

Welcome to Rehoboth New Life Center August 16th 2015

Spiritual Warfare Part II

The battle for your mind



Isaiah 26:3 Thou wilt keep him in perfect peace, whose mind is stayed on thee: because he trusteth in thee.

The Complete Man: BODY, SOUL, & SPIRIT



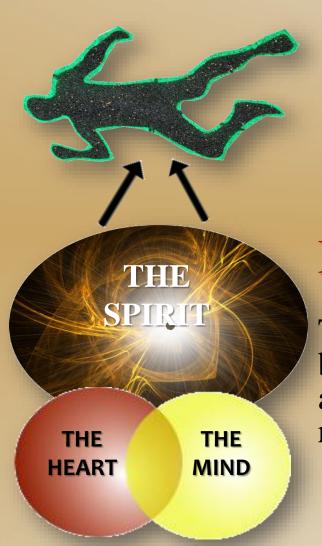
We were given a temporary covering

(protection) for the body (The Law)



Genesis 3:21 ¶Unto Adam also and to his wife did the LORD God make coats of skins, and clothed them.

"Mortifying The Flesh"



Romans 8:13 For if ye live after the flesh, ye shall die: but if ye through the Spirit do mortify the deeds of the body, ye shall live.

Mortify "Thanatoo"

To make to die i.e. destroy, render extinct by death to be liberated from the bond of anything, literally to be made dead in relation to (something)

The body should be dead!

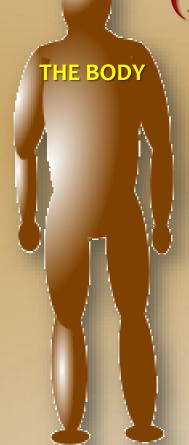


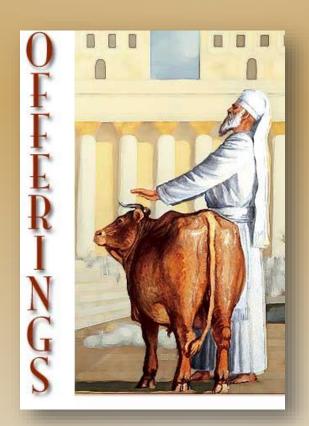
- Romans 8:10 ¶..... the body is dead because of sin
- Romans 7:18 For I know that in me (that is, in my flesh,) dwelleth no good thing: for to will is present with me; but how to perform that which is good I find not.
- Colossians 3:5 ¶Mortify therefore your members which are upon the earth; fornication, uncleanness, inordinate affection, evil concupiscence, and covetousness, which is idolatry:

When Adam sinned God gave a temporary

covering for the soul

(Blood Sacrifice: The Law)

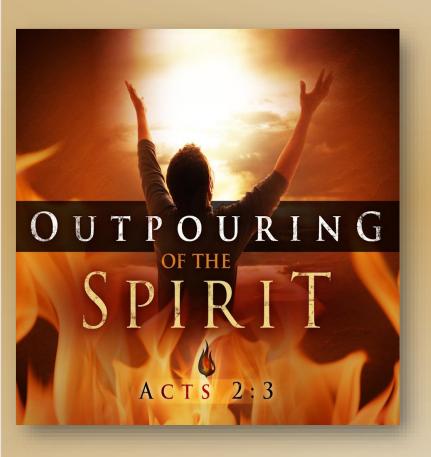




Leviticus 17:11 For the life of the flesh is in the blood: and I have given it to you upon the altar to make an atonement for your souls: for it is the blood that maketh an atonement for the soul.

We were given a permanent covering for

the soul on the day of Pentecost(Grace)



Acts 2:1 ¶And when the day of Pentecost was fully come, they were all with one accord in one place.

2 And suddenly there came a sound from heaven as of a rushing mighty wind, and it filled all the house where they were sitting.

3 And there appeared unto them cloven tongues like as of fire, and it sat upon each of them.

4 And they were all filled with the Holy Ghost, and began to speak with other tongues, as the Spirit gave them utterance.

