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"THE GREATEST TRICK THE DEVIL EVER PULLED WAS CONVINCING THE WORLD HE DIDN'T EXIST."

—CHARLES BAUDELAIRE

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"I WISH YOU WOULD BEAR WITH ME IN A LITTLE FOOLISHNESS. DO BEAR WITH ME! ²FOR I FEEL A DIVINE JEALOUSY FOR YOU,

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SINCE I BETROTHED YOU TO ONE HUSBAND, TO PRESENT YOU AS A PURE VIRGIN TO CHRIST. 3BUT I AM AFRAID THAT AS THE SERPENT DECEIVED EVE BY HIS CUNNING, YOUR THOUGHTS WILL BE LED ASTRAY

FROM A SINCERE AND PURE DEVOTION TO CHRIST.

—2 CORINTHIANS 11:1-3

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I. AFFIRM THE REALITY OF AN ADVERSARY

TEMPTATION = THE ENTICEMENT TO FULFILL
A GOD-GIVEN DESIRE IN A GOD-FORBIDDEN WAY

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YOU ARE OF YOUR FATHER THE DEVIL, AND YOUR WILL IS TO DO YOUR FATHER'S DESIRES. HE WAS A MURDERER FROM THE BEGINNING, AND DOES NOT STAND IN THE TRUTH, BECAUSE THERE IS NO TRUTH IN HIM. WHEN HE LIES, HE SPEAKS OUT OF HIS OWN CHARACTER, FOR HE IS A LIAR AND THE FATHER OF LIES. —JOHN 8:44

THE THIEF COMES ONLY TO STEAL AND KILL AND DESTROY. I CAME THAT THEY MAY HAVE LIFE AND HAVE IT ABUNDANTLY. —JOHN 10:10

*BE SOBER-MINDED; BE WATCHFUL.YOUR ADVERSARY THE
DEVIL PROWLS AROUND LIKE A ROARING LION, SEEKING SOMEONE
TO DEVOUR. *RESIST HIM, FIRM IN YOUR FAITH, KNOWING THAT
THE SAME KINDS OF SUFFERING ARE BEING EXPERIENCED BY YOUR
BROTHERHOOD THROUGHOUT THE WORLD. —1 PETER 5:8-9

TEMPTER • ACCUSER • SLANDERER • DESTROYER • LIAR •
DECEIVER • PREDATOR • MURDERER

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*AND THE GREAT DRAGON WAS THROWN DOWN, THAT ANCIENT SERPENT, WHO IS CALLED THE DEVIL AND SATAN, THE DECEIVER OF THE WHOLE WORLD—HE WAS THROWN DOWN TO THE EARTH, AND HIS ANGELS WERE THROWN DOWN WITH HIM. II AND I HEARD A LOUD VOICE IN HEAVEN, SAYING, "NOW THE SALVATION AND THE POWER AND THE KINGDOM OF OUR GOD AND THE AUTHORITY OF HIS CHRIST HAVE COME, FOR THE ACCUSER OF OUR BROTHERS HAS BEEN THROWN DOWN, WHO ACCUSES THEM DAY AND NIGHT BEFORE OUR GOD. II AND THEY HAVE CONQUERED HIM BY THE BLOOD OF THE LAMB AND BY THE WORD OF THEIR TESTIMONY, FOR THEY LOVED NOT THEIR LIVES EVEN UNTO DEATH.

—REVELATION 12:9-11

"FOR JESUS, THE SECULAR THEORIES THAT ATTEMPT TO EXPLAIN EVIL AS SIMPLY A LACK OF EDUCATION, INADEQUATE WEALTH REDISTRIBUTION, MARXIST POWER ANALYSIS, OR EVEN THE TOXICITY OF RELIGION GONE BAD ALL FALL SHORT OF EXPLAINING REALITY. THE ONLY WAY TO MAKE SENSE OF EVIL IN ALL ITS MALEVOLENCE—FROM LARGE, GLOBAL SYSTEMS... TO MUCH SMALLER, HUMAN-SCALE EVIL... IS TO SEE AN ANIMATING FORCE BEHIND IT, ADDING FUEL TO THE FIRE. DIVIDING HUMANITY AGAINST ITSELF IN A KIND OF SOCIETAL SUICIDE... THE DEVIL IS AN IMMATERIAL BUT REAL INTELLIGENCE AT WORK IN THE WORLD, WITH MORE POWER OR INFLUENCE THAN ANY OTHER CREATURE IN THE UNIVERSE AFTER GOD."—JOHN MARK COMER

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2. UNDERSTAND THE STRATEGY OF OUR ADVERSARY

... SO THAT WE WOULD NOT BE OUTWITTED BY SATAN;
FOR WE ARE NOT IGNORANT OF HIS DESIGNS.

