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Genesis 1:27 / GENESIS 1:31 / GENESIS 2:7 / 2 TIMOTHY 1:7

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THE TITLE OF THE MESSAGE:

THE HUMAN MIND AND THE NATURE OF MAN – PART 3

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Humanity, Apologetics, Mind, Soul, Hope.

1 Corinthians 2:13-16

These things we also speak, not in words which man's wisdom teaches but which the Holy Spirit teaches, comparing spiritual things with spiritual. **14** But the natural man does not receive the things of the Spirit of God, for they are foolishness to him; nor can he know them, because they are spiritually discerned. **15** But he who is spiritual judges all things, yet he himself is rightly judged by no one. **16** *For "who has known the mind of the LORD that he may instruct Him?" But we have the mind of Christ.*

The Human Mind?

And The Nature Of Man

1.) PREPARING! – your mind has to be re-wired

Like soil that must be tilled, tuned over and over, our minds need to be reset / cleansed / rebooted.

Psalms 139:23-24

Search me, O God, and know my heart; try me, and know my (thoughts) anxieties;
24 And see if there is any wicked way in me, and lead me in the way everlasting.

Hosea 10:12

Sow for yourselves righteousness; reap in mercy; **break up your fallow ground**, for it is time to seek the LORD, till He comes and rains righteousness on you.

Psalm 119:11

Your word I have hidden in my heart, That I might not sin against You.

Romans 12:2b

...But be (are being) **transformed** by the **renewing** of your mind, that you may **prove** what is that **good** and **acceptable** and **perfect will** of God.

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2.) PROTECTING! – your mind has to be guarded

Taking a “**militant**” approach to governing your mind.
Training your mind to work rightly.

Psalms 42:1-5

As the deer pants for the water brooks, so pants my soul for You, O God. 2 My soul thirsts for God, for the living God. When shall I come and appear before God? 3 My tears have been my food day and night, while they continually say to me, “Where is your God?” 4 When I remember these things, I pour out my soul within me. For I used to go with the multitude; I went with them to the house of God, With the voice of joy and praise, with a multitude that kept a pilgrim feast. Why are you cast down, O my soul? And why are you disquieted within me? Hope in God, for I shall yet praise Him

Taking the mind captive by walking in the spirit.
(the born-again you will bring your mind under subjection)

2 Corinthians 10:4-5

For the weapons of our warfare are not carnal but mighty in God for pulling down strongholds, 5 casting down arguments and every high thing that exalts itself against the knowledge of God, bringing every thought into captivity to the obedience of Christ,

Hebrews 4:12

For the word of God is living and powerful, and sharper than any two-edged sword, piercing even to the division of soul and spirit, and of joints and marrow, and is a discerner of the thoughts and intents of the heart.

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3.) PREDICTIVE! – your mind has to be prophetic

Philippians 4:8

Finally, brethren, whatever things are true, whatever things are noble, whatever things are just, whatever things are pure, whatever things are lovely, whatever things are of good report, if there is any virtue and if there is anything praiseworthy—**meditate on these things.**

**Moving Your Thoughts Out and Ahead
Of all that you are and will be experiencing.**

Psalms 34:1-4

I will bless the LORD at all times; His praise **shall continually be** in my mouth.
2 My soul **shall make its boast** in the LORD; the humble shall hear of it and be glad.
3 Oh, **magnify the LORD with me**, and **let us exalt** His name together.
4 (:4 = the psalmist had learned) I sought the LORD, and He heard me,
and delivered me from all my fears. (He will do it again)

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4.) PROVIDING! – your mind must be nourished

**The “Placement” of You by You.
(Position)**

Jude 1:20-21

But you, beloved, **building** yourselves up on your most holy faith, **praying** in the Holy Spirit, **21 keep yourselves** in the love of God, **looking** for the mercy of our Lord Jesus Christ unto eternal life.

1 John 3:20

For if our heart condemns us, **God is greater** than our heart, and knows all things.

Psalms 37:4-5

Delight yourself also in the LORD, And He shall give you the desires of your heart.
5 Commit your way to the LORD, **trust** also in Him, And **He shall bring it to pass.**

John 15:7-8

If you abide in Me, and My words abide in you, you will ask what you desire, and it shall be done for you. **8** By this My Father is glorified, that you bear much fruit; so you will be My disciples.

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