

How to Be Well-Adjusted Without Even Trying

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Scriptures:

- Romans 12:1, 2, *MSG*
- John 14:30, *AMPC*
- 3 John 1:2
- 2 Corinthians 10:3-5
- 2 Corinthians 2:11
- 2 Corinthians 2:11, *AMPC*
- Ephesians 6:10-16
- Ephesians 6:10-18, *AMPC*
- John 8:44
- 1 John 4:4, 17
- Psalm 107:2
- Deuteronomy 28:3, 6

Summary:

*Being well-adjusted is all about how we think. It begins with renewing our minds according to God's Word, which is required to fulfill the mission that He gave us. Embracing God's mindset protects us from the world's attitudes and beliefs. As the god of this world, Satan tries to infiltrate our thinking by making the culture of our environment seem attractive. However, God has given us power to resist wrong mindsets and choose for ourselves what to believe. Choosing to think **His** thoughts instead of the enemy's thoughts connects us to the authority Jesus gave us to resist the devil's suggestions. Learning to think differently changes the entire trajectory of our lives.*

Notes:

1. God wants us to be different and separate from the world; this starts with thinking differently.
2. The soul is where the mind resides; it's where our thoughts and feelings are. This is where renewal must begin so that we can learn to think correctly. Having the mind of God makes it impervious to the enemy's attacks.
3. The devil looks for the weak spots in our faith so he can take advantage of them. He doesn't want us to trust or believe God's promises. We must be prepared for his strategies.
4. We must take a stand against the devil's lies and realize the immense power we tap into when we think like God and believe His Word. We repel the enemy's darts by declaring the Word.

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