quarter of a million dollars in fifteen seconds. All He has to do is ask the Holy Spirit to manifest Himself once and show you the opportunities. He could reveal those opportunities to you right now. The Spirit of God has more sense in five minutes than an entire town has in five years.

The Holy Spirit thinks exactly in accordance with the Word—there is no difference. In 1 Peter 5:7, God says to not worry about anything—your finances, your health, your family, your friends or your church.

The Word has the following to say about everything that concerns you and that you don't know how to handle:

**Casting all your care upon him; for he careth for you.**

**1 Peter 5:7**

So, from this moment forward, give all your problems to God quickly. If you start thinking, you start wrestling with them. If you allow this to happen, you may wrestle and wrestle, but you won't win.

## **Laugh at the Devil**

I can go into detail about the many problems I worried about in the past. For example, I used to own a business that went bankrupt. Do you know what God said to me about this? He said, "Your problem, son, is that you don't laugh at the devil." So I started laughing at the devil. Now my business is successful and money flows into that business like a river.

I didn't know I was supposed to laugh at the devil. But I now know. Instead of worrying, I just laugh at the devil. And when you laugh, something inevitable happens, you feel joy! When you laugh, you are supposed to have joy. Do you know which joy is inside of you? The joy of the Lord, which is your strength. That means power. If you lose your joy and start worrying, you won't have any strength. Don't ever lose your joy. I have learned not to allow worry to come inside of me.

Worry almost drove me crazy for years. But I don't let it come in now, because I am the boss over myself. I am responsible for my mind, my body and my spirit. They are like my house. And I keep junk out of my house.

Would you let a thief come into your house and just carry off your couch? Well, I am not going to let the thief of worry come into my house and just carry off my peace. That is very unwise.

A long time ago I made a decision. I decided that I would bring every situation that comes my way to God. I have to get on my face before God and cry out to the throne of God. Every situation that you don't commit to God seems to get messed up. It is imperative that you only do those things the Lord directs you to do. Don't go into a business unless God wants you to go into that business. Don't marry someone unless God wants you to. Bring every situation before Him.

Don't worry about the circumstances or decisions in life—just pray. You can't worry and have the peace of God at the same time. And God wants His peace in you twenty-four hours a day, 365 days a year.

In fact, as long as you worry about a situation, you can't look at it intelligently. When you worry, you cut God off. God doesn't want to be cut off from you, because He loves you.

## 2

### **Free From Mental Confusion**

God doesn't want you to have a confused mind. When God invited me to follow Him, He said, "Norvel Hayes, come and follow me and I will make you a fisher of men." At that time in my life, I was playing church. I attended church out of mere duty. One day the Spirit of God said very plainly and boldly, "If you don't stop playing church, you are going to go to hell!"

It was very clear to me what God meant. And that is exactly the way God is. Confusion does not exist in Him. You either live for God or you don't. You represent Jesus or you don't. If you know the Lord but don't serve Him, you are giving up rewards in heaven. Jesus wants you to invite someone to come and go to heaven with you.

God has provided an avenue to keep our minds clear and free from mental confusion through Jesus Christ and the Bible.

**And the peace of God, which**

**passeth all understanding, shall keep your hearts and minds through Christ Jesus.**

**Philippians 4:7**

God wants His peace to rest on you. He doesn't want your mind to be confused about anything. He gave us His Word to help us have the mind of Christ.(1 Cor. 2:16b.)

God has had a hard time with man's thinking since the beginning because man is a rebellious creature. In His infinite love for us, He made it easier for man to follow God's ways by giving Jesus Christ to us.

Now that Jesus has paid the price by shedding His blood for us, all we have to do is repent and find out what God intended for life to be.

Without Jesus, man will continue to live in mental confusion. Let the blood of Jesus wash your sins away. Sin causes your mind to be confused. Sin crumbles the foundation of faith. If you commit sin today, your faith won't be strong tomorrow. Your mind will be confused.

God doesn't want your mind to be confused. He wants your mind to be clear, to think according

to the Word. But your mind will never be able to think straight if you don't keep your body under subjection and follow God's commands.

You are in control of your body. It is up to you to keep your body under subjection. For example, God blesses sex in the marriage relationship. But if you are not married, you can't have sex. This would place you out of God's will.

What you do with your body affects your mind. If you want to have a clear mind at all times, your mind must have the peace of God. And the only way to have His peace is to live according to the Word.

You have to be honest. You have to tell the truth. You can't cheat people and tell lies. You have to keep your body as the temple of the Holy Spirit.

