

**I Have
Overcome
the World**

John 16:8-11; 33

- I Have Overcome the World
- John 16:8-11, 33

I have overcome the world

- I have overcome the World: vs. 33
 - What is the world?

I have overcome **the world**

**concerning judgment, because the
ruler of this world is judged**

John 16:11

- The World
 - The ruler of this world (vs. 11)
- world = a way of thinking that is opposed to God, and is essentially self exalting

I have overcome **the world**

serpent was more crafty...

Genesis 3:1

- Learned from Satan
 - Genesis 3:1-7
 - Serpent => more crafty

I have overcome **the world**

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Did God actually say, 'You shall
not eat of any tree in the
garden'?**

Genesis 3:1

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**serpent was more crafty...
"You will not surely die"**

Genesis 3:4

- "You will not surely die" — God lied!

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**serpent was more crafty...
"God knows ... your eyes will be
opened"**

Genesis 3:5

- God knows...
 - eyes will be opened (special knowledge) — God hid!

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**serpent was more crafty...
"God knows ... you will be like
God"**

Genesis 3:5

- God knows...
 - you will be like God (special power, deity, authority) — God held back!

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**serpent was more crafty...
"God knows ... knowing good
and evil"**

Genesis 3:5

- God knows...
 - knowing good and evil (moral relativism) — God irrelevant!

I have overcome the world

Eve...
"good for food"

Genesis 3:6

- Eve: fruit forbidden by their creator and provider
 - good for food (physical)

I have overcome **the world**

Eve...

"delight to the eyes"

Genesis 3:6

- delight to the eyes (emotional)

I have overcome **the world**

Eve...

"make one wise"

Genesis 3:6

- make one wise (mental)

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"eyes of both were opened"

Genesis 3:7

- "eyes were opened"
 - to what???
 - naked ...
 - she saw the world differently
 - she thought differently
 - SELF - EXALTING, SELF - ADORING, SELFISH

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"eyes of both were opened"

Genesis 3:7

- Our thinking changed... to Satan's way of thinking
 - Genesis 6:5: every intention of the thoughts of his heart was only evil continually
 - Colossians 1:21: And you, who once were **alienated and hostile in mind**, doing evil deeds,

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- 1 John 2:15-17 (ESV) 15 Do not love the world or the things in the world. If anyone loves the world, the love of the Father is not in him. 16 For all that is in the world—the desires of the flesh and the desires of the eyes and pride of life—is not from the Father but is from the world. 17 And the world is passing away along with its desires, but whoever does the will of God abides forever.

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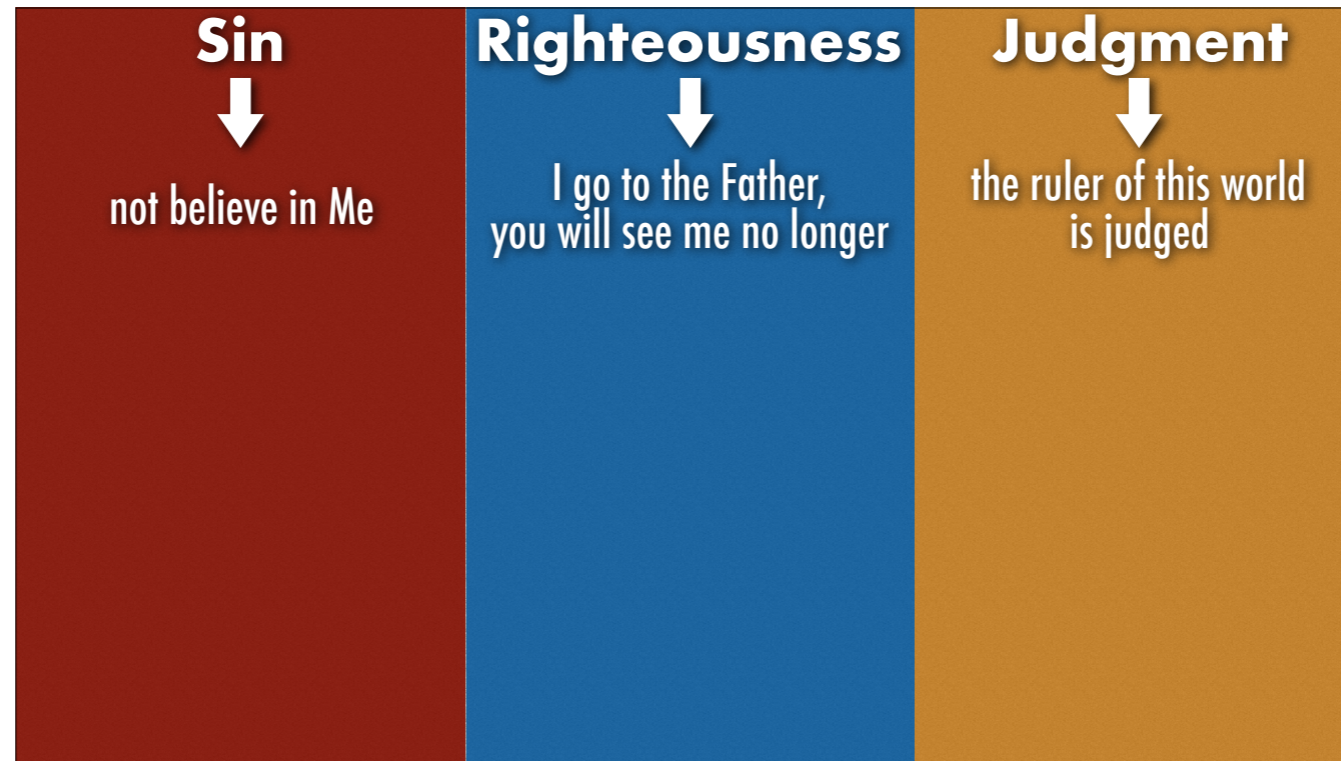
- We see this life differently, we think about life differently, and relate to it differently
 - violence, corruption, cruel, exploiting
 - Satan

