

Truth, Trust, and Transformation

I. The Schemes of Satan (Spiritual Warfare)

1 Peter 5:8-9

2 Corinthians 11:3, 13-15

II. **The Systems of Society** (Spiritual Deception)

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- Fortresses: “The formidable spiritual strongholds manned by the forces of hell can be demolished only by spiritual weapons wielded by godly believers – singularly the ‘sword of the Spirit’ (Eph. 6:17), since only the truth of God’s Word can defeat satanic falsehoods.” (John MacArthur)

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- Speculations: “Thoughts, ideas, reasonings, philosophies, and false religions are the ideological forts in which men barricade themselves against God and the gospel.” (John MacArthur)

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2 Corinthians 10:3-5

2 Corinthians 4:3-4

1 Corinthians 2:1-16

Romans 8:5-8

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“The more believers grow in their knowledge of Christ, the more He is revealed in their lives.” (John MacArthur)

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Anytime we take the wisdom of man and try to add it to the wisdom of God, we are betraying in our own hearts the issue of our lack of trust in Christ and in the sufficiency of His truth.

IV. The Sufficiency of Scripture (Spiritual Resources)

John 17:17

Romans 12:1-2

2 Peter 1:3-4

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