THE POWER OF ATTITUDES TO CREATE A HAPPY, SUCCESSFUL AND BLESSED LIFE!

Ephesians 4 ²³ Your <u>ATTITUDES</u>... <u>MUST all</u> be <u>constantly changing</u> for the <u>better</u>! TLB

ATTITUDES ARE MAJOR DIFFERENCE MAKERS IN LIFE!

A BAD ATTITUDE IS LIKE A FLAT TIRE...
YOU CAN'T GO ANYWHERE UNTIL YOU CHANGE IT!

YOUR ATTITUDES WILL DETERMINE YOUR ALTITUDE

What kind of kingdom attitudes should we aim for?

CREATIVE, HAPPY, BLESSED, LOVING, FORGIVING, KIND, COMPASSIONATE, GENEROUS, POSITIVE, FUN, CHEERFUL, ENTHUSIASTIC, OPTIMISTIC (ROMANS 8:28), FRIENDLY, WEALTHY (DEUT 8:18), CONFIDENT, DETERMINED, CAN-DO, PERSISTENT, EXPECTANT!

Matthew 9 29 Jesus... said, "You WILL HAVE what your FAITH EXPECTS!" TPT

ATTITUDES OF ENTHUSIASTIC EXPECTATION WILL BRING BLESSINGS

Acts 3 ¹⁹ NOW change your ATTITUDE... so God CAN... send you... showers of BLESSING! TLB/MSG

ATTITUDES EITHER RESTRAIN OR RELEASE GOD'S BLESSINGS

Colossians 3 ²⁰ Children... this <u>ATTITUDE</u> of <u>respect</u> and <u>obedience</u> is well-pleasing to the Lord and <u>will bring you GOD'S PROMISED BLESSINGS!</u> AMP

WHEN YOU CHANGE YOUR ATTITUDES, YOU CHANGE YOUR FUTURE

Romans 12 2 ...Be **CHANGED** by the **entire** renewal of your... **ATTITUDE**... AMPC

Romans 12 ¹⁻³ **BRING YOUR MIND** into line with **God's**... **be transformed** by the **renewing of your minds**... **THINK**...**IN LINE** with **FAITH**...! NTE

FAITH IS AN ATTITUDE TO LIVE BY!

Numbers 14 24 My servant Caleb has a <u>DIFFERENT ATTITUDE</u> than the others. <u>HE HAS FAITH IN ME</u>...! _{NLT/CEV}

ATTITUDES are nothing more than **HABITS OF THOUGHT**. John Maxwell

Proverbs 4 ²³ **ABOVE ALL**, be careful what you **think** because **YOUR THOUGHTS CONTROL YOUR LIFE**. ERV

MORE THAN ANYTHING, ATTITUDES SET THE COURSE FOR YOUR LIFE

FUEL YOUR MIND AND HEART WITH CHEERFUL, FAITH-FILLED THOUGHTS

Philippians 4 ⁴ <u>BE CHEERFUL</u> with <u>joyous celebration</u> in <u>EVERY</u> season of life. <u>Let joy overflow</u>...

⁶ Do <u>not</u> be <u>anxious</u> or <u>worried</u> about anything, but be <u>saturated</u> in <u>PRAYER</u>... <u>FAITH-FILLED</u>
...with <u>overflowing <u>GRATITUDE</u>... ⁷ <u>then</u> God's <u>wonderful peace</u>... will make the <u>answers</u>
known... ⁸ So <u>keep</u> your <u>THOUGHTS continually fixed</u> on the <u>BEST</u>, <u>not the worst</u>, on all that is
<u>EXCELLENT</u> and <u>BRINGS PEACE</u>... on <u>every glorious work of God</u>, <u>praising Him always</u>...! TPT/MSG/AMP</u>

FAITH WILL ALWAYS RESULT IN OPTIMISM

Philippians 2 ⁵ Live with <u>JESUS' ATTITUDE</u>. Let <u>HIS MINDSET</u> become your <u>motivation</u>... ¹⁴⁻¹⁵ <u>LIVE A</u> <u>CHEERFUL LIFE</u>. <u>DO EVERYTHING CHEERFULLY without complaining</u>... Live as <u>shining lights</u>...! _{TPT/VC}

JOY AND HAPPINESS ARE MUCH MORE ABOUT <u>ATTITUDES</u> THAN <u>CIRCUMSTANCES</u>

Galatians 6 ⁴ Each one <u>must</u> carefully scrutinize <u>his own</u>...

ATTITUDES... and <u>then</u> he can have... <u>JOY</u>... AMP

HOW POSITIVE THINKING RE-WIRES YOUR BRAIN - We'd all agree that thinking positively is a good thing. Especially when we're feeling positive. But what about those days when you're so stressed the veins pop out of your forehead? What about those days when you're sucker-punched by a series of unfortunate events...? I've met people who remain cheerful during really bad times. To to be honest, they made me want to slap them... However, I've come to learn that these people knew something I didn't. Here's the secret that's not really a secret. It's revolutionary, exciting science. POSITIVE THINKING REALLY DOES CHANGE YOUR BRAIN. Not in some magical kind of way, but in a real physical way. The science is called NEUROPLASTICITY. It means that OUR THOUGHTS CAN CHANGE THE STRUCTURE AND FUNCTION OF OUR BRAINS. The idea was first introduced by William James in 1890, but was soundly rejected by scientists who believed the brain is rigidly mapped out, with certain parts controlling certain functions. If that part is dead or damaged, the function is altered or lost. Well... they were **WRONG!** Neuroplasticity now enjoys wide acceptance as scientists are proving the brain is endlessly adaptable and dynamic. It has the power to change its own structure... People... can TRAIN... their brains through repetitive mental and physical activities. It is completely LIFE-ALTERING. So what does this have to do with positive thinking and you? It means that REPETITIVE POSITIVE THOUGHT and POSITIVE ACTIVITY can rewire YOUR BRAIN and strengthen brain areas that stimulate positive feelings. In his widely-acclaimed book, The Brain That Changes Itself... Dr. Norman Doidge states plainly that the brain has the capacity to rewire itself and form **NEW NEURAL PATHWAYS** — if we do the work. Just like exercise, the work requires REPETITION. (Excerpted and adapted from article by Barrie Davenport)

Joshua 1 ⁸ <u>THIS BOOK</u>... must not leave your <u>MOUTH</u>! <u>THINK ABOUT IT</u>

<u>DAY AND NIGHT</u> so that you may observe <u>diligently</u> all that is written in it.

For <u>THEN</u> you will <u>SUCCEED IN YOUR WAYS</u> and <u>PROSPER</u>! NLV/LEB

MOST PEOPLE LISTEN TO THEMSELVES WHEN THEY SHOULD TALK TO THEMSELVES

2 Corinthians 10 ⁵ <u>Demolish</u> every... <u>ATTITUDE</u> that is in defiance of the <u>true knowledge</u> of God. Capture thoughts and TEACH THEM to obey the Anointed One! TEACH THEM to obey the Anointed One!