

#### Spiritual Warfare

#### You "are" what you think

"But I tell you that anyone who looks at a woman lustfully has already committed adultery with her in his heart."

- Jesus (Matt 5:28)

"Winning is a habit. Watch your thoughts, they become your beliefs. Watch your beliefs, they become your words. Watch your words, they become your actions. Watch your actions, they become your habits. Watch your habits, they become your character."

#### - Vince Lombardi

# Think This Way \( \sum \) Thoughts



Words



Actions



Habits





So where do our thoughts originate?

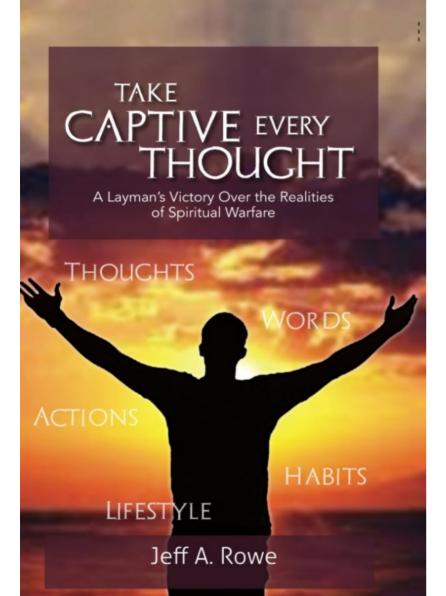
More importantly, who can persuade our thoughts?

As Christians we actually know this answer ...

- We are spiritual beings
- Living in a physical body
- With an eternal soul

Spiritual beings can be persuaded by only 2 spiritual entities:

- 1) God 2) Satan



God Influence/Persuasion	5 Senses Influence	Satan Influence/Persuasion
Genesis 1:1 In the beginning, God		Genesis 3:1 Did God really say
3 John 2 Prosper, Good Health, Soul		John 10:10 Steal, Kill, Destroy
John 14:6 The Way, Truth and Life		John 8:43-44 Father of lies
Luke 10:19 Authority to Overcome		1 Peter 5:8 Seeking to devour
Genesis 6:10-18 Made in Image & Likeness of God		Revelation 12:9 Satan cast down to earth
Ephesians 6:10-18 Put on the Full Armor of God		Revelation 12:10 Accuser of our brothers
Revelation 12:10-11 Victory thru Jesus		Revelation 12:12 Knows his time is short
VICTORY		DEFEAT
	Thoughts	
	Words	
	-	
	Actions	
	-	
	Habits	
	-	
Christian -	Lifestyle	→ Worldly

#### What Have We Learned?

- Men following Christ ARE engaged in a spiritual war
- That battlefield is in our own minds thru our thoughts
- The battle is won based on who we are influenced by
- Thoughts create words that drive action to become habits
- Our habits testify to our lifestyle one of good or evil

"We demolish arguments and every pretension that sets itself up against the knowledge of God, and take captive every thought to make it obedient to Christ."

#### - 2 Corinthians 10:5

#### Spiritual Warfare Battle Plan

- Strengthen our faith thru prayer and submission
- Set a defense: Integrity, Purity, Peace, Faith & Salvation
- Launch an offense: The powerful spoken Word of God

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Men of Covenant

• Faith thru Prayer:

• Set a Defense:

• Launch and Offense:

Prayer and Worship

Pursuit of Holiness

Study God's Word

# Participating in Current Events









#### Man as woman

**Deputy Asst Secretary Office of Nuclear Fuel** 

#### Homosexual

White House Assoc Comms Director

#### Woman as man

**Asst Secretary Health Admiral** 



DECEMBER 1

**PARDONS BIDEN** 



SENTENCES OF **DEATH ROW PRISONERS** 





JANUARY 6

**OFFSHORE** DRILLING BAN



JANUARY 6

TRANSFERRED 11 YEMENI DETAINEES TO OMAN FROM **GUANTANAMO BAY** 



JANUARY 9

\$500 MILLION FOR MILITARY AID IN **UKRAINE** 



900,000 IMMIGRANTS



REMOVES CUBA FROM WATCH LIST



### One Man One Week One Life

## RIGHTEOUS

**UNGODLY** +

