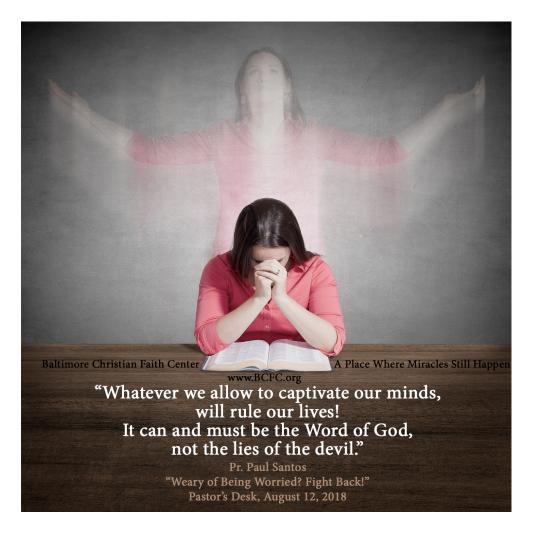
Weary of Being Worried? Fight Back! Pastor's Desk – August 12, 2018



Life is not always easy and as we fight the good fight of faith we should always keep in our minds the fact that "our minds will be where the battle is taking place"! For that reason, we should be careful about what we allow to captivate our minds. Whatever we allow to captivate our minds, will rule our lives! It can and must be the Word of God not the lies of the devil.

We need to make up our mind and resist the devil by allowing God's Word to rule our thoughts, especially when he comes with doubts and flat out lies. That's a decision we must make daily! The Word of God tells us: 1 Cor 15:57 "But thank God! He gives us (the) victory" 1 Cor 15:58 "With all this going for us, my dear, dear friends, stand your ground...!"

We need to decide that we will not succumb to whatever trial we may be facing right now; we refuse to surrender to circumstantial pressures the enemy brings our way! Let's dig in our heels, put up a fight and stand immovable upon such precious promises from God's Word as the ones up above! Whenever contrary thoughts arrive, cast them down. We are victorious and must stand immovable because God's Word says so!

Someone once said that worry is meditation on satan's thoughts! If this is true, whenever we realize worry is trying to set in, stop it immediately! We replace worry, fear, doubts, and dread with the Word of God! We cast down those thoughts and feelings! Satan will try continually to convince us that our situation is hopeless and there is no way out! Remember, he is an idiot liar. He will persistently peddle defeat and doubts, worries and fear, but we remind him, 1 Cor 15:58: "Our God already gave us the victory and we will remain immovable!" And if you really want to irritate satan, remind him of this promise in God's Word: 2 Cor 2:14 "Now thanks be to God who always leads us in triumph in Christ."

Weary of being worried? Turn off the worry switch, start speaking victory, that's our portion!!!

In His Kingdom, Pr. Paul