



HOW TO BE  
**BRAVE**  
"Hold That Thought"

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**Destructive Thinking:**

1. \_\_\_\_\_.

*But the wisdom from above is first pure, then peaceable, gentle, open to reason, full of mercy and good fruits, impartial and sincere. (James 3:17 ESV)*

2. \_\_\_\_\_.

*Where no counsel is, the people fall: but in the multitude of counselors there is safety. (Proverbs 11:14 KJV)*

3. \_\_\_\_\_.

*And Jesus grew in wisdom and stature, and in favor with God and man. (Luke 2:52 NIV)*

4. \_\_\_\_\_.

*The heart is deceitful above all things and beyond cure. Who can understand it? (Jeremiah 17:9 NIV)*

*After the death of Moses the servant of the Lord, the Lord said to Joshua son of Nun, Moses' aide: "Moses my servant is dead. Now then, you and all these people, get ready to cross the Jordan River into the land I am about to give to them—to the Israelites. I will give you every place where you set your foot, as I promised Moses. Your territory will extend from the desert to Lebanon, and from the great river, the Euphrates—all the Hittite country—to the Mediterranean Sea in the west. No one will be able to stand against you all the days of your life. As I was with Moses, so I will be with you; I will never leave you nor forsake you. Be strong and courageous, because you will lead these people to inherit the land I swore to their ancestors to give them. "Be strong and very courageous. Be careful to obey all the law my servant Moses gave you; do not turn from it to the right or to the left, that you may be successful wherever you go. Keep this Book of the Law always on your lips; meditate on it day and night, so that you may be careful to do everything written in it. Then you will be prosperous and successful. Have I not commanded you? Be strong and courageous. Do not be afraid; do not be discouraged, for the Lord your God will be with you wherever you go." (Joshua 1:1-9 NIV)*

1. **Bravery is powered by \_\_\_\_\_.** Finally, brothers and sisters, whatever is true, whatever is noble, whatever is right, whatever is pure, whatever is lovely, whatever is admirable—if anything is excellent or praiseworthy—think about such things. (Philippians 4:8 NIV)
2. **If you'll think about the \_\_\_\_\_ things you'll win at the \_\_\_\_\_ things.** Whatever you have learned or received or heard from me, or seen in me—put it into practice. And the God of peace will be with you. (Philippians 4:9 NIV)
3. **Hold your \_\_\_\_\_ and don't let your \_\_\_\_\_ hold you.** We demolish arguments and every pretension that sets itself up against the knowledge of God, and we take captive every thought to make it obedient to Christ. (2 Corinthians 10:5 NIV)