

“But I fear, lest by any means, as the serpent beguiled Eve through his subtilty, so your minds should be corrupted from The Simplicity That Is In Christ.” 2 Corinthians 11:3no5 KJV



Notice the place where simplicity is maintained; your mind. Simplicity is equated here with Jesus Christ. *“For God is not the author of confusion.”* Mental chaos is the direct result of indecision, but no decision is, in itself, a conscious choice. Not obeying is disobedience. You want God’s favor? You must follow Him. Obedience is following. Obedience to God’s Word is always clear-cut choice. It usually a one-word Command: Repent, Confess, Love, Come, or Follow; a simple choice: obey or disobey. You cannot do both. Remaining in sin is the earmark of the unbeliever! Hogs wallow in mud, because it makes the comfortable! We decide each and every moment what we will do. Actions are the direct result of a conscious choice. Your choices are a direct result of what you CHOOSE to allow in your mind. We may not be able to stop a thought, but it is our choice if it remains!

A professor set an empty glass on his desk and asked his students how they would remove all the air from it. After many solutions were offered from vacuum pumps to outer space, the professor produced a pitcher of water and filled the glass to the rim. To get rid of chaotic thoughts simply fill your mind with *“the Simplicity that is in Christ:”* In other words with the Truth of God’s Word. It will make you wiser. *“The entrance of Thy Words giveth Light; it giveth Understanding unto the simple.”* It requires great foolishness to disobey the Living God! Singleness of mind eliminates chaotic thought. *“A double minded man is unstable in ALL his ways.”*

Simplicity of mind and thought,
Will soothe the minds with chaos fraught,
Reminding of the Grace that brought,
Vict’ry o’er sin’s battle we’ve fought. –CGP

If Truth is the focus of your mind, waves of fear whipped up by storms of circumstance will never deter you from your destination!

“Wherefore seeing we also are compassed about with so great a cloud of witnesses, let us lay aside every weight, and the sin which doth so easily beset us, and let us run with patience the race that is set before us, Looking unto Jesus the author and finisher of our faith; who for the Joy that was set before Him endured the cross, despising the shame, and is set down at the right hand of the throne of God. For consider Him that endured such contradiction of sinners against Himself, lest ye be wearied and faint in your minds.” Hebrews 12:1-3 KJV