I have **overcome** the world

- Overcome
 - to conquer; victorious

Convict the world

- Holy Spirit's Role...
- Convict
 - expose; show fault; reprove



- Sin, Righteousness, Judgment
- Sin —> not believe in Me
- Righteousness —> I go to the Father, you will see me no longer
- Judgment —> the ruler of this world is judged

Sin



not believe in Me

- Sin → not believe in me
- not sin, in general, then
- the sin of unbelief

Sin



not believe in Me

**“Behold, the Lamb of God, who
takes away the sin of the world!”**
John 1:29

- John 1:29 (ESV) The next day he saw Jesus coming toward him, and said, “Behold, the Lamb of God, **who takes away the sin of the world!**”

Sin



not believe in Me

**“whoever does not believe is
condemned already, because he
has not believed in the name of
the only Son of God”**

John 3:18

- John 3:16-21 (ESV) 16 “For God so loved the world, that he gave his only Son, that **whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life.** 17 For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but in order that the world might be saved through him. 18 Whoever believes in him is not condemned, but **whoever does not believe is condemned already, because he has not believed in the name of the only Son of God.** 19 And this is the judgment: the light has come into the world, and people loved the darkness rather than the light because their works were evil. 20 For everyone who does wicked things hates the light and does not come to the light, lest his works should be exposed. 21 But whoever does what is true comes to the light, so that it may be clearly seen that his works have been carried out in God.”
- John 20:30-31 (ESV) 30 Now Jesus did many other signs in the presence of the disciples, which are not written in this book; 31 but these are written so that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God, and that by believing you may have life in his name.
 - Water to wine; Heal official’s son; Heal paralyzed man; Feed 5000; Walking on water; Sight to man born blind; Raising of Lazarus from Dead
- If you don’t believe in Jesus, you cannot have eternal life & forgiveness of sins
 - Acts 2:38 (ESV) 38 And Peter said to them, “Repent and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins, and you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit.
 - John 8:21-24 (ESV) 21 So he said to them again, “I am going away, and you will seek me, and you will die in your sin. Where I am going, you cannot come.” 22 So the Jews said, “Will he kill himself, since he says, ‘Where I am going, you cannot come’?” 23 He said to them, “You are from below; I am from above. You are of this world; I am not of this world. 24 I told you that you would die in your sins, for unless you believe that I am he you will die in your sins.”

