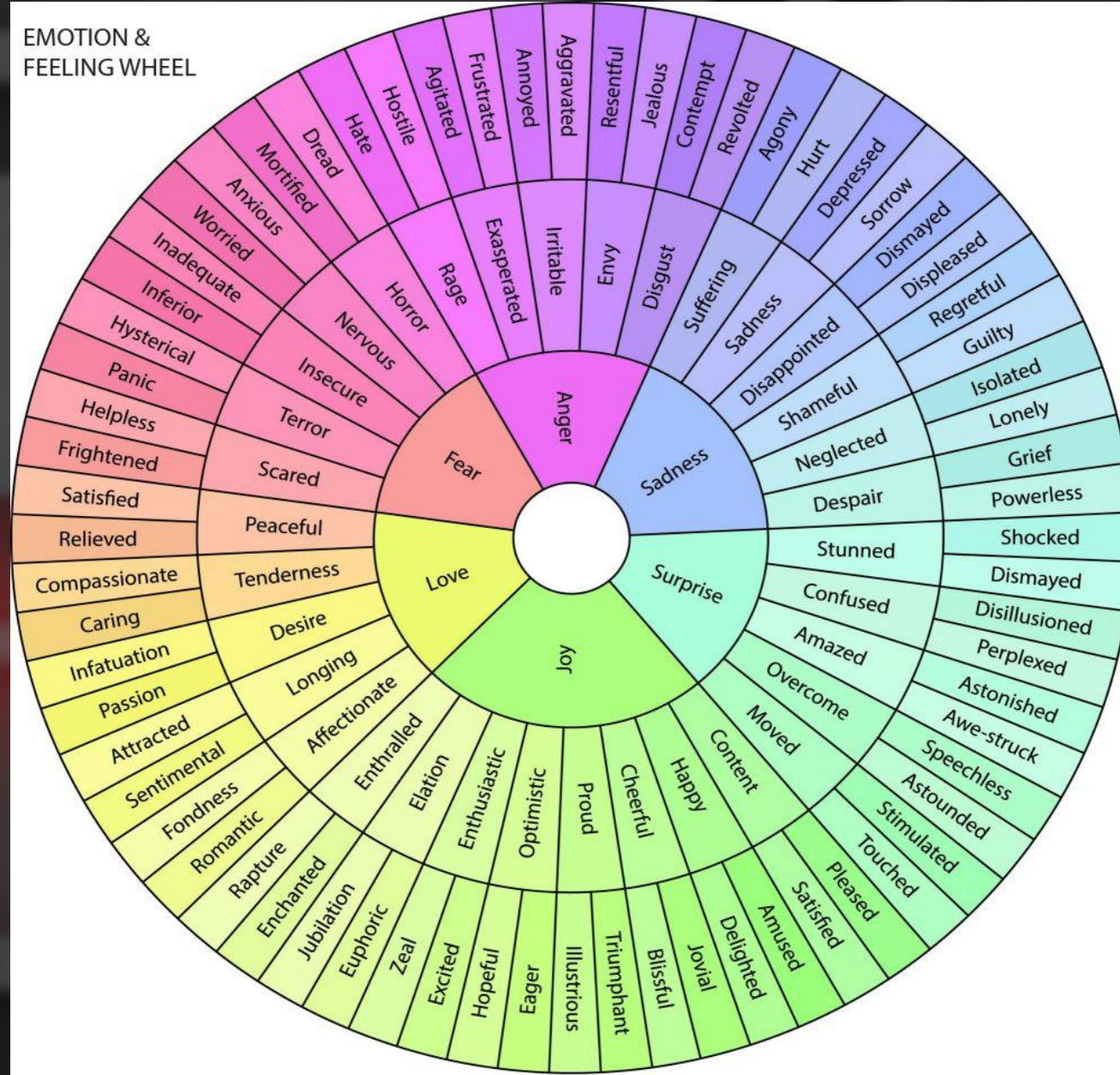


# **“A Daily Walk In Victory”**

EMOTION & FEELING WHEEL



# The Foundation Of Our Victory

John 16: 33 NKJV

<sup>33</sup>...In the world you will have tribulation; but be of good cheer, I (Jesus) have overcome the world.”

1 John 5: 4-5 NIV

<sup>4</sup>for everyone born of God overcomes the world. This is the victory that has overcome the world, even our faith. <sup>5</sup>Who is it that overcomes the world? Only the one who believes that Jesus is the Son of God.

1 Cor 15: 57 NIV

<sup>57</sup> But thanks be to God! He gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ.

# 1. Praying...A bigger Picture

Genesis 24: 1-15 NLT

<sup>12</sup> “O LORD, God of my master, Abraham,” he prayed. “Please give me **success today**, and show unfailing love to my master, Abraham. <sup>13</sup> See, I am standing here beside this spring, and the young women of the town are coming out to draw water. <sup>14</sup> **This is my request.** I will ask one of them, ‘**Please give me a drink** from your jug.’ If she says, ‘Yes, have a drink, and I will water your camels, too!’—**let her be the one you have selected as Isaac’s wife.** This is how I will know that you have shown unfailing love to my master.” <sup>15</sup> **Before he had finished praying,** he saw a young woman named Rebekah coming out with her water jug on her shoulder.

