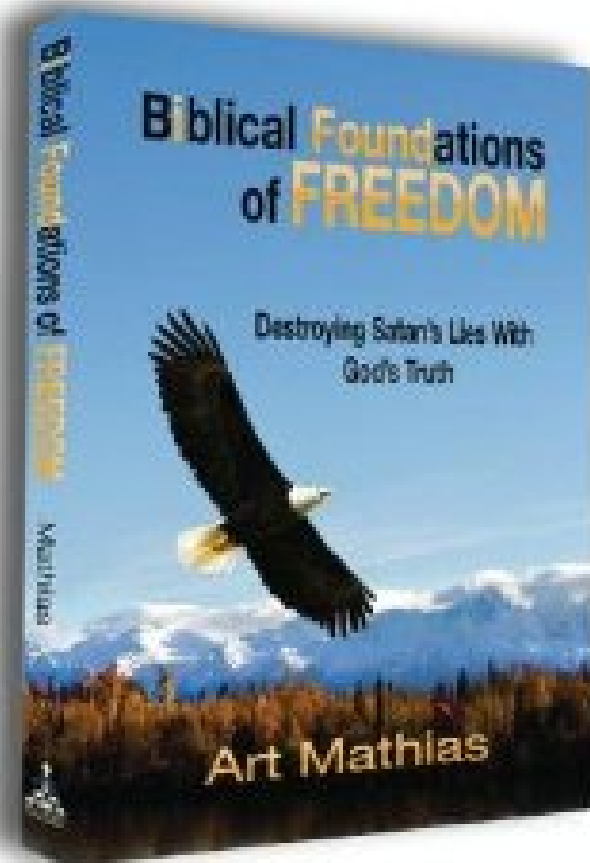


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Biblical Foundations of Freedom Program & Study Guide

Destroying Satan's Lies With God's Truth



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I had the opportunity to attend one of Dr. Mathias’ “Biblical Foundations of Freedom” seminars about two weeks ago and it was a life changing event for me. I saw firsthand what God was doing at his seminars; I witnessed how powerful forgiveness is – people were getting set free because they decided to forgive – some had been holding onto unforgiveness for years - and that is why I decided to adapt his book into my Recovery program. Forgiveness is powerful because when we decide to forgive, we are obeying God’s Word and when we obey God, we will be blessed.

I am using these materials from Dr. Mathias’ book and other training aids by permission from him and his wife Patti.

Welcome to the journey that is going to change your life!

God bless,
Dr. Dorothy E. Hooks, PsyD

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Class Dates & Topics:

February 21st, 2010 – June 6th, 2010 - all classes will be held online:

- Preface & Introduction (2 hour) – February 21st – 27th.
- What Is Sin – Chapter One (2½ hours) – February 28th – March 6th.
- Discernment – Chapter Two (2½ hours) – March 7th – March 13th.
- Accusing Spirits – Chapter Three (2½ hours) – March 14th – March 20th.
- **The Major Strongholds, or Principalities, of Satan – Chapter Four (1½ hours) – March 21st – 27th.**
- Principality of Bitterness – Chapter Five (2½ hours) – March 28th – April 3rd.
- Principality of Self-Bitterness, Unloving Spirits – Chapter Six (3½ hours) – April 4th – April 10th.
- Forgiveness – Chapter Seven (2 hours) – April 11th – 17th.
- Principality of Jealousy & Envy – Chapter Eight (2½ hours) – April 18th – April 24th.
- Principality of Rejection – Chapter Nine (3½ hours) – April 25th – May 1st.
- Principality of Fear – Chapter Ten (2½ hours) – May 2nd – May 8th.
- Principality of Occultism, Pharmakia & Sorcery – Chapter Eleven (2½ hours) – May 9th – May 15th.
- The Kinsman Redeemer – Chapter Twelve (1½ hours) – May 16th – May 22nd.
- The Armor of God – Chapter Thirteen (5½ hours) – May 23rd – May 29th.
- Our Power and Authority in Christ – Chapter Fourteen (3 hours) - May 30th – June 5th.

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Winter Semester 2010

BFOF Class Syllabus

March 21st – March 27th

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Topic & Goal:

- **The Major Strongholds, or Principalities, or Satan – Goal:** to introduce Satan's Major weapons (strongholds). **To accomplish this goal, we will:** explain each principality (bitterness, self-bitterness, jealousy and envy, rejection, fear, unbelief, and the occult) separately.



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Chapter Four: The Major Strongholds, or Principalities, or Satan

In prior chapters we learned much about Satan: how he and his demons entered this world, how he conducts spiritual warfare against God and us, and how he attacks us through our thorough life.

Now we move to the aspects of Satan's major weapons that he carries with him. He uses these every day through his minions: bitterness, self-bitterness, jealousy and envy, rejection, fear, unbelief and the occult. I believe that each of these forms a "principality of Satan," as they are referred to in Ephesians 6:12. I believe that all of Satan's powers (demons) answer to at least one of these six principalities.

As we explore Satan's principalities in the upcoming chapters, we will discover many ways that we have been allowing Satan access to our lives. We need to come honestly before God, and earnestly ask Him to search out any wicked way within us, just as David did (Psalms 139:24).

Our hearts are deceitful and wicked (Jeremiah 17:9); therefore, we cannot trust our feelings. As we study Satan's strongholds, the Holy Spirit will begin to reveal many ways that we have become separated from God, others, and our own best nature. As we go along, write down every area of unforgiveness in your life that comes to mind. To be able to cleanse our hearts before God, we must deal with all these areas of unforgiveness. Together, we learn how to deal with and have victory over Satan.

I pray for each of us that we will come to understand the primary need for daily sanctification. I appeal to you to put God first in every area of your life. If you will do this, God will meet all your needs in Christ Jesus.





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BFOF Study Guide

Topic: The Major Strongholds, or Principalities, of Satan

March 14th – March 20th

Study Guide Goals:

- To identify the major weapons which Satan uses against us
- To understand how these principalities operate.

To Think About:

List the 6 principalities of Satan.

Read Hosea 4:6.

Why do God's people perish?

How can we overcome this "perishing?"

What does Jeremiah 17:9 say about our hearts?

How will we each be able to identify strongholds in our lives?

Personal Responsibility:

List any principality which you can identify in your own life, at this point, in this study.

Application:

Review Psalm 139:24 again. Use this scripture as a prayer.

List anything the Holy Spirit revealed to you.