

## **“Assurance of Victory”**

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“No temptation has overtaken you except what is common to mankind. And God is faithful; he will not let you be tempted beyond what you can bear. But when you are tempted, he will also provide a way out so that you can endure it.”

(1 Cor. 10:13 NIV)

“When tempted, no one should say, ‘God is tempting me.’ For God cannot be tempted by evil, nor does he tempt anyone; but each person is tempted when they are dragged away by their own evil desire and enticed.”

(James 1:13, 14 NIV)

“Do not love the world nor the things in the world. If anyone loves the world, the love of the Father is not in him. For all that is in the world, the lust of the flesh and the lust of the eyes and the boastful pride of life, is not from the Father, but is from the world.”

(1 John 2:15-16 NASB)

“Be alert and of sober mind. Your enemy the devil prowls around like a roaring lion looking for someone to devour. Resist him, standing firm in the faith, because you know that your brothers throughout the world are undergoing the same kind of sufferings.

(1 Peter 5:8-9 NIV)

“But the Lord is faithful, and he will strengthen you and protect you from the evil one.”

(2 Thess. 3:3 NIV)

*What are some things you can do to keep temptation from becoming sin?*

“How can a young person stay on the path of purity? By living according to your word. I have hidden your word in my heart that I might not sin against you.”

(Psalm 119:9, 11 NIV)

“Everyone born of God overcomes the world. This is the victory that has overcome the world, even our faith. Who is it that overcomes the world?

Only the one who believes that Jesus is the Son of God.”

(1 John 5:4-5 NIV)

“Let us then approach God's throne of grace with confidence, so that we may receive mercy and find grace to help us in our time of need.”

(Hebrews 4:16 NIV)

“Submit yourselves, then, to God. Resist the devil, and he will flee from you.”

(James 4:7 NIV)

*What is a temptation that frequently seizes you?*