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"You will know the truth, and the truth will set you free." (John 8:23)

It's Jesus' promise to you--the promise that you will live triumphantly. But what keeps you from really walking in the joy of the Lord? The powers of darkness attack us daily. But, as Dr. Neil Anderson shows in *Victory Over the Darkness*, you can have the power to conquer them by knowing who you are in Christ. In this book, you will learn how to:

- Realize the power of your identity in Christ
- Free yourself from the burdens of your past
- Stand against the spiritual forces of this world
- Win the battle for your mind
- Become the spiritual person you want to be
- Discover the truth about God's view of you

Victory Over the Darkness spells out practical and productive ways to experience Christian growth based on Christ's promise. Learn to apply the truths of Scripture as a base from which to renew your mind and become the person Christ empowers you to be.

Praise for *Victory Over the Darkness*

"Countless people have found genuine freedom in Christ through the insights God has given Neil Anderson. Among them is my oldest son."--**Kay Arthur**, author of *As Silver Refined* and *God, Are You There?*

"The Lord has given Neil Anderson a marvelous counseling and discipleship model that is a genuine blessing to the Body of Christ."--**Bill Bright** (1921-2003), founder, Campus Crusade for Christ International

"Neil Anderson touches a nerve of vital need in the Body of Christ!"--**Jack W. Hayford**, founding pastor, The Church On The Way

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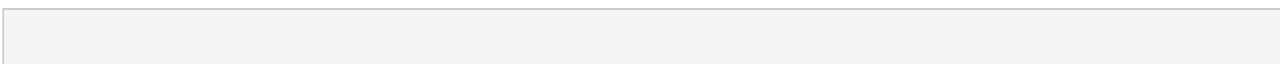
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Jan says

WOW! i was given this book to further my walk with my Lord, Jesus. I thought "13 Chapters, I will return it by the end of the week." I am here to say that it took over 6 weeks.

It has really made me see things in a new perspective. Not only my relationship with my family, but everyone i come into contact with. It has also made me look into myself and deal with things that i didn't even know were holding me back. I am a new Christian and it helped to put things in a better order of what God really wants from me. Not just from the seat on Sunday morning, but every morning. I would recommend this if you are stumbling on your new road to a more intimate relationship with Christ.

Abbie Riddle says

Plagued by doubt, burdened by fear, held captive by worry, trudging in the darkness of depression, shackled by the shame of the past, uncertain of your true identity? Are you searching for the confirmation of who you are - wondering what it is that defines you?

Discover who you are in Christ - open the pages of this book, and study the work book. This darkness and doubt that presses on the human race can be brushed away. Christ has called each of us to a life of victory free of the burdens of the past, courageous in the battle field for our souls, strong against the forces of evil. In this book the reader is taught to find their identity in Christ. Anderson explores what God truly thinks about each of us. He uses the scripture to shed light on the dark places of bondage in the readers life and challenges readers to confront the lies of the enemy - to no longer be defined by the lies but to embrace their identity in Christ. He further instructs readers on how to use scripture to form a firm foundation on which to build and renew their lives - leading to ultimate victory over the enemy.

Thank you Gospel Light for this review Copy.

James says

I reviewed Neil Anderson's memoir (Long Road to Freedom) for my blog at the beginning of this year. In a couple of months I'm slated to review a book by someone else from the ministry he founded (Freedom in Christ). It made me want to dip back into the organization's foundational literature.

My first exposure to Victory over the Darkness was about twenty years ago, when it was fairly popular in the Christian publishing world. When i was in seminary, Anderson wasn't talked about much, except to offer a friendly critique of his approach. Dipping back in, I read appreciatively:

1. A focus on our identity in Christ and the freedom that, that brings.
2. A belief in sanctification (Jesus did just come to send us to heaven, but to make us holy).
3. Advice about dealing with sinful strongholds in your life and an exhortation to hold to God's purposes for

us.

Of course I found stuff to disagree with, but by in large I found that Anderson articulates a helpful and compelling vision of freedom in Christ.

Melanie says

awesome book! great study at church.

Erin Montgomery says

This book is absolutely incredible. It's an essential read for anyone struggling in their faith or with difficult life circumstances. Neil Anderson writes with pragmatism and deep compassion to help Christians come back to the truth of who they are in Christ and how that reality touches and brings healing to every broken place even down to the deepest darkness. I am forever grateful for this book in my time of need.

