

Possessing the Spirit of the Overcomer Part-2

2026 is the year of the Overcomers in Christ coming forth in a mighty way! It is a year when Father God's heart will be powerfully embraced by those who are in Christ Jesus. Let's see what Jesus said about this.

The Love of the Father is the Catalyst for Overcoming

Catalytic converters in cars reduce harmful nitrogen oxide gases to less harmful ones by using elements in nature (i.e. platinum & the exceptionally rare rhodium). People steal catalytic converters because of Rhodium's great value. **Imagine then the catalyst value of Jesus' blood & Father's love that removes sin!**

John 16:25-28 TPT Knowing the truth about Father God's love for us is critical in Possessing the Spirit of the Overcomer.

Jesus said to His disciples, "I have spoken to you using figurative language (i.e. parables, metaphors, allegories – Jesus preferred teaching method while on earth), but the time is coming when I will no longer teach you with veiled speech, but I will teach you about **the Father** with your eyes unveiled. 26. And I will not need to ask **the Father** on your behalf, for you'll ask **Him** directly because of your new relationship with Me (or "in My name"). For **the Father** tenderly loves you, because you love Me and believe that I've come from God. 28. I came to you sent from the **Father's presence**, and I entered into the created world, & now I will leave this world and return to the **Father's side.**" Father or Him 6x!

Resting in the Ultimate Overcomer

John 16:29-33 *"His disciples said, "At last you're speaking to us clearly and not using veiled speech and metaphors! 30. Now we understand that You know everything there is to know, and we don't need to question you further. And everything you've*

taught us convinces us that you have come directly from God. **31.** Jesus replied, “Now you finally believe in Me. **32.** And the time has come when you will all be scattered, and each one of you will go your own way, leaving Me alone! Yet I am never alone, for **the Father** is always with Me [This fulfills the prophecy of **Zech. 13:7 NKJV**: “Strike the Shepherd and the sheep will be scattered.”]. **33. And everything I’ve taught you is so that the peace which is in Me will be in you and will give you great confidence as you rest in Me.** For in this unbelieving world you will experience trouble and sorrows (**NKJV** “tribulation”), **but you must be courageous, for I have conquered (or “overcome”)** the world.” **Rom.8:37 NKJV** “Yet in all these things we are more than conquerors through Him who loved us.”

***Rev. 3:5 TPT** “And the one who **experiences victory** (**NKJV** “overcomes”) will be dressed in white robes and I will never, no never erase your name from the Book of Life. I will acknowledge your name before my Father and His angels.” **WW** “**overcome** Gk. *nikao*; a word meaning “to gain victory” or “**get beyond**.” It is used by Jesus to set the standard of life for believers in **John 16:33**: “These things I have spoken to you, that in Me you may have peace. In the world you will have tribulation, but be of good cheer, I have overcome the world.” Here and six more times in Revelation, Jesus urges believers & churches to remain faithful to the end. Overcoming is the ultimate demonstration of the reality of one’s faith in Christ & the way to His promised rewards. The word is also used in **Rom. 12:20-21 NKJV**, “Therefore “If Your enemy is hungry, feed him; if he is thirsty, give him drink; for in so doing you will heap coals of fire on his head.” ***21.** Do not be **overcome** by evil, but **overcome** evil with good.” ***TPT** “For your surprising generosity will awaken his conscience, and God will reward you with favor.” Iranian Muslim was shot in the leg in riots, taken in by Christians & converted!

Last week we saw how complete wholeness comes to our innermost being: Rom. 4:6 TPT “Even King David himself speaks to us regarding the **complete wholeness** (NKJV “blessedness”) that comes inside a person **when God’s powerful declaration of righteousness is heard over our life**. Apart from our works, God’s word is enough.”

Today we not only embrace the truth that we are completely whole in Christ because we have heard Father God’s powerful declaration over us that we are righteous in Christ Jesus. But we also embrace the truth that we have received a revelation of Father God’s love through Jesus Christ that makes us confident overcomers in this life!

“Forgiven...Made Righteous”

If you have not committed your life to Christ & heard the declaration “**Forgiven**”, then you need to make that decision in faith. God the Father passionately desires to declare you “**Made righteous in Christ Jesus**.”

Jesus Makes Us Overcomers

1 John 4:4 “*Little children, you can be certain that you belong to God and have conquered them [the antichrists who deny that Jesus is the Christ], for the One who is living in you is far greater than **the one who is in the world**.*” **TPT note:** “That is, the devil. We have the Word of God, the Holy Spirit, the favor of God, and Jesus Christ. Within us is more than enough power to overcome the evil in this **world** (*kosmos* = this world’s system or world order).”

The truth is most critical to understanding the Spirit of the overcomer. In **John 8:31-32** Jesus said that **IF** we would know the truth and the truth would set us free. “*Then Jesus said to the Jews who believed Him, “When you continue to embrace all that I*

teach, you prove that you are my true followers. 32. For if you embrace the truth, it will release true freedom into your lives.

So let's believe, embrace, abide in Jesus's words and find the true freedom that only He can give to us.