

DEVELOPING A SPIRITUAL MINDSET

Part 4: Chew on This

Text: Romans 8:6 NKJV

GOD'S SUPERNATURAL FUEL

- We have to eat
 1. Jesus knew the importance of God's Word (**Luke 4:4 NKJV**)
- The Manna example (**Exodus 16:14-15, 21 NKJV**)
 1. God gave them supernatural bread from heaven
 2. They had to go and gather it every day
 3. God has provided supernatural food for us (**John 6:63 NKJV**)
 4. Very similar to natural eating (**Psalms 119:28 NKJV**)

A POWERFUL PROCESS TOOL

- God told Joshua how to be successful (**Joshua 1:8 NKJV**)
 1. Prosper: to succeed, cause to turn out successfully
 2. Good success: to be prudent, give insight, marked by sound judgment, to act wisely
- Not limited to Joshua (**Psalms 1:2-3 NKJV**)
 1. Prosper - the same word as in Joshua
 2. Paul's instructions to Timothy (**1 Timothy 4:15 NKJV**)
- Meditation - the common factor in progress and success
 1. Meditation: to mutter, to speak, to ponder
 2. Meditation involves our thinking
 3. Meditation involves our speaking (**Psalms 119:9 & 11 NKJV**)
- Meditation by speaking God's Word is a powerful tool
 1. Gives understanding (**Psalms 49:3 NKJV**)
 2. Puts life into our words (**Proverbs 18:21 NKJV**)
 3. Helps us control our thoughts (**Proverbs 4:20-23 CSB**)