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- Teaching:
 - I AM
 - water, bread, light, vine, good shepherd
 - resurrection and life
 - way truth life
 - born again

Sin



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**“everyone who believes in him
receives forgiveness of sins
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Acts 10:43

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Righteousness



I go to the Father,
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- Righteousness —> I go to the Father & you will see me no longer
- John 14:1-6 (ESV) “Let not your hearts be troubled. Believe in God; believe also in me. 2 In my Father's house are many rooms. If it were not so, would I have told you that **I go to prepare a place for you?** 3 And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and will take you to myself, that **where I am you may be also.** 4 And you know the way to where I am going.” 5 Thomas said to him, “Lord, we do not know where you are going. How can we know the way?” 6 Jesus said to him, “**I am the way, and the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me.**”
 - 1 Corinthians 15:3-4 (ESV) 3 For I delivered to you as of first importance what I also received: that **Christ died for our sins** in accordance with the Scriptures, 4 that he was buried, that **he was raised** on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures,
- Romans 10:2-4 (ESV) 2 For I bear them witness that they have a zeal for God, but not according to knowledge. 3 **For, being ignorant of the righteousness of God, and seeking to establish their own, they did not submit to God's righteousness.** 4 For Christ is the end of the law for righteousness to everyone who believes.
 - Romans 1:16-17 (ESV) 16 For I am not ashamed of the gospel, for it is the power of God for salvation to everyone who believes, to the Jew first and also to the Greek. 17 **For in it the righteousness of God is revealed** from faith for faith, as it is written, “The righteous shall live by faith.”
 - Romans 1:18 (ESV) For the wrath of God is revealed from heaven against all ungodliness and unrighteousness of men, who by their unrighteousness suppress the truth.
 - Romans 1:21-23 (ESV) For although they knew God, they did not honor him as God or give thanks to him, but they became futile in their thinking, and their foolish hearts were darkened. 22 Claiming to be wise, they became fools, 23 and exchanged the glory of the immortal God for images resembling mortal man and birds and animals and creeping things.
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- Philippians 3:8-11 (ESV) 8 Indeed, I count everything as loss because of the surpassing worth of knowing Christ Jesus my Lord. For his sake I have suffered the loss of all things and count them as rubbish, in order that I may gain Christ 9 and be found in him, not having a righteousness of my own that comes from the law, but that which comes through faith in Christ, the righteousness from God that depends on faith— 10 that I may know him and the power of his resurrection, and may share his sufferings, becoming like him in his death, 11 that by any means possible I may attain the resurrection from the dead.



- Judgment —> Ruler of this world is judged
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Judgment



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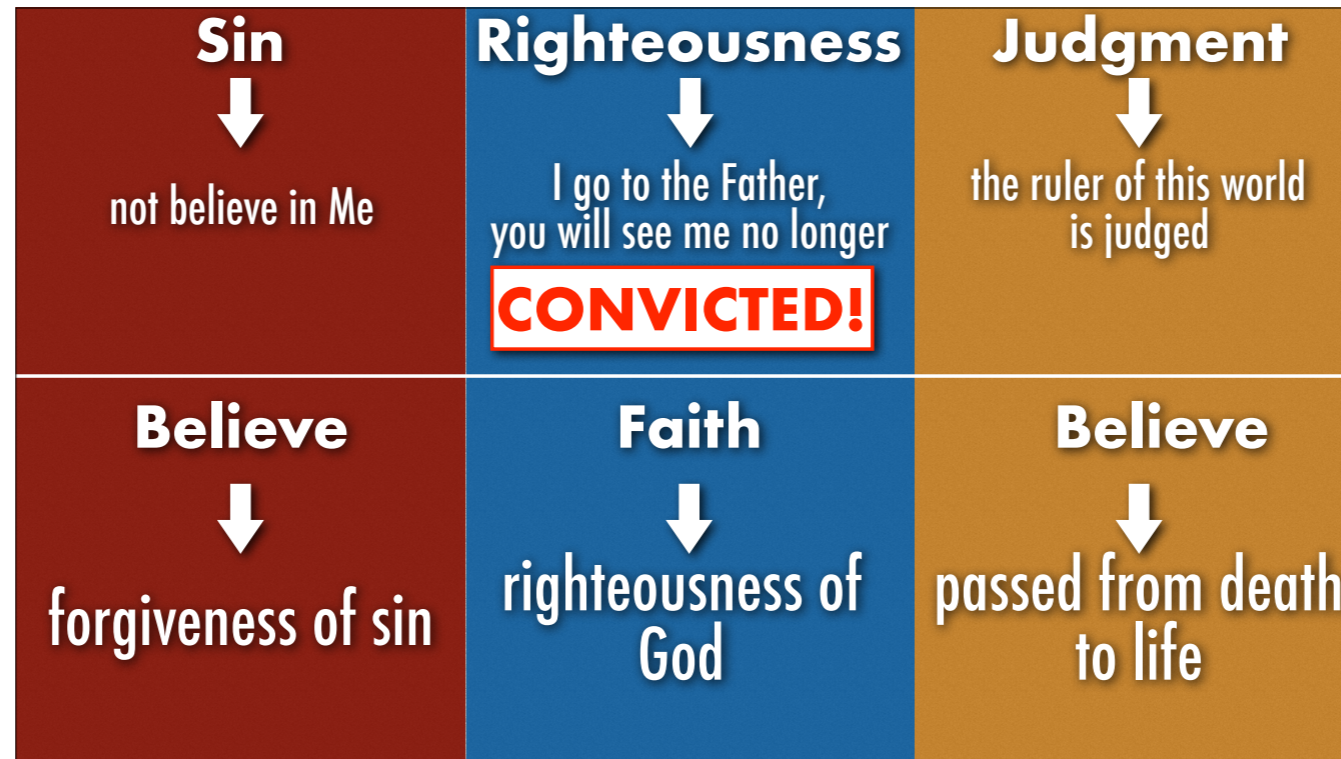


