



“The fear of man brings a snare, but whoso puts his trust in the LORD shall be safe.”
Proverbs 29:25

How many times have you been held back from doing something that was big within your heart to do all because of a fear of what others might think? Fear is a thief! It robs you of accomplishment. It steals your joy for living. It restricts your faith and leaves you disappointed and condemned!

Men – even those who judge you – are not your judge! They may scowl, belittle, and condemn, but still, they do not have the final word concerning you. Look past the judgments of men. Lift up your eyes from what people say. Break free from past images and failures. Set your eyes and heart upon the True and Final Judge – Jesus Christ! After all, it is His approval, His acclaim, His praise that you are seeking, isn't it?

Now, we need to realize that fear is the opposite spiritual force of faith. Fear is having faith in the works of the evil one. Fear is the belief that bad will come to you not God's good. Fear believes the worst and at some level expects the worst. Fear must be met with the Word of God. War must be waged against it – actively! Your mind must be filled with the promises of Word of God instead of the thoughts and promises of fear! Allow the love of God to overflow and overwhelm every fear – the bottom line is this and only this – you are loved and accepted of God through Jesus.

“For God hath not given us the spirit of fear; but of power, and of love, and of a sound mind.” (2 Timothy 1:7).

“Fear not; for I am with you: be not dismayed; for I am your God: I will strengthen you; yes, I will help you; yes, I will uphold you with the right hand of My righteousness.” (Isaiah 41:10)

What then dear friend can separate us from the love of God in Christ? (Romans 8:31 - 39)

NOTHING!

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