

## Negative Attitudes

### Wrong Thinking Part 2

#### 1. Redefine “\_\_\_\_\_”

**Attitude is a MINDSET that takes precedence over all other facts.** Keep this statement with you and **commit** this to memory. It will guide you through and above many storms in your life.

I need to begin to adopt a mindset of victory that takes precedence over all other facts! In other words we need to focus on the **positive** things in our lives, the things of Christ. Now in saying this skeptics and pessimists will say, “Oh, you’re just ignoring the problem’.” But I say to you today... No you are not, you are creating a positive faith by FOCUSING on the Good News, by focusing on the good God has done in my life, and when you do focus on the good that He has done... your faith becomes like a snow ball rolling down a hill, it gains momentum and in time it will grow and overtake what ever it is in front of it. Let me give you an example from God’s word, the bible what I mean. (Read Luke 17:11-19).

#### 2. PROGRAM your attitude to “\_\_\_\_\_” thinking.

Determine the attitude and the mindset you will have BEFORE life strikes at you and it will strike you. Begin today to lay a foundation in your life that says, “This is how I’m going to think today, no matter what comes my way.. I will think as Christ would have me think and not as the world would have me think. Make this statement today: I will not let the world determine my attitude, my mindset.” Deuteronomy 28:13 says, “*If you listen to these commands of the Lord your God and carefully obey them, the Lord will make you the head and not the tail, and you will always have the upper hand.*” Refuse to accept any other way of thinking or living, then God’s ways, if God be for me, who or what can possibly be against. Some additional examples in the book of Numbers Chapter 13. Joshua & Caleb had the attitude that they could conquer the giants.

#### 3. You have the \_\_\_\_\_ of Christ.

“*Who can know what the Lord is thinking? Who can give him counsel? But we can understand these things, for we have the mind of Christ.*” 1 Corinthians 2:16 The mind of Christ is an attitude. His attitude was that He saw food when 5000 people were hungry. Jesus saw healing when multitudes were sick. The Mind of our Lord saw life, when a child was dead. It was Jesus attitude in a situation that took precedence over all other facts. Jesus calls you too join Him in the same way. He wanted you and I to have that same attitude so He gave us the ability to have His mind, the mind of Christ. You and I have that mind. I want to encourage you today to start seeing what Jesus saw, see the solution in every problem.

#### 4. Make your greatest discovery \_\_\_\_\_!

The greatest discovery in your life is that you can change your life by changing the attitude of your mind, having the attitude of Christ. Jesus said, “*IF YOU CAN BELIEVE, all things are possible.*” (Mark 9:23). God gave you a phenomenal brain, use it, it is smarter than you have ever thought after you have asked Christ into your life.

#### THINK IT & SAY IT:

My life is getting easier not harder! I focus on the good things in my life. I refuse to focus on what’s gone wrong in my life. God has been good to me. I reverse worry and use my imagination to envision a worry-free life. My attitude of faith and expectation takes precedence over all other facts...beginning today. My mindset is ABOVE ONLY. I refuse to accept any other way of thinking. I am above the devil, I am above fear, I am above ‘just getting by, just existing’. I am the head and not the tail. I set my attitude EARLY and will not allow any other facts to deter me from what God said about me. I have the mind of Christ, and I see the solution in every problem in my life, in every trial in my life, in every tribulation in my life, and that solution is Jesus Christ. My brain is powerfully made in the image of God and I will use it like Christ, in Jesus’ Name we ask!