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- Believe —> forgiveness of sins
- Faith —> righteousness of God
- Believe —> passed from death to life

I have overcome the world

- John 16:33: I have said these things to you, that in me **you may have peace**. In the world you will have tribulation. But take heart; I have overcome the world.”

I have overcome the world

**"the Lamb ... and he came out
conquering, and to conquer."**

Revelation 6:1-2

- Revelation 6:1-2: 1 Now I watched when the Lamb opened one of the seven seals, and I heard one of the four living creatures say with a voice like thunder, "Come!" 2 And I looked, and behold, a white horse! And its rider had a bow, and a crown was given to him, and he came out conquering, and to conquer.

I have overcome the world

“Little children, you are from God and have overcome them, for he who is in you is greater than he who is in the world”

1 John 4:4

- 1 John 4:1-6 (ESV) 1 Beloved, do not believe every spirit, but test the spirits to see whether they are from God, for many false prophets have gone out into the world. 2 By this you know the Spirit of God: every spirit that confesses that Jesus Christ has come in the flesh is from God, 3 and every spirit that does not confess Jesus is not from God. This is the spirit of the antichrist, which you heard was coming and now is in the world already. 4 Little children, you are from God and have overcome them, for he who is in you is greater than he who is in the world. 5 They are from the world; therefore they speak from the world, and the world listens to them. 6 We are from God. Whoever knows God listens to us; whoever is not from God does not listen to us. By this we know the Spirit of truth and the spirit of error.

I have overcome the world

“And this is the victory that has overcome the world — our faith. Who is it that overcomes the world except the one who believes that Jesus is the Son of God?”

1 John 5:4-5

- 1 John 5:1-5 (ESV) 1 Everyone who believes that Jesus is the Christ has been born of God, and everyone who loves the Father loves whoever has been born of him. 2 By this we know that we love the children of God, when we love God and obey his commandments. 3 For this is the love of God, that we keep his commandments. And his commandments are not burdensome. 4 For everyone who has been born of God overcomes the world. And this is the victory that has overcome the world—our faith. 5 Who is it that overcomes the world except the one who believes that Jesus is the Son of God?

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"No, in all these things we are more than conquerors through him who loved us."

Romans 8:37

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“And they have conquered him by the blood of the Lamb and by the word of their testimony”

Revelation 12:11

- Revelation 12:10-11 (ESV) 10 And I heard a loud voice in heaven, saying, “Now the salvation and the power and the kingdom of our God and the authority of his Christ have come, for the accuser of our brothers has been thrown down, who accuses them day and night before our God. 11 And they have conquered him by the blood of the Lamb and by the word of their testimony, for they loved not their lives even unto death.

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"The one who conquers will have this heritage, and I will be his God and he will be my son."

Revelation 21:7

- Revelation 21:7 (ESV) 7 The one who conquers will have this heritage, and I will be his God and he will be my son.

**We implore you on
behalf of Christ,
be reconciled to God.**

2 Corinthians 5:20

Let all that you do be done in love.

1 Corinthians 16:14



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Synopsis: Jesus proclaims to his disciples that he has overcome the world. The world is the Satanic way of thinking that has corrupted this world. Jesus helps us to understand that through the work of the Holy Spirit the world is convicted concerning sin, righteousness and judgment. When we believe in Jesus we can have forgiveness of sins, eternal life, and we overcome the world through him.

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