

There are many things in our day and week, according to our choice of business, that enters our sight and occupy our minds, but a mature believer has learned to discipline his desires and attention, toward God's Word.

What are the verses that we've made a part of our soul, that have taught us to discipline our thought life?



Revelation of The Conquering Lamb

The Adamic covenant, fulfilled:

1. The Creation or Adamic covenant:

God as the Creator of all things, He owns all things, He is the owner of the Earth.

The **covenant** God made in the creation of mankind, was that he/ man should have **Authority Over** Dominion Over all the Earth and every living thing.

Genesis 1:26-28 (NASB)
26 Then God said, "Let Us make **man** in Our image, according to Our likeness, let them have dominion **over** the fish of the sea, **over** the birds of the sky, and **over** the cattle, **OVER all the earth** and **over** every creeping thing that creeps on the earth."
27 So God created man in His own image; in the image of God He created him; male and female He created them.
28 Then God blessed them, and God said to them, "Be fruitful and multiply; fill the earth and subdue it; have dominion **over** the fish of the sea, **over** the birds of the sky, and **OVER every living thing** that moves on the earth."

Adam yields his authority over the Earth, to Satan:

Throughout human history, God allows every human being, whether in submittal under His authority as outlined in scripture, or under Satan's authority from the dictates of man's own heart.

If you're not submitting to **god** **substantial obedience**, you're submitting to **Satan**.

Human history has made it very evident all the way back to Genesis that it is impossible for man to survive apart from an accurate understanding of God's word.

Genesis 3:1-13 (NASB)
1 Now the serpent was more crafty than any beast of the field which the Lord God had made. And he said to the woman, "Has God indeed said, 'You shall not eat of every tree of the garden?'"
2 And the woman said to the serpent, "We may eat the fruit of the trees of the garden; it has said the Lord God, 'You shall not eat of the fruit of the tree which is in the middle of the garden; and you shall not touch it, for whoever touches it shall die.'" **serpent**
3 Then the serpent said to the woman, "You will not surely die. For God knows that in the day you eat of it your eyes will be opened, and you will be like God, knowing good and evil?"
4 So when the woman saw that the tree was good for food, that it was pleasant to the eyes, and a tree desirable to make one wise, she took of its fruit and ate; and she gave also to her husband with her, and he ate.
5 Then the eyes of both of them were opened, and they knew that they were naked; and they sewed fig leaves together and made themselves coverings.
6 And they heard the sound of the Lord God walking in the garden in the cool of the day, and Adam and his wife hid themselves from the presence of the Lord God among the trees of the garden.
7 Then the Lord God called to Adam and said to him, "Where are you?"
8 He said to Him, "I heard Your voice in the garden, and I was afraid because I was naked; and I hid myself."
9 He said to him, "What did you do that you were naked? Have you eaten from the tree of which I commanded you that you should not eat?"
10 Then the woman said, "The serpent deceived me, and I ate."
11 He said the Lord God to the woman, "What is this you have done?" The woman said, "The serpent deceived me, and I ate."
12 So the Lord God said to the serpent: "Because you have done this, you are cursed more than all cattle, and more than every beast of the field; you shall eat your flesh all the days of your life. He will rule you, and you shall eat grass like the ox, and you shall move in the dust all the days of your life. And I will put enmity between you and the serpent, and between your seed and his; he shall bite your heel, and you shall bite his heel."
13 And he said to Adam, "Because you have listened to the voice of the serpent, and have eaten from the tree, I will curse you, and you shall be like the ox, and you shall eat grass all the days of your life. You shall eat your bread by the sweat of your face, and you shall be a slave to the ground. And the ground shall curse you, and it shall bring forth thorns and thistles for you. And you shall eat the plants of the field. And you shall live by the sweat of your face, until you return to the ground, for dust you are, and to dust you shall return." And he said to Adam, "I will send you away from the garden of Eden, and I will drive you out, and you shall be a slave to the ground. And you shall eat your bread by the sweat of your face, until you return to the ground, for dust you are, and to dust you shall return."

SATAN BECOMES THE GOD OF THIS WORLD.

1 Corinthians 4:4 (NASB)
4 whom we call **THE GOD OF THIS AGE**, (we think) who are not wise, for the light of the gospel of the glory of Christ, who is the image of God, abounds in us here.

John 1:10 (NASB)
10 For in the judgment of this world, now the ruler of this world will be cast out.

Ephesians 6:12 (NASB)
12 for we do not wrestle against flesh and blood, but against principalities, against powers, against **THE RULERS OF THE DARKNESS OF THIS AGE**, against spiritual hosts of wickedness in the heavenly places.

John 1:10 (NASB)
10 For in the judgment of this world, now **THE RULER OF THIS WORLD** will be cast out. (20 years) (1) and I will lift up from the earth, and there I will sit, and I will see those of whom I say, 'I will send you away from the garden of Eden, and I will drive you out, and you shall be a slave to the ground. And you shall eat your bread by the sweat of your face, until you return to the ground, for dust you are, and to dust you shall return.'