Honeybee says

One of my top-ten all-time favorite books, next to the Bible. I try to keep copies on hand to give away to others. This book systematically addresses the lies we believe and the conflicts it causes, versus the truth about who we are in Jesus Christ.

My husband and I were first exposed to this book in a Sunday school class. I fought it tooth-and-nail. When I got to the diagram that showed the three ways we typically handle rejection in our lives, the truth finally sank in. It was the beginning of real change in my life. Years later, we went to a conference featuring Dr. Neil Anderson. Trained counselors led us through the 7 Steps to Freedom in Christ, and our lives were forever transformed. I couldn't believe what burdens I had carried all those years as a Christian. Now I was truly free!

Please get a copy of this book and read it for yourself. Also read the follow-up book, THE BONDAGE BREAKER. It's best to process it chapter-by-chapter with other trusted Christians in a Bible study or Sunday school class. You may find it helpful to get the workbook, as well. Don't live another day in a prison of lies!

Vincent Lesner says

The only thing that I have against this book is the teaching of single nature in believers. I understand the motivation behind the teaching, but I desired to see more technical exegesis presented to defend his theological argument.

Adam says

Amazing insight! So much of this book felt directed right to me, like he was reading my mind... Which is strange because I can't even read my mind.

Alte says

This book changed my life forever! Read it!

Melissa says

I'll be honest--I thought I would rip through this book, halfheartedly nodding my agreement through most of it and occasionally grunting my disagreement. To my surprise, I found the content deceptively deep. "Deep" because the truths are profound, life changing, and timeless. "Deceptively" because it's simply written. It lacks the frills I've grown accustomed to with writers like Murray, Spurgeon, Lewis, Keller, Piper, Voskamp, and Elliot. Don't get me wrong--I love frills--but I've grown to appreciate clear, lean writing because not everyone has patience for the lacy stuff. The first three chapters are a goldmine, all dealing with our identity in Christ. Anderson explains how our understanding of who we are in Jesus determines the authenticity and depth of our walk with Him. It's something we know (if we read the Bible) and yet fail to live. My plan is to use the lists in these chapters to guide my scripture memorization for the next few months. I want the truths worked deep into my soul and psyche. As I read on, The Lord showed me where I have room to grow, what He wants to work right now. I thought of people who need the book as much as I do. I'm looking forward to passing it around and recommending it to friends as it was recommended to me.

Cindy Rollins says

Once again I am reviewing a book I would not have read except it was a gift from someone I love enough to read their gift books. Gift books are the worst. So much pressure!

I am a bit of theological stickler also so I was not expecting to come away impressed but I did. This book was a perfect complement to my Christian and Missionary Alliance upbringing and my conservative Presbyterian leanings today.

It helped me make sense out of a few confusing areas of my life and relationships and also helped me recognize as attacks from our enemy (Shh, don't tell the Presbyterians) things like jealousy which come out of no where.

Chapter 7 was my favorite part of the book reminding me to be faithful without letting outcomes make me depressed or start to lose faith in God. I am not responsible for anyone but myself, therefore, I am not in control of others either. Isn't that the hardest thing for a mother to do? But so freeing when we grasp it.

Lisa Fischer says

Good stuff. Lots to digest. Underlined and dog-eared throughout.

Megan Helmer says

I don't know even how to leave a review for this book. It's a life changer. No matter where you are at in your relationship and belief in God, you will find so much value in every aspect of this book.

Ciera says

This book discusses the joy and peace of discovering our identity in Christ Jesus. For me, this came at an opportune moment in my life. The beautiful words of truth were so sweet for me to read...

Anderson makes the point that if we have accepted Christ as our Lord and Savior, we have been redeemed. We have become "saints." Though we still sin, we are no longer defined by our sinful nature. Instead, we have been covered by the blood of Jesus.

Though I usually read novels, it was refreshing to read a book on my faith, a book that offered encouragement.

Light will always conquer over the darkness. God will always listen when we call out to Him. And when we realize our identity in Christ, we can be VICTORIOUS.

I pray that you all may find victory over the darkness of sin, past pain and memories. I pray that you may find yourself in Jesus.

Kathryn Fairlamb says

This book blew me away. I was encouraged and challenged to grow in believing whole-heartedly who I was in Christ. I learned so many things but the overarching take away was "Your understanding of who God is and who you are in relationship to Him is the critical foundation for your belief system and your behavior patterns as a Christian."
