



Every Thought Captive

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2 Corinthians 10:1-6

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2 Corinthians 10:1 I, Paul, myself entreat you, by the meekness and gentleness of Christ – I who am humble when face to face with you, but bold toward you when I am away! – [2] I beg of you that when I am present I may not have to show boldness with such confidence as I count on showing against some who suspect us of walking according to the flesh. [3] For though we walk in the flesh, we are not waging war according to the flesh. [4] For the weapons of our warfare are not of the flesh but have divine power to destroy strongholds. [5] We destroy arguments and every lofty opinion raised against the knowledge of God, and take every thought captive to obey Christ, [6] being ready to punish every disobedience, when your obedience is complete.

Application Questions

1) How would you encourage someone to grow in humility? How would you encourage someone to grow in boldness?

2) What are some action steps you can take to grow in your understanding of the Word?

3) What piece of armor (Eph. 6) do you need to be better equipped with?

Sermon Outline

Opposition to Christianity requires a powerful spiritual response that Paul likens to warfare.

- Humble boldness is needed to live beyond the flesh (1-3)
- Our mode of operation and combat is spiritual (3-4)
- The goal of the spiritual battle is submission to Christ (4-6)

Upcoming Events & Opportunities

»**Moody Bible Institute Choir Concert:** On March 8th, we will be hosting the Women's Concert Choir from Moody Bible Institute. We will need the congregation to help with their housing. Please notify the Church office if you are interested in hosting.

»**Biblical Counseling Conference:** Redeeming Grace Biblical Counseling Center is offering a Biblical Counseling Conference called "B3 Conference" on March 5-7. Go to b3conference.org to register or call Nathan Currey at [\(913-685-2322\)](tel:913-685-2322) for more information.