

Proverbs 18:21

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My Biggest Enemy –pt2

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Who is My Biggest Enemy?

Satan?

No

World?

No

Others?

No

Point Finger to the Person...

...Sitting in Your Pew

...Wearing Your Shoes



God Has Given Every Person...

- Measure of Faith (He Is)
- Hope (He is Able)
- Vision (Dream) (He is Able to Use Me)

Satan Does All He Can Thru the World and Others...

...to Enable Me to Destroy Me

When We Fail to Listen to the Voice that Matters Most (God)

◦ We Believe the Dream Killers Instead of the Dream Giver.

- We Don't Have to Live This Way
- We Have A Choice Every Day...

...To Listen to God's Word / Spirit or

..Believe What Dream Taker Says



“Lord Help Me Take the Saw Out of My Hand!”

It Starts with...

...Addressing the Negatives

...in Your Life

...in a Positive Way

Get Beyond Negativity

When We Listen to This Malicious Chatter...

...It Prevents Us From Moving Forward

- It's Suffocating.
- It's Discouraging.
- It Takes Focus Off God
- Magnifies Every Weakness We Have

Satan Wants Us Filled with Negative Words and Toxic People...

...Reminding Us

“How It Can't Be Done”

“Why It Shouldn't Be Done”

“Why You're Not The Person To Do It”

Get Beyond Negativity

The Negative Mindset Can Take Many Forms,
But They're All Dream Killers –

Cynicism, Sarcasm, Jealousy, Bitterness, Even Cold Silence.

“The tongue has the power of life and death...” -Proverbs 18:21

You Have Control Over What You Allow...

...Into Your Thoughts And Mind And

...What Voices You Choose To Believe

Giving Into Negativity Sets Off...

...a Devastating Series of Events

...that Will Bring You to Your Knees

Neg. Leads to Self-Doubt

Possibly the Biggest Threat to Your Vision-Purpose

- If the Enemy Can Get You to Doubt Yourself... He Wins

Doubt Will Leave a List of Reasons Why You're "Not Enough"

- *"God picked the wrong person for the job"*
- *"You Don't Have What It Takes... You Are Not...
...Smart Enough, Old Enough, Young Enough, Enough Enough"*
- **You Stagger Under the Weight of All the "Not Good Enoughs"**
"For as he thinks in his heart, so is he..." -Proverbs 23:7

Choose to Believe What God Says About You...

- "You Have Purpose, You Are Valuable, You Are Amazing...
...Your Life Has Meaning..."*

Self-Doubt Leads to Fear

Fear of People, Rejection, Failure, the Unknown...

...it Can Take Many Different Forms But All Lead To One Result.

...You Get Stuck...Dead In Tracks...Can't Move Forward.

“Do not fear for I am with you; do not anxiously look about you for I am your God. I will strengthen you, surely I will help you, surely I will uphold you with my righteous right hand” -Isaiah 41:10

Choose to Trust God

• Determine in Your Heart,

...You Will Keep Moving Forward

...Stare Fear in the Face, Believing More in the

...Power of God Than the Fear that Holds You Back

Fear Leads to Procrastination

Procrastination is

The Lie – *“You don’t have time.”*

...”If I did it wouldn’t matter..”

Opportunity’s Assassin.”

- Victor Kiam

Fear of

- Inadequate (*energy- resources- ability*)
- Focusing (inability to)
- Failure

Choose to Pray/ Move Forward as God Leads/ Opens New Doors

*“Teach us to number our days, that we may gain a heart of wisdom” -Psa
90:12*

Procrastination Leads to Depression

Procrastination At Least Leads to Possibility of Movement...

...Depression Takes That Away –

Satan has Set up an “Emotional Road Block”...

...This is Where it ALL STOPS!

Psalm 43:5 (AMP)

⁵ Why are you cast down, O my inner self? And why should you moan over me *and* be disquieted within me? Hope in God *and* wait expectantly for Him, for I shall yet praise Him, Who is the help of my [sad] countenance, and my God.

Psalm 43:5 (MSG)

⁵ Why are you down in the dumps, dear soul? Why are you crying the blues? Fix my eyes on God— soon I'll be praising again. He puts a smile on my face. He's my God.



Proverbs 29:18

Proverbs 29:18 (AMP)

¹⁸ Where there is no vision [no redemptive revelation of God], the people perish; but he who keeps the law [of God, which includes that of man]—blessed (happy, fortunate, and enviable) is he.



Isa 41:10 (AMP) , *“Fear not [there is nothing to fear], for I am with you; do not look around you in terror and be dismayed, for I am your God. I will strengthen and harden you to difficulties, yes, I will help you; yes, I will hold you up and retain you with My [victorious] right hand of rightness and justice”*

Overcoming -Isaiah 41:10

- ❑ **God's PRESENCE Secures (10a)**
"Fear thou not; for I am with thee"
- ❑ **God's PURPOSE Satisfies (10b)**
"be not dismayed; for I am Thy God"
- ❑ **God's POWER Strengthens (10c)**
"I will strengthen thee"
- ❑ **God's PROVISION Supplies (10d)**
"yea, I will help thee"
- ❑ **God's PROMISE Sustains (10e)**
"yea, I will uphold thee with the right hand of My righteousness"



Then your faith will grow strong
in the truth you were taught, and you
will overflow with thankfulness.

- Colossians 2:7 -

