

## VICTORY OVER FEAR

### Fear Is Not God's Will For Your Life

- I. **Fear is not God's will for your life – The belief that something bad is going to happen and the uneasiness of mind/heart that accompanies it – This is not God's will for your life, this is not from God**
- A. Fear is not from God-**2Tm1:7**-God hath not given us the spirit (disposition, temperate) of fear (timid, dread); but of power (ability, capable, strength, can do) and of love, and of a sound mind (self-control)-**REMEDY**-God did not give you a character of insecurity, doubt and fear, but a mind and character of confidence, power in the truth, love, and self-control
1. The spirit of fear-Scared something bad will happen, timidity (lack courage, confidence, boldness, nervous, frightened, cowardly)
  2. We have the can do spirit, a mind under control-We have the spirit of faith yes we can, something good is going to happen-**2Co4:13**-Spirit of faith
  3. The spirit of fear vs. The spirit of faith-The spirit of fear said we can't, was afraid something bad would happen, had no courage; The spirit of faith said we can do it, something good is going to happen, they are bread for us (confidence)-**Nm13:28-14:1,9-10**
- B. Living in fear is a cursed existence-God doesn't want you cursed-**Dt28:15**-These curses shall come upon thee...66...Thou shalt fear (dread) day and night-**NIRV**-Filled with fear night and day-**AM**-Anxiety-**AC**-Worried-**Ga3:13**-Christ hath redeemed us from the curse of the law
- C. Fear is oppression of the soul-God doesn't want you oppressed-**Jn14:27**-Let not your **heart** (mind, soul) be troubled, neither let it be afraid-**Ac10:38**-God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Ghost and with power: who went about doing good, and healing (cure, make whole) all that were oppressed (cause hardship, pain) of the devil
- II. **God wants us completely free from fear**-**Pr1:33-AC**-Whoso hearkens to me [Wisdom] shall dwell securely and in confident trust and shall be quiet, **without** fear or dread of evil.
- A. God wants us afraid of nothing-**Lv26:6**-I will give peace in the land and ye shall lie down, and none shall make you afraid-**Jer46:27**-Jacob shall return, and be in rest and at ease, and none shall make him afraid-**Ph1:28**-In nothing terrified by your adversaries
1. God wants us to boldly say, I will not fear-**Hb13:5**-For he hath said, I will never leave thee, nor forsake thee. 6 So that we may boldly say, The Lord is my helper, and I will not fear what man shall do unto me.
- B. The will of God sets the target-We are after a fear-free life; This belongs to us and by the power of the Holy Spirit you can be free from every fear
1. You will never possess what you don't pursue-You have to be done tolerating fear-**Mt7:7**-Seek and you shall find
- III. **God wants us full of faith, hope, peace and joy**-**Rm15:13**-The God of hope (expectation good) fill you with all joy and peace in believing, that ye may abound in hope, through the power of the Holy Ghost
- A. Peace and joy or God's will for your life-God wants you full of confident expectation that something good is going to happen in your life (because He is your God) and He wants you full of the peace and joy that accompanies that belief-**Ph4:4,6**