# If victory in Christ is true and sure

## 1<sup>st</sup> Implication...

### Prayer

*“Our needs are never more important than the mission.”*

**Q: Do we know our mission?**

## 2. Speaking...life or death

2 Kings 4: 8-22 NKJV

<sup>17</sup> But the woman conceived and bore a son when the appointed time had come, of which Elisha had told her. <sup>18</sup> And the child grew. Now it happened one day that he went out to his father, to the reapers. <sup>19</sup> And he said to his father, “My head, my head!” So he said to a servant, “Carry him to his mother.” <sup>20</sup> When he had taken him and brought him to his mother, *he sat on her knees till noon, and then died.* <sup>21</sup> And she went up and laid him on the bed of the man of God, shut *the door* upon him, and went out. <sup>22</sup> Then she called to her husband, and said, “Please send me one of the young men and one of the donkeys, that I may run to the man of God and come back.” <sup>23</sup> So he said, “Why are you going to him today? *It is neither the New Moon nor the Sabbath.*” *And she said, “It is well.”*

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<sup>25</sup> And so she departed and **went to the man of God at Mount Carmel.**

So it was, when the man of God saw her afar off, that he said to his servant Gehazi, “Look, the Shunammite woman! <sup>26</sup> **Please run now to meet her, and say to her, ‘Is it well with you? Is it well with your husband? Is it well with the child?’ ”**

**And she answered, “It is well.”** <sup>27</sup> Now when she came to the man of God at the hill, **she caught him by the feet**, but Gehazi came near to push her away. But the man of God said, “Let her alone; **for her soul is in deep distress**, and the LORD has hidden *it* from me, and has not told me.”

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## 2<sup>nd</sup> Implication...

### Words

*“Our tongues can not be servants of our emotions.”*

**Q: Do we know our words carry power?**

### 3. Rising...after a fall

Luke 22: 60-62 NKJV

<sup>60</sup> But Peter said, “Man, I do not know what you are saying!”

Immediately, while he was still speaking, the rooster crowed. <sup>61</sup> And the Lord turned and looked at Peter. Then Peter remembered the word of the Lord, how He had said to him, “Before the rooster crows, you will deny Me three times.” <sup>62</sup> So Peter went out and wept bitterly.

*Previous Verses 31 & 32*

<sup>31</sup> And the Lord said, “Simon, Simon! Indeed, Satan has asked for you, that he may sift *you* as wheat. <sup>32</sup> But I have prayed for you, that your faith should not fail; and when you have returned to *Me*, strengthen your brethren.”

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## 3rd Implication...

### Grace

*“We cannot receive God’s strength until we know our weakness. It is important to always remember that God’s grace is in spite of us”*

*Q: Do we truly believe Grace is sufficient?*

## 4. Surrendering...act of worship

**John 6: 38** NKJV

<sup>38</sup> For I have come down from heaven, not to do My own will, but the will of Him who sent Me.

**Matthew 26: 36-44** NKJV

<sup>36</sup> Then Jesus came with them to a place called Gethsemane...<sup>38</sup> Then He said to them, “My soul is exceedingly sorrowful, even to death. Stay here and watch with Me.”<sup>39</sup> He went a little farther and fell on His face, and prayed, saying, “O My Father, if it is possible, let this cup pass from Me; nevertheless, not as I will, but as You will.”

<sup>42</sup> Again, a second time, He went away and prayed...<sup>44</sup> So He left them, went away again, and prayed the third time, saying the same words.

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## 4th Implication...

### Submission

*“When the revelation of the Son of God and His sacrifice hits the core of our hearts, submitting to His will is no longer optional”*

*Q: Do we intentionally seek His will?*

## 5. Fighting...with guaranteed weapons

### Revelations 12: 11 NKJV

<sup>11</sup> And they overcame him by the blood of the Lamb and by the word of their testimony, and they did not love their lives to the death.

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## 5th Implication...

### Victory

*“By Virtue of the blood of the Lamb and my confession that Jesus is Lord, I am victorious anytime, any day, and always. You can take this to the bank!”*

*Q: Do we believe?*

**“Do not pray for easy lives; pray to be stronger men. Do not pray for tasks equal to your powers; pray for powers equal to your tasks. Then the doing of your work shall be no miracle, but you yourself shall be a miracle. Every day you shall wonder at yourself, at the richness of life which has come to you by the grace of God.”**

**Phillips Brooks**

# Discussion Questions

- 1. Foundation – What does “victory” actually mean to you?**
- 2. Prayer – Are your prayers shaped more by your needs or God’s mission?**
- 3. Words – How much influence do your emotions have over what you say?**
- 4. Grace – How do you respond when you fail or fall short?**
- 5. Surrender & Fight – Where is God asking for trust and action right now?**

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