The Soul covered by the spirit

- John 14:18 ¶I will not leave you comfortless: I will come to you.
- John 15:26 ¶But when the Comforter is come, whom I will send unto you from the Father, even the Spirit of truth, which proceedeth from the Father, he shall testify of me:
- When we receive the holy spirit it
- Becomes "personalized" to us and for us
- John 17:11.....that they may be ONE, as we are.
- It becomes OUR spirit, Ours and Christ's



COVERING

The Holy Spirit: protection for the Soul!



Ephesians 4:30 And grieve not the holy Spirit of God, whereby ye are sealed unto the day of redemption.

- John 10:27 My sheep hear my voice, and I know them, and they follow me:
- 28 And I give unto them eternal life; and they shall never perish, neither shall any man pluck them out of my hand.

The battle is for your mind!



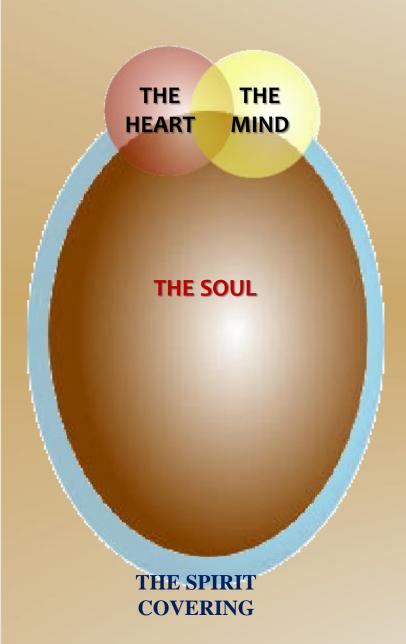
And for your heart!





The wrong change of mind!

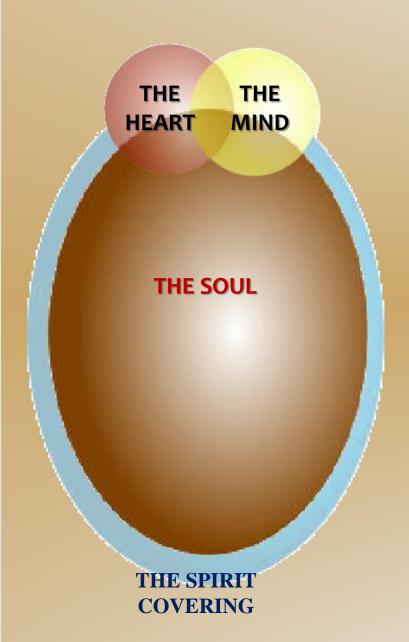
Daniel 5:20 But when his heart was lifted up, and his mind hardened in pride, he was deposed from his kingly throne, and they took his glory from him: 21 And he was driven from the sons of men; and his heart was made like the beasts, and his dwelling was with the wild asses: they fed him with grass like oxen, and his body was wet with the dew of heaven; till he knew that the most high God ruled in the kingdom of men, and that he appointeth over it whomsoever he will.



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THE HEART: Seat of the unconscious, Seat of emotions

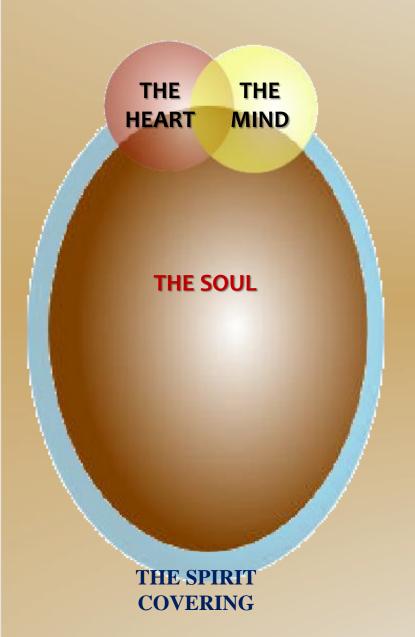
Romans 7:23 But I see another law in my members, warring against the law of my mind, and bringing me into captivity to the law of sin which is in my members.



