

BORN TO OVERCOME THE WORLD

I. Overcoming the world

A. 1 Jn. 5:4, 5; 1 Cor. 2:12

- The Fall gave us not only sin to overcome but: world, flesh, devil

B. 1 Jn. 2:15-17

- 1.) All creation/earth; 2.) All living people; 3.) All cultures & civilizations/culture; 4.) The wicked system headed by satan of all that is hostile, rebellious, and opposed to God

C. Rom. 12:2, 3 devil uses the world to rip us off from God's will

D. Eph. 2:1-3 satan used the course of the world to conform us

II. The nature of the spirit of the world can be seen

A. Isaiah 14:12-15 Self will/self-centered

B. Isaiah 5:8 Independent

C. Genesis 4:6 Unaccountable

Everything about the Church is designed to confront & overcome