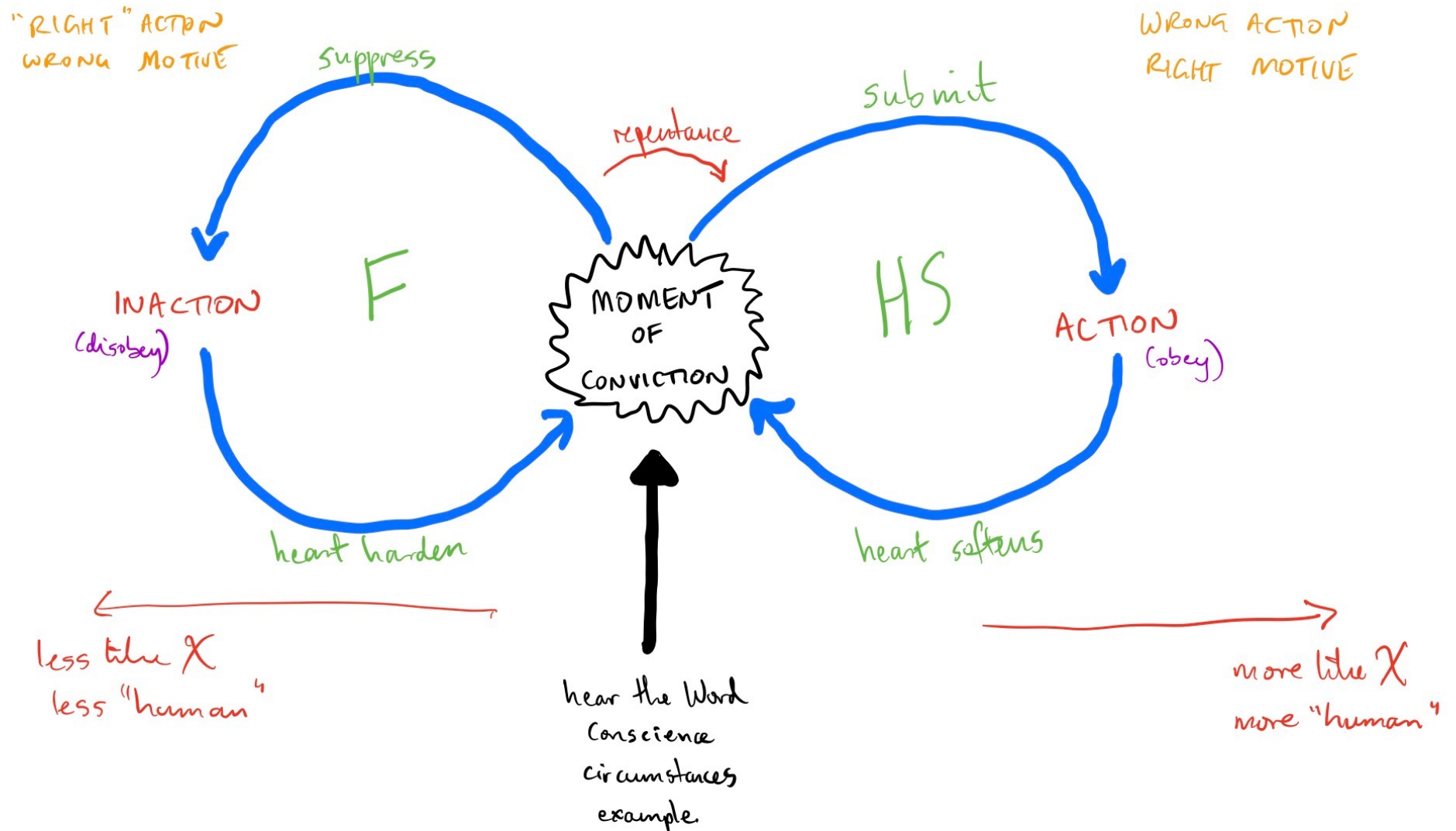


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Psalms 95

Movement in our faith begins with a moment of conviction, when God brushes up against our life.

## Four primary sources of conviction:

- 1) The Word (2 Tim 3:16; Heb 4:12; John 16:8)
- 2) Conscience (Rom 2:14-15)
- 3) Circumstances/Trials (Jas 1:2-4; 2 Cor 7:9-10)
- 4) Example of others (Heb 13:7)

We are addicted to the feeling of conviction.

## Two ways to respond to a moment of conviction:

<u>ACTION</u>	<u>INACTION</u>
Submit	Suppress
ACTION (Obey)	INACTION (Disobey)
Heart is softened	Heart is hardened
Work of the Spirit	Work of the Flesh
Jas 2:14-26 Luke 1:28 Ps 46:10 Ps 130:5	Rom 1:18-19 Ps 95:8-11 Isa 58:6 Mt 7:21-23

Repentance can soften the hardest heart (Ezek 36:26-27)

Don't stop the action, change the motive.

If you don't have a plan in mind, you'll do whatever seems easiest.

## QUESTIONS

1. Have you ever experienced a moment of conviction and failed to act upon it? Share the story.
2. Have you acted upon a significant moment of convicting (or prompting of the Spirit)? What happened and how did it go?
3. Where would you place yourself on the diagram right now?
4. What is God currently calling you to step into or stop? How will you "take action"?