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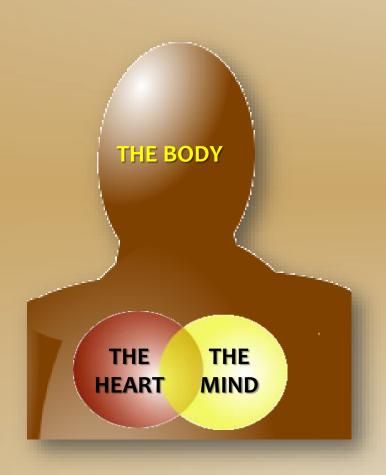
Romans 8:1 ¶There is therefore now no condemnation to them which are in Christ Jesus, who walk not after the flesh, but after the Spirit.



Romans 8:2 For the law of the Spirit of life in Christ Jesus hath made me free from the law of sin and death.

- 3 For what the law could not do, in that it was weak through the flesh, God sending his own Son in the likeness of sinful flesh, and for sin, condemned sin in the flesh:
- 4 That the righteousness of the law might be fulfilled in us, who walk not after the flesh, but after the Spirit.

How do you walk after the Spirit?

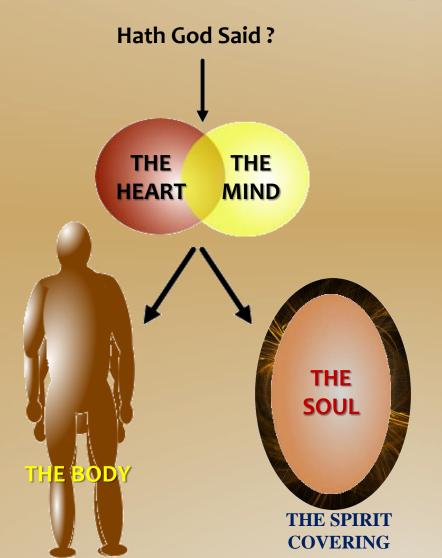


Romans 8:5 For they that are after the flesh do mind the things of the flesh; but they that are after the Spirit the things of the Spirit.

6 For to be carnally minded is death; but to be spiritually minded is life and peace.

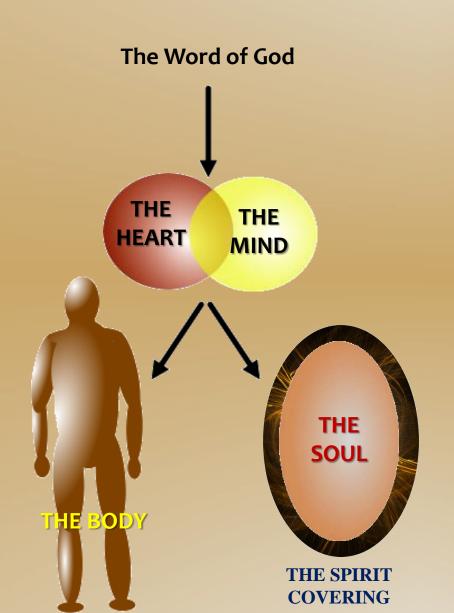
From where are you eating, how are you

feeding your mind?



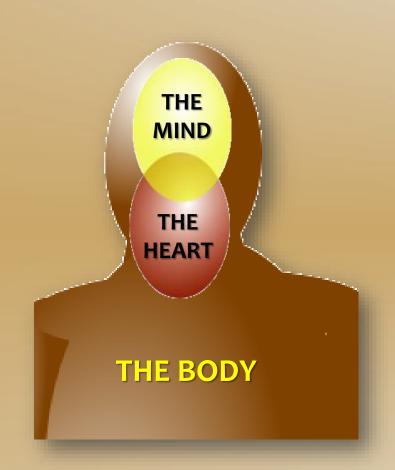
Ephesians 5:6 Let no man deceive you with vain words: for because of these things cometh the wrath of God upon the children of disobedience. Colossians 2:4 ¶And this I say, lest any man should beguile you with enticing words.

