



Dealing With Strongholds in The Family

1. Lead the person to Christ and total commitment.
Find what they are unwilling to release to God – pray about that.
2. Ask the Lord to make them open and touchable.
3. Identify the stronghold area – help them to see it. I Corinthians 9:26
4. Share the consequences of allowing the stronghold to continue.

Proverbs 1:10-38 Romans 1:18-32 Proverbs 5:21-23

“He will be held with the cords of his sin.”

5. Share what apart of God’s character is being violated as it relates to the stronghold.

STRONGHOLD

Hate – revenge – unforgiveness

Pride

Fear – worry – unbelief

GOD’S CHARACTER

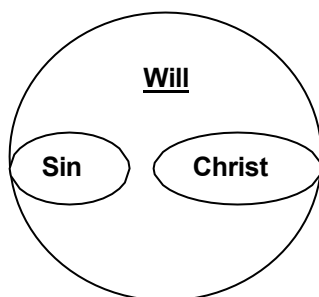
Love – Mercy

Humility

Faithful

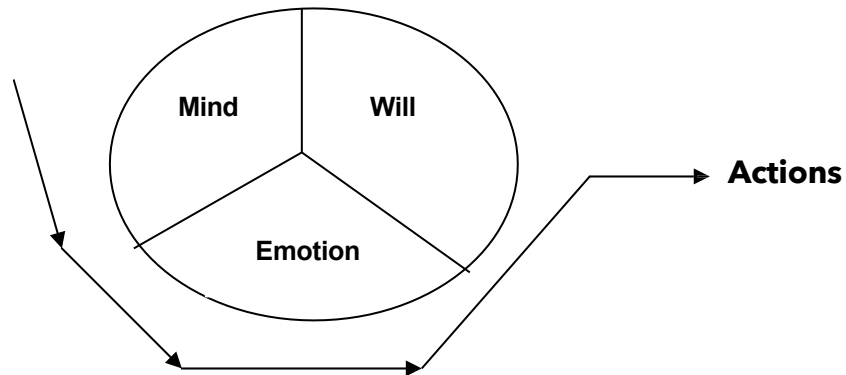
6. Share how to make choices.

- a. Present self to God, not sin. Romans 6:12-13





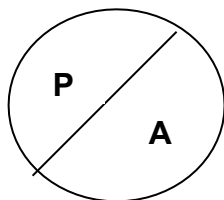
b. Choose against your feelings.



c. Show how behavior develops.

Thinking → emotion → action → habits → way of life

7. Discover if your umbrella is leaking - Do you have the same stronghold?
 - Repent and ask forgiveness
 - Make sure you are righteously diligent in that stronghold area.
8. Come against the strong man over your home and in your children.
 - Matthew 12:28-29 – Bind the strong man.
 - Colossians 2:15 – Satan is stripped of his power.
 - Fasting (Isaiah 58:6) – Loosen the bonds of wickedness, break the yoke.
 - Agreeing prayer – Matthew 18:18-20.
9. Make distinct difference between the child and his action.



- Unconditional love
- Watch your response to the child's actions
- Determine what you do to strengthen the stronghold (husband and wife can help at this point).



10. Determine what God is wanting to do in you through this experience.
11. Give them a thorough physical – check their diet and sugar level.
12. Don't get discouraged – have faith.
"I would have despaired unless I had believed that I would see the
goodness of the Lord – wait on the Lord. Psalm 12:13