**Know ye not that your body is the temple of the Holy Ghost which is in you, which ye have of God, and ye are not your own?**

**1 Corinthians 6:19**

## **Keeping Your Thoughts Under Subjection**

**Know ye not that the unrighteous shall not inherit the kingdom of God? Be not deceived: neither fornicators, nor idolaters, nor adulterers, nor effeminate, nor abusers of themselves with mankind, nor thieves, nor covetous, nor drunkards, nor revilers, nor extortioners, shall inherit the kingdom of God.**

**1 Corinthians 6:9,10**

God said the path to heaven is narrow. You can't live a loose life and get to heaven.

**Enter ye in at the strait gate: for wide is the gate, and broad is the way, that leadeth to destruction, and many there be which go in thereat: Because strait is the gate, and narrow is the way, which leadeth unto life, and few there be that find it.**

**Matthew 7:13,14**

But God has made you a promise. He says everything that you bind in Jesus Christ's name



will be bound in heaven.

**...and whatsoever thou shalt bind  
on earth shall be bound in heaven...**

**Matthew 16:19**

### **Choose To Live for God**

It is up to you to stop anything that is not good for you. It is not up to God to stop it.

The easiest thing for a person to do is to go to hell. All you have to do is reject this truth: A person must confess his sins and accept Jesus Christ in his life in order to be saved. According to Romans 10:9,10, a person must confess with his mouth the Lord Jesus and believe in his heart that God raised Jesus from the dead; then he will be saved. For with the heart man believes unto righteousness; and with the mouth he makes confession unto salvation. Only then is he able to go to heaven.

All you have to do to get into hell is to do your own thing. That is not hard. Just slide around, kind of loose, and do what you want to do. Reject Jesus and hell is where you will wind up.

When you take your last breath, your spirit—

the real you—is going to come out of that body. If you have bowed before God, accepted Jesus Christ in your life, and the blood of Jesus has washed all your sins away, you can stand before God as white as snow. Luke 16:22 says that when the beggar Lazarus died, he was carried by the angels into Abraham's bosom. When believers in Jesus Christ die, don't you think that the angels carry them all the way to heaven? When you die, the angels would be standing there waiting to take your spirit to heaven because they would have the right to it. All the demons of hell roaming back and forth through the air simply couldn't keep the angels from taking your spirit because you belong to God. If you have accepted Jesus Christ, Jesus said you shall be saved.

**To him that overcometh will I  
grant to sit with me in my throne, even  
as I also overcame, and am set down  
with my Father in his throne.**

**Revelation 3:21**

But if you have done your own thing until you die, if you have rejected Jesus Christ and pushed Him out of your life, your spirit will not go to heaven. You will go to hell for eternity.

When I asked Jesus why people choose to do their own thing instead of following Him, He said, "Because they need to be filled with the Holy Spirit." You need to be filled with the Holy Spirit. If you keep yourself full of God, your mind will not get confused.

If you want to maintain your mind free and clear, remember that whatever goes in you will come out. If you watch programs that portray adultery and other temptations, your mind will start thinking about those things and you will compromise your beliefs. But if you put the Word of God in you, the peace of God will be manifested in you—all over your body, all over your mind. You will be strong. There will be no place for weakness. God wants His children to be strong to fight the devil.

You must always remember that you are in a battle with the devil. He hates you. He will tempt you with everything he can. If you give into his temptations, your faith will crumble, and you will wonder why your mind is so confused.

When you separate yourself from God and backslide, you become so burdened that life becomes unbearable. You lose fellowship with the

Lord. You depart from His glory.

Get down on your knees before God and repent. He will restore you.

### **Keeping Your Mind Clear**

I am going to give you a recipe on how to keep your mind clear for the rest of your days. It works for me all the time. And because God doesn't love me any more than He loves you, I have to obey God's Word for it to work. This will work for you also, if you too obey His Word.

1. Rebuke and resist the devil.

**Submit yourselves therefore to God. Resist the devil, and he will flee from you.**

**James 4:7**

You have to stand on God's Word and find the Scripture that supports what you are standing against. You need to talk to the mountains that the devil has brought against you—disease, financial problems, family problems. You have to talk to them, call them by their name and tell them to get out.

