Self Deliverance: Victory



## <u>Scriptures</u>

- Matthew 4:1
- Matt. 8:16
- Romans 10:9
- Matt. 8:31
- Ephesians 2:6
- Eph. 6:12
- I Peter 5:8
- I Cor. 9:24
- Matthew 13:18, 20-22

## <u>Main Points</u>

- Jesus countered Satan's attacks by speaking the Word of God.
- Believing and speaking is fundamental to the Word of God.
  - Behind every word is a thought.
  - Demons operate in the realm of thought through thought transference.
  - Demons seek to transfer their thoughts into the minds of human beings.
- We need to become active in responding to the thoughts that enter our mind.
- Respond to ungodly thoughts by saying, "I reject you Satan. Get out of my head!"
- In order to walk in freedom, we must learn how to do spiritual warfare and exercise authority over the realm of darkness.
- We need to arm ourselves with the Word of God to live in victory over darkness.
- God is going to make you stronger as you warfare through faith against the devil.

## **Discussion Questions**

1. Rabbi Schneider's method for dealing with the demonic forces around us was aimed particularly at thoughts that are used to torment and keep us in bondage. What did he advocate we do when such attacks are perpetrated upon our minds? What words should be used in response? Are there particular strongholds of thought that you wrestle with and should watch out for? Jot them down here. As you use this method, write down what results you notice.

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- 2. What are some scripture verses you should commit to memory to help in the process of battling the unseen enemy?
- **3.** What are some of the ways we can walk in mastery over the enemy, the god of this age? By obeying God's spirit we close the door to the influence of the enemy. Walking in forgiveness, Rabbi suggested a couple of devotional authors that could be used to strengthen you in the Word of God: E W Kenyon and Don Gossett
- **4.** How badly do you want victory? Begin now to experience shalom (complete wholeness) in Jesus, by operating in the area of spiritual warfare.
- 5. Meditate on Matthew 13. Evaluate what type of soil you are as Jesus taught in this passage. What might you do to move into good soil?