—2 CORINTHIANS 2:11

DECEPTIVE IDEAS 🖶

THE FLESH

THE WORLD

PLAY INTO DISORDERED DESIRES 👈

THAT ARE NORMALIZED IN SINFUL SOCIETY

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... AND NO WONDER, FOR EVEN SATAN
DISGUISES HIMSELF AS AN ANGEL OF LIGHT.
2 CORINTHIANS 11:14

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"THE IDEAS WE BELIEVE IN OUR MINDS AND LET INTO OUR BODIES GIVE SHAPE TO THE TRAJECTORY OF OUR SOULS... WHEN WE BELIEVE TRUTH—THAT IS, IDEAS THAT CORRESPOND TO REALITY—WE SHOW UP TO REALITY IN SUCH A WAY THAT WE FLOURISH AND THRIVE. WE SHOW UP TO OUR BODIES, TO OUR SEXUALITY, TO OUR INTERPERSONAL RELATIONSHIPS, AND ABOVE ALL, TO GOD HIMSELF IN A WAY THAT IS CONGRUENT WITH THE CREATOR'S WISDOM AND GOOD INTENTIONS FOR HIS CREATION... BUT WHEN WE BELIEVE LIES—IDEAS NOT CONGRUENT WITH THE REALITY OF GOD'S WISE AND LOVING DESIGN—AND THEN, TRAGICALLY, OPEN OUR BODIES TO THOSE LIES AND LET THEM INTO OUR MUSCLE MEMORIES, WE ALLOW AN IDEOLOGICAL CANCER TO INFECT OUR SOULS."—JOHN MARK COMER

"SATAN CREATES FAKE VENEERS THAT HIDE THE HORRID RESULTS HIS TEMPTATIONS LEAD TO, HE MAKES US THINK THE SIGN ABOVE SIN'S DOOR SAYS 'CONTENTMENT.'

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BUT AS WE GET CLOSE ENOUGH TO PEER THROUGH THE FOG,
WE SEE TOO LATE THAT IT SAYS 'COUNTERFEIT.'"

—DR. JOHN MARSHALL

3. DISCOVER VICTORY OVER THE ADVERSARY

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FOR THOUGH WE WALK IN THE FLESH, WE ARE NOT WAGING WAR ACCORDING TO THE FLESH.

4FOR THE WEAPONS OF OUR WARFARE ARE NOT OF THE FLESH BUT HAVE DIVINE POWER TO DESTROY STRONGHOLDS.

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SWE DESTROY ARGUMENTS AND EVERY LOFTY OPINION RAISED AGAINST THE KNOWLEDGE OF GOD, AND TAKE EVERY THOUGHT CAPTIVE TO OBEY CHRIST. —2 CORINTHIANS 10:3-5

START WITH GOD'S WORD
 MATTHEW 4:1-4

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STAY FREE OF BITTERNESS EPHESIANS 4:26-27

 SUBMIT TO GOD IN HUMILITY JAMES 4:5-7

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• STAND IN CHRIST'S VICTORY I JOHN 3:8b; GALATIANS 1:4; ROMANS 16:10

"SINCE THEREFORE THE CHILDREN SHARE IN FLESH AND BLOOD, HE HIMSELF LIKEWISE PARTOOK OF THE SAME THINGS, THAT THROUGH DEATH HE MIGHT DESTROY

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THE ONE WHO HAS THE POWER OF DEATH, THAT IS, THE DEVIL, IS AND DELIVER ALL THOSE WHO THROUGH FEAR OF DEATH WERE SUBJECT TO LIFELONG SLAVERY.—HEB. 2:14-15



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I HAVE SAID THESE THINGS TO YOU, THAT IN ME YOU MAY HAVE PEACE. IN THE WORLD YOU WILL HAVE TRIBULATION. BUT TAKE HEART; I HAVE OVERCOME THE WORLD. —JOHN 16:33

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