

Series: "WELCOME TO THE RESISTANCE"
Part 2: "DEFEATING DEMONIC INFLUENCE"
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What is demonic influence?

Opposition → Influence → Oppression → Obsession
→ Control → Possession → Death

How do we yield ground to demonic influence?

1. Indifference towards _____ in our lives
 - a. Beware of unresolved _____ and _____

²⁶ "In your anger do not sin": Do not let the sun go down while you are still angry, ²⁷ and do not give the devil a foothold.

Ephesians 4:26-27 (NIV)

- b. Beware of _____

¹⁰ Anyone you forgive, I also forgive. And what I have forgiven—if there was anything to forgive—I have forgiven in the sight of Christ for your sake, ¹¹ in order that Satan might not outwit us. For we are not unaware of his schemes. ¹² Anyone who does these things is detestable to the LORD;

2 Corinthians 2:10-11 (NIV)

2. Participating in the _____

¹⁰ Let no one be found among you who sacrifices their son or daughter in the fire, who practices divination or sorcery, interprets omens, engages in witchcraft, ¹¹ or casts spells, or who is a medium or spiritist or who consults the dead. ¹² Anyone who does these things is detestable to the LORD;

Deuteronomy 18:10-12 (NIV)

3. Living by _____ instead of by _____

⁷ For God has not given us a spirit of fear and timidity, but of power, love, and self-discipline.

2 Timothy 1:7 (NLT)

4. Settling for _____ Christianity

a. Beware: saying _____ to God is saying _____ to Satan

How do we face into demonic influence?

1. Walk forward in _____

¹⁵ And having disarmed the powers and authorities, he made a public spectacle of them, triumphing over them by the cross.

Colossians 2:15 (NIV)

2. Walk forward with _____

¹⁹ I have given you authority to trample on snakes and scorpions and to overcome all the power of the enemy; nothing will harm you.

Luke 10:19 (NIV)

3. Walk forward in the Holy Spirit's _____

⁴ You, dear children, are from God and have overcome them, because the one who is in you is greater than the one who is in the world.

1 John 4:4 (NIV)

4. Walk forward in total _____

¹⁰ that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, ¹¹ and every tongue acknowledge that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

Philippians 2:10-11 (NIV)

Additional Resources

- Spiritual Warfare – Dr. Karl Payne
- The Invisible War – Chip Ingram
- The Bondage Breaker – Neal Anderson
- Secret Church 7 – Angels, Demons and Spiritual Warfare – Dr. David Platt - https://radical.net/secret_church/secret-church-7-angels-demons-and-spiritual-warfare/