## 2. Don't wonder, believe.

The devil likes to keep you in a wondering state. You wonder why God doesn't heal you. You wonder if He will ever heal you. You wonder if you will die. You need to align your mind with the Bible, and begin to say, "I am healed because the Word says I am! **...by whose stripes ye were healed** (1 Peter 2:24b). The following verses of Scripture need to become a reality in your life:

**And whatsoever ye shall ask in my name, that will I do, that the Father may be glorified in the Son.**

**John 14:13**

**Jesus said unto him, If thou canst believe, all things are possible to him that believeth.**

**Mark 9:23**

Hoping is not enough. You can't say, "I am going to get healed," or "I hope I get healed." God doesn't approve of that kind of believing.

God demands that your faith be without wavering. Don't be like the waves of the sea that are tossed and turned by the winds. Stand on what

you know to be true. God's Word is true.

3. Do what God says.

**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 4:9**

If we are not doing God's will, His peace will not be in us. We need to take inventory of the things that take place in our lives. We need to determine if we are doing what God has commanded us to do.

Because I have the peace of God in me 365 days a year, twenty-four hours a day, I am not confused about anything. If I don't know about something, I just wait. There are many things I don't know. If God wants me to know something, He will show me. I ask Him for His guidance when I pray. I say, "God, if You want me to go, show me by the manifestation of the Spirit of God or I am not going."

### 3

## Free From Fear

God wants you to be free from fear. He doesn't want you to be afraid of anything. There is only one thing that will free you from fear: allowing the fullness of God in your life.

**For God hath not given us the spirit of fear; but of power, and of love, and of a sound mind.**

**2 Timothy 1:7**

A young woman in Chattanooga was afraid of many things, particularly of staying home at night by herself. Her husband worked the night shift from 11 p.m. to 7 a.m. She told me that she never really knew what she was afraid of.

The devil is stupid. He makes you do things, and you don't know why you do them. The devil twists your mind.

I prayed for this young woman and told her to listen carefully. I told her how to cast the devil out

of her life so she could be delivered from her fear.

I told her, "The devil can't have power over anyone who is born again by the Spirit of God, unless you give him power. But if you resist the devil in every area of your life, he has no power whatsoever."

I took authority over the spirit of fear that was tormenting her. I broke its power in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ. I commanded it to leave her. I took authority over the devil, and in the name of Jesus, I commanded the devil to flee from her.

I told the spirit of fear, "You are not going to work against her anymore, because I bind you in Jesus' name. I command you to not work against her anymore. I bind you foul spirit of fear. You are not going to make her afraid again. She will never be afraid of you again because you can't operate through her anymore."

Mark, chapter 1, relates what Jesus did when He met a man in the synagogue with an unclean spirit.

**And Jesus rebuked him, saying,  
Hold thy peace, and come out of him.  
And when the unclean spirit had torn**



**him, and cried with a loud voice, he came out of him.**

**And they were all amazed, insomuch that they questioned among themselves, saying, What thing is this? what new doctrine is this? for with authority commandeth he even the unclean spirits, and they do obey him.**

**Mark 1:25-27**

Was that authority only for Jesus back in the Bible days? No.

**Verily, verily, I say unto you, He that believeth on me, the works that I do shall he do also; and greater works than these shall he do; because I go unto my Father.**

**John 14:12**

God has called us to be overcomers and to resist the devil. Rebuke him. Our God is greater!

**Ye are of God, little children, and have overcome them: because greater is he that is in you, than he that is in the world.**

## **1 John 4:4**

### **Take Authority Over the Devil**

Take authority over the devil and his evil schemes. If you do this, the devil can't destroy your body with diseases. But as long as you allow any disease to run on a rampage through your body, he will kill you. You have to learn how to talk to the devil. Of course, make sure you do it in Jesus' name, because he won't listen to any other name.

**And these signs shall follow them that believe; in my name shall they cast out devils; they shall speak with new tongues; they shall take up serpents; and if they drink any deadly thing, it shall not hurt them; they shall lay hands on the sick, and they shall recover.**

**Mark 16:17,18**

You must speak with authority and say what you mean, because the devil is here to kill you, to steal from you and to destroy you.

**The thief cometh not, but for to steal, and to kill, and to destroy: I am come that they might have life, and that they might have it more abundantly.**

**John 10:10**

You need to say each day, "Thank You, Lord, my body is strong. I am not afraid of anything. Thank You, Lord, because every member of my body is strong and functions normally. There is no disease in my body, and there will never be."

You have to say it! If the devil knows that you are afraid to say that, he will whip you.

**Ye have not chosen me, but I have chosen you, and ordained you, that ye should go and bring forth fruit, and that your fruit should remain: that whatsoever ye shall ask of the Father in my name, he may give it you.**

**John 15:16**

I told the young woman who was tormented by fear of being home alone at night to confess with her mouth that she was not afraid. I told her to say it louder and stronger. She did, and I said, "You are not doing this right. Stand up like a

soldier. You don't have to shrink back from the devil."

