

# No Strongholds Ministries

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## Which End of the Horse for You?

5.10.15

### Romans 7:19-25 (HCSB)

<sup>19</sup> For I do not do the good that I want to do, but I practice the evil that I do not want to do.

<sup>20</sup> Now if I do what I do not want, I am no longer the one doing it, but it is the sin that lives in me.

<sup>21</sup> So I discover this principle: When I want to do what is good, evil is with me.

<sup>22</sup> For in my inner self I joyfully agree with God's law.

<sup>23</sup> But I see a different law in the parts of my body, waging war against the law of my mind and taking me prisoner to the law of sin in the parts of my body.

<sup>24</sup> What a wretched man I am! Who will rescue me from this dying body?

<sup>25</sup> I thank God through Jesus Christ our Lord! So then, with my mind I myself am a slave to the law of God, but with my flesh, to the law of sin.

For some of you, the greatest reason you continue to struggle is simply because it takes \_\_\_\_\_<sup>1</sup> to \_\_\_\_\_<sup>2</sup> in the \_\_\_\_\_<sup>3</sup> than it does to identify the method and means of the enemy and then, \_\_\_\_\_<sup>4</sup> as a possibility.

We senselessly stay in a fight \_\_\_\_\_<sup>5</sup> because we believe this is just the way it is and we do not have \_\_\_\_\_<sup>6</sup>.

We all have wants and desires... but we are the \_\_\_\_\_<sup>7</sup> who make the decisions that \_\_\_\_\_<sup>8</sup>.

As human beings, we live in a \_\_\_\_\_<sup>9</sup> where the \_\_\_\_\_<sup>10</sup> lives to get us to \_\_\_\_\_... \_\_\_\_\_<sup>11</sup>. The enemy moves about your daily life \_\_\_\_\_<sup>12</sup> all the opportunities to do so.

There is a definite relationship between \_\_\_\_\_<sup>13</sup> and \_\_\_\_\_<sup>14</sup>.

They don't have to get you to do something you're \_\_\_\_\_<sup>15</sup> to do, as long as they can keep you from doing what you \_\_\_\_\_<sup>16</sup> to do.

### Luke 12:48 (HCSB)

<sup>48</sup>... much will be required of everyone who has been given much. And even more will be expected of the one who has been entrusted with more.

**Luke 16:10-12 (NIV)**

<sup>10</sup> "Whoever can be trusted with very little can also be trusted with much, and whoever is dishonest with very little will also be dishonest with much.

<sup>11</sup> So if you have not been trustworthy in handling worldly wealth, who will trust you with true riches?

<sup>12</sup> And if you have not been trustworthy with someone else's property, who will give you property of your own?

God has provided the \_\_\_\_\_<sup>17</sup> that allow us to fling the ball down the alley and \_\_\_\_\_<sup>18</sup>... but we have to pick the right end of the horse – we must have the \_\_\_\_\_.<sup>19</sup>

**1 Corinthians 10:13 (NIV)**

<sup>13</sup> No temptation has seized you except what is common to man. And God is faithful; he will not let you be tempted beyond what you can bear. But when you are tempted, he will also provide a way out so that you can stand up under it.

We alone decide if the \_\_\_\_\_<sup>20</sup> of our life will be the results of \_\_\_\_\_,<sup>21</sup> or \_\_\_\_\_.<sup>22</sup>

Ask God to let you see the \_\_\_\_\_<sup>23</sup> for what they are... and \_\_\_\_\_<sup>24</sup>.

**2 Corinthians 10:3-6 (NIV)**

<sup>3</sup> For though we live in the world, we do not wage war as the world does.

<sup>4</sup> The weapons we fight with are not the weapons of the world. On the contrary, they have divine power to demolish strongholds.

<sup>5</sup> We demolish arguments and every pretension that sets itself up against the knowledge of God, and we take captive every thought to make it obedient to Christ.

<sup>6</sup> And we will be ready to punish every act of disobedience, once your obedience is complete.

**James 1:22-25 (NIV)**

<sup>22</sup> Do not merely listen to the word, and so deceive yourselves. Do what it says.

<sup>23</sup> Anyone who listens to the word but does not do what it says is like a man who looks at his face in a mirror

<sup>24</sup> and, after looking at himself, goes away and immediately forgets what he looks like.

<sup>25</sup> But the man who looks intently into the perfect law that gives freedom, and continues to do this, not forgetting what he has heard, but doing it--he will be blessed in what he does.

The enemy is \_\_\_\_\_<sup>25</sup>... why are \_\_\_\_\_<sup>26</sup> with that?

How much longer will you stay, \_\_\_\_\_<sup>27</sup>, in a fight you cannot win because \_\_\_\_\_<sup>28</sup> this is how it has to be and you do not have another choice?

How much longer will you continue to stand at the \_\_\_\_\_<sup>29</sup> of the horse with the \_\_\_\_\_<sup>30</sup>?

ANSWERS:

1. less effort
2. languish
3. storm
4. intentionally remove them
5. we cannot win
6. any other options
7. only ones
8. lead to our actions
9. hostile environment
10. indigenous enemy
11. choke... and die
12. eager to supply
13. perspective
14. performance
15. not supposed
16. are supposed
17. tools and instructions
18. expect success
19. correct perspective
20. errors
21. mistakes
22. bad choices
23. temptations
24. what they cost
25. lying to you
26. you okay
27. senselessly and defenselessly
28. you believe
29. wrong end
30. wrong expectations