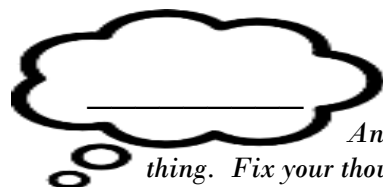


*Do not be deceived: God cannot be mocked. A man reaps what he sows.
Galatians 6:7 (NIV)*

*And this same God who takes care of me will supply all your needs from
his glorious riches, which have been given to us in Christ Jesus.
Philippians 4:19 (NLT)*

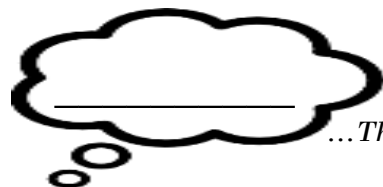


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*And now, dear brothers and sisters, one final
thing. Fix your thoughts on what is true, and honorable, and
right, and pure, and lovely, and admirable. Think about things that are
excellent and worthy of praise. ⁹Keep putting into practice all you have
learned and received from me--everything you heard from me and saw
me doing. Then the God of peace will be with you.*

Philippians 4:8-9 (NLT)

*Don't copy the behavior and customs of this world, but let God transform
you into a new person by changing the way you think. Then you will
learn to know God's will for you, which is good and pleasing and
perfect. Romans 12:2 (NLT)*



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...Then the God of peace will be with you.

Philippians 4:9b (NLT)

*You will keep in perfect and constant peace the one whose mind is
steadfast [that is, committed and focused on You—in both inclination
and character], Because he trusts and takes refuge in You [with hope
and confident expectation].*

Isaiah 26:3 (AMP)



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Philippians 4:4-9

God Says He Will

*(Overcoming the chatter of fear, anxiety, and worry,
with the promises of God's Word.)*

*We are destroying speculations and every lofty thing raised
up against the knowledge of God, and we are taking every
thought captive to the obedience of Christ.*

II Corinthians 10:5 (NASB)

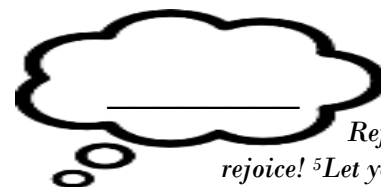
*For God did not give us a spirit of timidity or cowardice or fear, but [He
has given us a spirit] of power and of love and of sound judgment
and personal discipline [abilities that result in a calm, well-balanced
mind and self-control]. II Timothy 1:7 (AMP)*

*When we arrived in Macedonia, there was no rest for us.
We faced conflict from every direction, with battles on the outside
and fear on the inside. II Corinthians 7:5 (NLT)*

*Even though the people were afraid of the local residents, they rebuilt the
altar at its old site. Then they began to sacrifice burnt offerings on the
altar to the LORD each morning and evening. Ezra 3:3 (NLT)*

Key Thought: As much as you know the
presence of God by _____ you know
the presence of Satan by _____.

The voice of the Advocate vs. The voice of the adversary	
<p>Rooted in truth.</p> <p>I will delight in your decrees and not forget your word. ¹⁷Be good to your servant, that I may live and obey your word. ¹⁸Open my eyes to see the wonderful truths in your instructions. Psalm 119:16-18 (NLT)</p>	<p>Camouflaged lie that appears to be true.</p> <p>...He (the devil) has always hated the truth, because there is no truth in him. When he lies, it is consistent with his character; for he is a liar and the father of lies. John 8:44b (NLT)</p>
<p>Instructs in God's Way</p> <p>Every part of Scripture is God-breathed and useful one way or another—showing us truth, exposing our rebellion, correcting our mistakes, training us to live God's way. ¹⁷Through the Word we are put together and shaped up for the tasks God has for us. II Timothy 3:16-17 (MSG)</p>	<p>Undermines God's Authority</p> <p>Now the serpent was more crafty than any of the wild animals the LORD God had made. He said to the woman, "Did God really say, 'You must not eat from any tree in the garden'?" - ⁴"You will not certainly die," the serpent said to the woman. Genesis 3:1;4 (NIV)</p>
<p>Focus is on what will happen.</p> <p>Do not be deceived: God cannot be mocked. A man reaps what he sows. Galatians 6:7 (NIV)</p>	<p>Focus is on what could happen.</p> <p><i>We are</i> destroying speculations and every lofty thing raised up against the knowledge of God, and <i>we are</i> taking every thought captive to the obedience of Christ. II Corinthians 10:5 (NAS)</p>
<p>Convicts to bring change.</p> <p>So now there is no condemnation for those who belong to Christ Jesus. ²And because you belong to him, the power of the life-giving Spirit has freed you from the power of sin that leads to death. Romans 8:1-2 (NLT)</p>	<p>Condemns to prevent change.</p> <p>Then I heard a loud voice in heaven say: "Now have come the salvation and the power and the kingdom of our God, and the authority of his Messiah. For the accuser of our brothers and sisters, who accuses them before our God day and night, has been hurled down. Revelation 12:10 (NIV)</p>
<p>Ignites hope.</p> <p>Work hard to show the results of your salvation, obeying God with deep reverence and fear. ¹³For God is working in you, giving you the desire and the power to do what pleases him. Philippians 2:12b-13 (NLT)</p>	<p>Diminishes hope.</p> <p>The thief comes only to steal and kill and destroy....John 10:10a (NIV)</p>
<p>Draws you closer to God.</p> <p>And I am convinced that nothing can ever separate us from God's love. Neither death nor life, neither angels nor demons, neither our fears for today nor our worries about tomorrow—not even the powers of hell can separate us from God's love. Romans 8:38 (NLT)</p>	<p>Tries to take you out.</p> <p>Give all your worries and cares to God, for he cares about you. ⁸Stay alert! Watch out for your great enemy, the devil. He prowls around like a roaring lion, looking for someone to devour. I Peter 5:7-8 (NLT)</p>



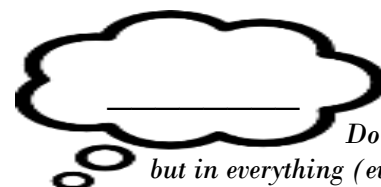
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Rejoice in the Lord always; again I will say, rejoice! ⁵Let your gentle spirit be known to all men. The Lord is near. Philippians 4:4-5 (NAS)

_____ = Inject, repair, corner, set-up, resolve, correct, renew, make ready, prepare, arrange, settle, establish, arrange, secure, place, deal with.

Therefore, prepare your minds for action, keep sober in spirit, fix your hope completely on the grace to be brought to you at the revelation of Jesus Christ. I Peter 1:13 (NAS)

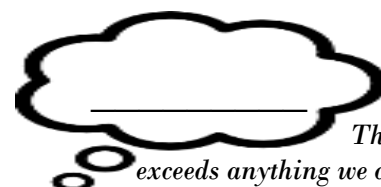
Set your minds on things above, not on earthly things. Colossians 3:2 (NIV)



my thoughts.

Do not be anxious or worried about anything, but in everything (every circumstance and situation) by prayer and petition with thanksgiving, continue to make your (specific) requests known to God. Philippians 4:6 (AMP)

Always be joyful. ¹⁷Never stop praying. ¹⁸Be thankful in all circumstances, for this is God's will for you who belong to Christ Jesus. ¹⁹Do not stifle the Holy Spirit. I Thessalonians 5:16-18 (NLT)



my thoughts.

Then you will experience God's peace, which exceeds anything we can understand. His peace will guard your hearts and minds as you live in Christ Jesus. Philippians 4:7 (NLT)

Guard your heart above all else,

for it determines the course of your life. Proverbs 4:23 (NLT)