As long as the devil can get you and keep you in the realm of your mind, he will whip you. You will whip the devil every time if you keep him pinned up against the wall with the written Word and your confession by faith.

**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.**

**Wherefore take unto you the whole armour of God, that ye may be able to withstand in the evil day, and having done all, to stand. Stand therefore, having your loins girt about with truth, and having on the breastplate of righteousness;**

**And your feet shod with the preparation of the gospel of peace;**

**Above all, taking the shield of faith, wherewith ye shall be able to quench all the fiery darts of the wicked.**

**And take the helmet of salvation, and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God: Praying always with all prayer and supplication in the Spirit, and watching thereunto with all perseverance and supplication for all saints.**

**Ephesians 6:11-18**



## 4

### **Free From Condemnation**

What does God say about condemnation? What does God say about your mouth? What does God say about judging? Condemnation is deadly. It is like a poisonous snake. It will kill you.

**There is therefore now no condemnation to them which are in Christ Jesus, who walk not after the flesh, but after the Spirit.**

**Romans 8:1**

Does that leave you out? Are you in Christ Jesus, or do you just think you are? God says there is no condemnation to them that are in Christ Jesus. Jesus doesn't have anything to do with condemnation.

I will let you apply that verse to yourself. You have to examine yourself. Are you finding faults with your pastor or your church? Are you finding faults with your employer or with your government? You are supposed to pray for them,

not to go around finding fault. Judge not, that ye be not judged. For with what judgment ye judge, ye shall be judged: and with what measure ye mete, it shall be measured to you again.

**And why beholdest thou the mote that is in thy brother's eye, but considerest not the beam that is in thine own eye? Or how wilt thou say to thy brother, Let me pull out the mote out of thine eye; and, behold, a beam is in thine own eye?**

**Thou hypocrite, first cast out the beam out of thine own eye; and then shalt thou see clearly to cast out the mote out of thy brother's eye.**

**Matthew 7:1-5**

If you are in Christ Jesus, you will pray for those who are in authority—anyone who is over you. You can't condemn. Don't let condemnation come out of you. Don't find faults.

**A fool's mouth is his destruction, and his lips are the snare of his soul.**

**Proverbs 18:7**



Our words can bring death and destruction to others and ourselves. A young man that I grew up with used to make fun of Christians and people in the Church, especially if they were "shouting Christians." I used to feel sorry for him when he did that. He died at the age of forty-four.

**O generation of vipers, how can ye, being evil, speak good things? for out of the abundance of the heart the mouth speaketh.**

**A good man out of the good treasure of the heart bringeth forth good things: and an evil man out of the evil treasure bringeth forth evil things.**

**But I say unto you, That every idle word that men shall speak, they shall give account thereof in the day of judgment. For by thy words thou shalt be justified, and by thy words thou shalt be condemned.**

**Matthew 12:34-37**

Be careful what you say. When you start condemning Christians who belong to God, you are joining the ranks of the devil.

The Lord told me one day, "You don't have to attend gospel services and judge them all the time. They judge themselves. When they get through, watch Me and see what I do. If I don't approve of what they are doing, I won't manifest Myself."

**Even so every good tree bringeth forth good fruit; but a corrupt tree bringeth forth evil fruit. A good tree cannot bring forth evil fruit, neither can a corrupt tree bring forth good fruit.**

**Every tree that bringeth not forth good fruit is hewn down, and cast into the fire. Wherefore by their fruits ye shall know them.**

**Matthew 7:17-20**

The Lord told me I didn't have to judge those conducting church services. He made it clear that they judge themselves. God only approves of His Word. Stick to the Word, build the foundation of your very life upon God's Word. You are not going to have any problems if you build every area of your life on God's Word. Start reading your Bible and applying the Word to your life daily.

## **5**

### **Free From a Weak Spirit**

God wants you to have a strong spirit. In Romans 4, Paul talks about Abraham's faith in God. Because of his faith, Abraham had a strong spirit.

**Who against hope believed in hope, that he might become the father of many nations, according to that which was spoken, So shall thy seed be.**

**And being not weak in faith, he considered not his own body now dead, when he was about an hundred years old, neither yet the deadness of Sarah's womb:**

**He staggered not at the promise of God through unbelief; but was strong in faith, giving glory to God;**

**And being fully persuaded that, what he had promised, he was able also to perform. And therefore it was**

**imputed to him for righteousness.**

**Romans 4:18-22**

Abraham submitted himself to God. Christians need to make a decision to submit themselves to God if they want to have a strong spirit.