How are you fighting the battle of the mind?



Matthew 4:4 But he answered and said, It is written, Man shall not live by bread alone, but by every word that proceedeth out of the mouth of God.

Transformation!



Romans 12:2 And be not conformed to this world: but be ye transformed by the renewing of your mind, that ye may prove what is that good, and acceptable, and perfect, will of God.

Use the Written word



Psalms 119:11 ¶Thy word have I hid in mine heart, that I might not sin against thee.

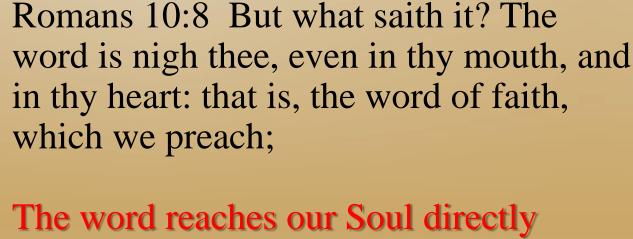
The word reaches our Soul through either:

1: Our Heart, an emotional response

2: Our Mind. A conscious meditated response



Protected the by the Rhema (spoken) word

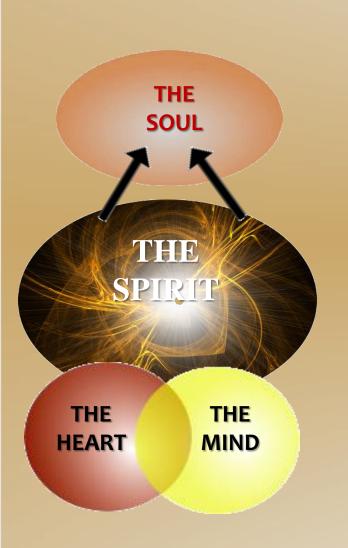




The word reaches our Soul directly through the covering spirit(the Logos)

Romans 8:26 ¶Likewise the Spirit also helpeth our infirmities: for we know not what we should pray for as we ought: but the Spirit itself maketh intercession for us with groanings which cannot be uttered.

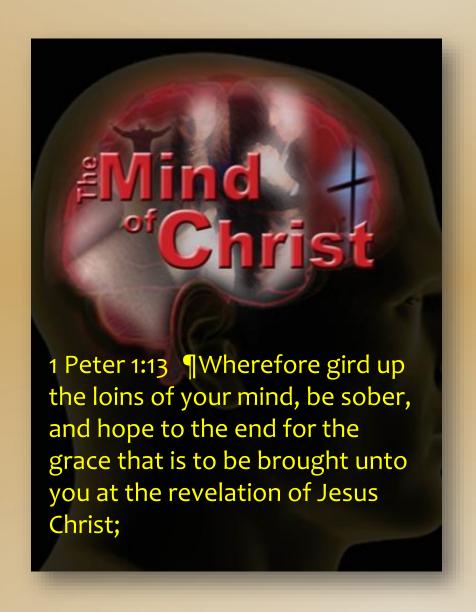
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1 Corinthians 14:2 For he that speaketh in an unknown tongue speaketh not unto men, but unto God: for no man understandeth him; howbeit in the spirit he speaketh mysteries.

The spirit

The Spirit change of mind!



Philippians 2:5 Let this mind be in you, which was also in Christ Jesus:

1 Corinthians 2:16 For who hath known the mind of the Lord, that he may instruct him?
But we have the mind of Christ.

Weapons are not carnal!



- 2 Corinthians 10:3 For though we walk in the flesh, we do not war after the flesh:
- 4 (For the weapons of our warfare are not carnal, but mighty through God to the pulling down of strong holds;)
- 5 Casting down imaginations, and every high thing that exalteth itself against the knowledge of God, and bringing into captivity every thought to the obedience of Christ;