



The Mighty Say it Weapon: Confession
Matthew 4:1-11 (NKJV)

1. All **TEMPTATIONS** fall into three categories:

1 JOHN 2:16 *For all that is in the world—the lust of the flesh, the lust of the eyes, and the pride of life—is not of the Father but is of the world.*

- a. The lust of the **FLESH**
- b. The lust of the **EYES**
- c. The **PRIDE** of life

2. Behind every temptation is a **MIND MANIPULATION**.

How to Use the “M” Renewing Weapon of Confession

1. **TALK** back.

PROVERBS 18:21 *Death and life are in the power of the tongue, And those who love it will eat its fruit.*

2. Say what is **WRITTEN**.

EPHESIANS 6:17 *And take the helmet of salvation, and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God.*

3. **SAY IT** when He talks to you in sneaky ways.

MATTHEW 16:22-23 *Then Peter took Him aside and began to rebuke Him, saying, “Far be it from You, Lord; this shall not happen to You!” But He turned and said to Peter, “Get behind Me, Satan! You are an offense to Me, for you are not mindful of the things of God, but the things of men.”*

PSALM 42:5 *Why are you cast down, O my soul? And why are you disquieted within me? Hope in God, for I shall yet praise Him—For the help of His countenance.*

1 SAMUEL 30:6 *And David was greatly distressed; for the people spake of stoning him, because the soul of all the people was grieved, every man for his sons and for his daughters: but David encouraged himself in the LORD his God.*

ROMANS 10:9-10 *that if you confess with your mouth the Lord Jesus and believe in your heart that God has raised Him from the dead, you will be saved. ¹⁰ For with the heart one believes unto righteousness, and with the mouth confession is made unto salvation.*