You can submit yourself to your wife, your children, your employer or your friends. But if you don't submit yourself to God, your spirit will always be weak. Without God's help, you won't be strong enough to resist the devil.

God wants your spirit to be strong. By faith, men and women of the Bible were strong and able to accomplish much for the kingdom of God. Men and women such as Abel, Enoch, Noah, Isaac and Jacob; Joseph, Moses, and Rahab; Gideon, Samuel and David. Here are some of the things they accomplished through strong faith:

**Who through faith subdued kingdoms, wrought righteousness, obtained promises, stopped the mouths of lions, Quenched the violence of fire, escaped the edge of the sword, out of weakness were made strong, waxed valiant in fight, turned to flight the**

**armies of the aliens.**

**Wherefore seeing we also are compassed about with so great a cloud of witnesses, let us lay aside every weight, and the sin which doth so easily beset us, and let us run with patience the race that is set before us,**

**Looking unto Jesus the author and finisher of our faith; who for the joy that was set before him endured the cross, despising the shame, and is set down at the right hand of the throne of God.**

**For consider him that endured such contradiction of sinners against himself, lest ye be wearied and faint in your minds.**

**Hebrews 11:33,34; 12:1-3**

Run the race. Endure. Press on. God wants you to resist the devil so the devil will flee from you. For example, if you have cancer, you need to resist it and say, "Cancer, you can't stay in my body." But you will never be able to do so if your spirit is weak.

**And let us not be weary in well doing: for in due season we shall reap, if we faint not.**

**Galatians 6:9**

The devil wants to distract you. I hear Christians who say they believe Jesus will heal them sometime. But with God, "sometime" never comes. Faith is now, or it is not faith. Hebrews 13 explains it clearly. You can't have that kind of faith unless you have a strong spirit.

Read James 4:7 again, **Submit yourselves therefore to God. Resist the devil, and he will flee from you.**

Your spirit must first be strongly submitted to God before you can resist the devil. You must remember that for your spirit to be strong, you must first submit yourself to God.

Have you done that?

Have you told God everything you have is His if He wants it?

Have you told God that you will give Him your money? Have you told Him you will give Him your life?

Have you told God you will cast out devils in Jesus' name?

Have you told God you will lay your hands on sick people and obey the Gospel?

When He says, **Submit yourselves therefore to God**, He is talking about obeying the Word. God and the Word are one.

**In the beginning was the Word,  
and the Word was with God, and the  
Word was God.**

**John 1:1**

If you submit yourself to God, God's power will begin to work for you. Your spirit will become strong. It won't be weak any more.

**Be strong and of a good  
courage...be thou strong and very  
courageous...turn not from it [the Law]  
to the right hand or to the left, that  
thou mayest prosper whithersoever  
thou goest.**

**This book of the law shall not  
depart out of thy mouth; but thou shalt  
meditate therein day and night, that**

**thou mayest observe to do according to all that is written therein: for then thou shalt make thy way prosperous, and then thou shalt have good success.**

**Have not I commanded thee? Be strong and of a good courage; be not afraid, neither be thou dismayed: for the Lord thy God is with thee whithersoever thou goest.**

**Joshua 1:6-9**

**Submit yourselves therefore to God, and the devil will flee from you. Your spirit will be strong, and you won't be walking around in a world of weakness wondering who you are. You will have the realization in your mind and in your spirit that you are a child of God.**

**For we are made partakers of Christ, if we hold the beginning of our confidence stedfast unto the end.**

**Hebrews 3:14**

**These things I have spoken unto you, that in me ye might have peace. In the world ye shall have tribulation: but**



**be of good cheer; I have overcome the world.**

**John 16:33**



## **Conclusion**

God wants His children to be delivered from any oppression that the devil brings their way. God desires for His peace to rule in your heart and mind. Although you may be a born-again Christian and a church member, you may need to come to a deeper understanding of the plan of God for your life. He has made provision through His Word and through the Blood of Jesus so that you can be set free from worry, mental confusion, fear, condemnation and a weak spirit. If you allow God to shine His glory in your life, you will live a victorious life.



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**Norvel Hayes** shares God's Word boldly and simply, with an enthusiasm that captures the heart of the hearer. He has learned through personal experience that God's Word can be effective in every area of life and that it will work for anyone who will believe it and apply it.

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