

“The Conflict – The Resolve.”

II Corinthians 10:3-6

War is a result of settling a conflict. Usually from an action that is wrong.
Division :- a conflict of interests..

Wrong

Actions

Resolved

The Conflict is for a reason or season.

The Conflict should diminish with the proper

The Resolve may not always be the easy

The Resolve should bring a positive end to

Resolve: to deal with successfully : clear up *resolve doubts* *resolve a dispute* b : to find an answer to c : to make clear or understandable. (“I just can’t make sense of this”).

Conflict: _____

Resolve: _____

Even though you can't change your circumstances, by God's grace you can change your perspective! Here are three things you could get to know in the bad times, that you may never discover in the good ones:

(1) Nothing takes God by surprise. Listen: *"I make known the end from the beginning . . . my purpose will stand and I will do all that I please" (Isa 46:10).*

(2) He's still in control, even when things seem out of control. Listen again: *"But let all those that put their trust in The Lord rejoice: because He defends them" (Ps 5:11).*

(3) He always makes things work to our advantage. Paul wrote, *"We know that in all things God works for the good of those who love him" (Rom 8:28).*

*Conflicts can be the enemy's attempt to rob you of your joy. If you're under attack, do these **three** things:*

1) Fight back! You'll be tempted to withdraw or become timid and passive, especially if you've been hurt. Don't! A wounded animal only attracts attack. Satan loves shy, fearful types, but real fighters intimidate him. So be bold. "...Resist the devil and he will flee from you" (Jas 4:7).

**"...THIS IS THE VICTORY THAT OVER COMES THE WORLD, EVEN OUR FAITH."
I JOHN 5:4**

2) Use your weapons! Paul said, "The weapons of our warfare are mighty..." (2 Cor 10:4) Prayer is a weapon; use it daily! Join hands with others. One can't multiply; increase begins with two (Matt 18:19). Be sure you know the intercessors in your life. The Word is also a weapon - use it. Listen, "take . . . the sword of the Spirit, which is the Word of God" (Eph 6:17). Find out what God says about your situation and use it as a sword.

(3) See the big picture! Nothing is ever as it first appears. Look beyond the moment; something great is being birthed in you. After adversity comes blessing and favor, so get your eyes back on the big picture. Paul says, "This short time of distress will result in God's richest blessing..." (2 Cor 4:17). Now go out and win!