The humanity of the eternal Son of God (Jesus Christ) fulfills God's creation covenant/Adamic covenant:

From Genesis I can see that:
1. **God is the original owner of the planet**, and
2. **man was made representative** **representative** to rule the planet.
When the **Lord Jesus Christ** comes back, He is going to **complete the victory** over Satan **which He began on the cross**.
He **completes the victory** in our world because at that point Satan is defeated **but** the full application of that defeat does not occur until the **Tribulation** period.

Revelation 1:12 (NASB)
12 And I saw **in the right hand of Him who sat on the throne** a scroll written inside and on the back, sealed with seven seals.
13 And I saw a strong angel saying with a loud voice, "Who is worthy to open **the scroll** and to loose its seals?"
14 And no one in heaven or on the earth or under the earth was able to open **the scroll**, or to look at it.

This is a figure of speech called a **metonym**.
A **metonym** is when you take two opposites, and express them in terms of being able to include the totality of something.

The conquering Lamb

1. **But** none of the elders could say, "We are worthy. Indeed, **the Lion of the tribe of Judah**, the Root of David, has come to open **the scroll** and to loose its seals?"

It is a metaphorical term for origin and it relates to promises in the Old Testament.

In this is the fulfillment of all the OT prophecies and promises.

Seven in scripture has the idea of completeness, or fullness.

They fill up, or they hold the final judgments on humanity.

1. And I looked, and behold, in the midst of the throne and of the four living creatures, and in the midst of the elders, stood a **Lamb as though it had been slain**, having seven horns and seven eyes, which are the seven spirits of God sent out into all the earth.

Revelation 4:1 (NASB)
1 I saw from the throne seven hundred lightnings, thunders, and voices. **Seven lamps** of fire were burning before the throne, which are the seven Spirits of God.

the fullness of the Holy Spirit in His ministry of **revelation and illumination**.

2. **He came** and took **the scroll** out of the right hand of Him who sat on the throne.

Who came? The Lamb, not the Lion of the tribe of Judah!

The Lamb receives the **will done in the earth** **Yes as the Conquering Lamb**, **Yes as the Lion of the tribe of Judah**.

3. And when **He** had taken **the scroll**, the four living creatures and the twenty-four elders sat down before the **the Lamb**, each having a harp, and golden bowls full of incense, which are the prayers of the saints.
4. And they sang a new song, saying: "You are worthy **to take the scroll**. And to open its seals, for You were slain, and have redeemed us to God by Your blood, out of every tribe and tongue and people and nation, and have made us kings and priests to our God, and we shall reign on the earth."

The Lambs worthiness:

is in relation to His humility in obedience to all the will of God, and because of that:

You He was slain **And**
will redeem us to God by His blood **And**
will make us kings and priests to our God **And**
we shall reign on the earth

The Lamb Conquered, and provided a powerful example for us to imitate.

1. **John 1:12** (NASB)
12 And to as many as received Him, He gave the right to become sons of God, who were born to the world."
2. **1 John 4:19** (NASB)
19 We love because He first loved us. Whoever does not love does not know God, who has revealed His love to the world."
3. **1 John 4:10** (NASB)
10 Whoever loves God who has revealed His love to the world."
4. **1 John 4:11** (NASB)
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18. **1 John 4:25** (NASB)
25 Whoever loves God who has revealed His love to the world."
19. **1 John 4:26** (NASB)
26 Whoever loves God who has revealed His love to the world."
20. **1 John 4:27** (NASB)
27 Whoever loves God who has revealed His love to the world."

14. Then I looked, and behold the voices of many angels around the throne, the living creatures, and the elders, and the number of them was thousands and thousands and thousands, and thousands.
15. saying with a loud voice, **Worthy is the Lamb** who was slain, to receive power and riches and wisdom, and strength and honor and glory and blessing.
16. And every creature which is in heaven and on the earth and under the earth, and such as are in the sea, and all who are in them, I heard saying, "Blessing and honor and glory and power be to Him who sits on the throne, and to the Lamb, forever and ever!"
17. And the four living creatures said, "Honor" And the elders fell down and worshiped Him who sits on the throne, and the Lamb.

The Conquering Lamb

is recognized as such by the Earth dwellers.

Revelation 1:12 (NASB)
12 And I saw **the Lamb** opened one of the seals, and I heard one of the four living creatures saying with a voice like thunder, "Come and see."
13 And I looked, and behold, a white horse. He who sat on it had a bow, and a crown was given to him, and he went out conquering and to conquer.

Revelation 1:16 (NASB)
16 And said to the seven stars, "Tell us and hide us from the face of Him who sits on the throne and from **the wrath of the Lamb**."

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Church age believers are called to conquer/ to overcome by yielding to the Word of God

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Colossians 3:1 (NASB)
1 **Let your mind be disciplined** **not** on things on the earth.

1 John 1:1 (NASB)
1 **Let us love the world as the things in the world** **if anyone loves the world, the Father's love is not in him.**

1 Corinthians 10:1 (NASB)
1 **Let us not be like the Israelites** **who were in the wilderness** **for when these people ate and drank, they died because they ate and drank uncleanly.**

Colossians 3:16 (NASB)
16 **Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly**, in all wisdom, teaching and admonishing one another in psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, singing with grace in your hearts to the Lord.

Colossians 3:17 (NASB)
17 **Let us say then** **in the Lord** **and you shall see the fruit of the work.**