

Surviving In an Out-of-Control World

How To Cope	Being of Sound Mind	Preparing for the Battle
<p>Be in the Word of God - know it</p> <p>Eph 4:11-16 - Grow Up!</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - mature man - understanding the fullness of Christ - children are tossed by the waves of doctrine, trickery of men, craftiness of deceitful scheming - speak truth in love - Christ is the head <p>Heb 5:8-14</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - there are those who have become dull of hearing - they need someone to teach them - those who need milk are not accustomed to righteousness - the mature because of practice they have trained their senses to discerning good and evil <p>Rom 12:1-2</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - present ourselves as a living sacrifice - not to be conformed (outside in) by the world - but transformed (inside out) by the renewing (renovating) of the mind 	<p>Fool and the Wise</p> <p>Is 55:8-9</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - God's thoughts are higher than ours - we are called to have the mind of Christ <p>Romans 1:18-22</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - man standing on his wisdom becomes a fool <p>Genesis 3:1-7</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Satan caused Eve to doubt and question God - He called God a liar - God is just trying to keep the best from you - you can be your own god deciding what is good and evil <p>Mark 5:1-5, 15</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - difference between a mind controlled by Satan and a mind controlled by God (sound minded - sober mind) <p>John 7:17 - we need to do His will and when we do we will know what is of God</p>	<p>Battlefield between God and Satan is our mind</p> <p>I Cor 2:15-16 - we have the mind of Christ</p> <p>Titus 2:11-14 - we are to deny worldly desires, live sensibly (sound minded), righteous and godly</p> <p>II Cor 10:3-6</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - spiritual battle - destruction of fortresses (destroying strongholds) - destroying things that are against the knowledge of God - every thought taken captive to the obedience of Christ - punish disobedience - Interrogation room - Philippians 4:8 <p>II Cor 11:3 - your minds can be led astray from the simplicity and purity of devotion to Christ</p> <p>II Timothy 1:7 - God has not given us a spirit of fear but of power, love, and self-control</p>

